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PETS-ICVS

4th IEEE International Workshop on Performance Evaluation of Tracking and Surveillance

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PETS-ICVS at ICVS'03 continues the theme of the highly successful PETS'00, PETS'01 and PETS'02 workshops. The theme is performance evaluation of tracking and surveillance.

The growth in the development of the field has not been met with complementary systematic performance evaluation of developed techniques. It is especially difficult to make comparisons between algorithms if they have been tested on different datasets under widely varying conditions.

The PETS workshop series is unique in that all participants are testing algorithms on the same datasets.

For PETS-ICVS the theme is “observing people interacting in meetings”.

The aims of the workshop are several-fold:

- to bring together researchers interested in the area of visual surveillance
- to apply different algorithms to the same dataset(s)
- to evaluate the differences between different models and algorithms
- to discuss which criteria should be used for objective evaluation

PETS-ICVS is single track with presentations of contributed papers, invited speakers, and a panel discussion. A selection of the best papers will be published separately in a special issue of Image and Vision Computing Journal.

Important Dates

Datasets disseminated:	November 11 2003
Deadline for paper submission:	February 15 2003
Notification of acceptance/rejection	March 7 2003
Deadline for camera-ready copy:	March 15 2003
Date of workshop:	March 31 2003

For further information on the workshop including electronic submission procedures please visit the web site

<http://petsicvs.visualsurveillance.org>



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