

Editorial and Changes to the Editorial Board

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The backbone of a successful journal is its Editorial Board, and we at the *IEEE Transactions on Mobile Computing (TMC)* are very fortunate to have a highly dedicated Board consisting of some of the top researchers in the field. Our volunteer Editors are called upon to exercise their judgment in picking out the best research in mobile computing, and to encourage good research with constructive feedback and criticism. Editors are limited to a three-year term, with an additional two-year extension at the discretion of the Editor-in-Chief and the Associate Editor-in-Chief.

As such, the composition of the Board changes significantly every year. This year, we are pleased to welcome many new Associate Editors to *TMC*. They include: Yingying (Jennifer) Chen, Roberto Di Pietro, Falko Dressler, Eylem Ekici, Deepak Ganesan, Yih-Chun Hu, Rahul Jain, Koushik Kar, Baochun Li, C. Siva Ram Murthy, Junehwa Song, Jianping Wang, Wenye Wang, Xin Wang, and Jiang (Linda) Xie. They collectively strengthen our expertise in disruption-tolerant networking, vehicular networks, mobile computing systems, wireless security, mobile social networks, wireless network optimization, game theory, cognitive radios, and information theory. They come to us from all across the globe and represent the truly international scope of this journal. We are excited to have them on board and we thank them for agreeing to serve.

Finally, we'd also like to acknowledge several Associate Editors whose terms recently expired: Saurabh Bagchi, Douglas Blough, Srdjan Capkun, Sunghyun Choi, Mooi Choo Chuah, Dennis Goeckel, Dimitrios Hatzinakos, Wendi Heinzelman, Sanjay Jha, Edward Knightly, Bhaskar Krishnamachari, Bo Li, Jie Liu, Margaret Martonosi, Radha Poovendran, Anand Raghunathan, Bhaskaran Raman, Carlo Regazzoni, Kay Roemer, Ashutosh Sabharwal, Mohammad Shahidehpour, Prasun Sinha, Alex Snoeren and Heather Zheng. This very distinguished group of researchers has contributed greatly to increasing the journal's quality and reputation, and they will be missed! We wish them the best in their future endeavors.

Ramesh Govinda, *Editor-in-Chief*

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Yingying (Jennifer) Chen received the BS degree in physics from Nanjing University, China, the MS degree in computer science from North Carolina State University, and the PhD degree in computer science from Rutgers University. She joined Alcatel-Lucent, New Jersey, and then moved to the Stevens Institute of Technology, where she is currently an associate professor in the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering. Her research interests include mobile computing, cyber security and privacy, wireless embedded systems, pervasive computing, and mobile healthcare. She coauthored the book *Securing Emerging Wireless Systems* (Springer 2009) and has published more than 70 journal articles and conference papers. Her research has been reported in numerous media outlets, including the *Wall Street Journal*, *MIT Technology Review*, *Inside Science*, NPR, Tonight Show with Jay Leno, and

CNET. She has received numerous awards, including the New Jersey Inventors Hall of Fame Innovator Award in 2012, the US National Science Foundation CAREER award in 2010, the Google Research Award in 2010, the Stevens Board of Trustees Award for Scholarly Excellence in 2010, and Best Paper Awards from ACM MobiCom 2011 and WONS 2009. She has served as an editor for the *IEEE Transactions on Wireless Communications* since 2011, associate editor for the *EURASIP Journal on Information Security* since 2008, and associate editor for the *International Journal of Parallel, Emergent and Distributed Systems* since 2009. She is the program vice chair for Systems and Protocols, IEEE MASS 2013, publicity chair for IEEE CNS 2013, and travel grant cochair for ACM MobiCom 2010 and ACM MobiHoc 2010. She has cochaired multiple workshops and served on many technical program committees, including IEEE INFOCOM 2009-2014, IEEE PerCom 2010-2013, IEEE ICDCS 2010-2013, ACM WiSec 2010-2013, SecureComm 2009, IEEE ICC 2009-2013, and IEEE GlobeCom 2008-2011.



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Journal (Elsevier) (2003-present), and *ACM Sigmobile Mobile Computing and Communications Review* (2006-present). He has served as a guest editor of special issues of *IEEE Network*, *ACM Mobile Networks and Applications*, *Eurasip Journal on Wireless Communications and Networking*, and *Elsevier Ad Hoc Networks Journal*. He was the general cochair of ACM MobiCom 2012 and ISVCS 2008, TPC cochair of BlackSeaCom 2013, VNC 2009 and 2011, Networking 2007, Med-Hoc-Net 2004, SenMetrics 2005, and ConWiN 2005, and technical program committee (TPC) vice-chair of PIMRC 2010 and MASS 2009. He has served on the TPC of IEEE INFOCOM from 2004-2014 as well as 50 other conferences and workshops since 2003. He is a senior member of IEEE and a member of ACM.



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