

TIME Minutes

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Present: Stephen Batty, John Clark, Xiaohong Gao, Theodore Kalamboukis

1. Batty demonstrated his work on the extraction of textural information from DICOM images, and explained the technical aspects. Although the network connection failed, he managed to illustrate some aspects using some of his work available from the internet. Further discussions were carried out after the demonstration.
2. Kalamboukis detailed his newly awarded research project on multi-lingual retrieval of medical images, i.e. cross-language retrieval. Most available translation systems don't include the Greek language, so his proposed system will translate Greek to English and then connect to the MEDLINE database to retrieve medical images.
3. Clark introduced the GE company that may have a similar system and may like to be involved in the research.
4. Gao explained the next project activity to be carried out in China in 2006. Everyone agreed to be available in April 2006.
5. Other business: Gao will send Kalamboukis and Prof. Egils Stumbris copies of the proceedings of MIT2005 since they were not present.
6. Date of next meeting: April. 2006, Beijing, China.