

# TIME Newsletter

## Tele-imaging in MEDicine



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# WELCOME

... to the first edition of the quarterly newsletter produced by the School of Computing Science, Middlesex University

This newsletter aims to provide a platform for industry and academia to share and develop their news and views, and to form a wider network on collaborative work on medical imaging and telemedicine fields. It intends to introduce readers with a wide spectrum to a European Commission funded project (2005-2008) on *Tele-imaging in Medicine (TIME)*, with an idea of the range and type of work undertaken in the project. We also intend to attract people to join in this project and to promote the European-Asia link as a whole.



EC Asia IC&T Programme

The European Commission's **Asia IT&C Programme** began in 1999 after ASEM meetings. ASEM is the Asia-Europe Meeting - a Heads-of-Governments' Meeting of 25 European and Asian countries with the European Commission - which met for the first time in March 1996 in Bangkok. The **Information and Communication Technology (ICT)** sector received the particular attention at the meeting in 1996. It was stressed that intensified cross-flows between Asia and Europe in priority driving sectors, such as ICT, are central to strengthening the economic links between the two continents. Subsequently, an extensive survey in both Europe and Asia indicated that the potential and desire to co-operate exists on both sides. This, and the historical experience which Europe has in such co-operation, suggested a solid foundation for the establishment of the European Commission's **Asia IT&C Programme Phase One**. In 1998 the ASEM II meeting was held in London and in 2000 the ASEM III was held in Seoul.

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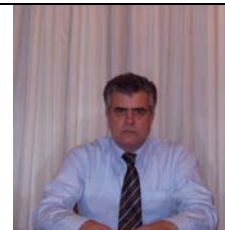
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Welcome, everyone, to “**Tele-Imaging in Medicine (TIME)**”. As Director of Research and Postgraduate Studies in the School, I and my team, **Drs Claudia Kalay and Robert Pleass**, do everything we can to foster and support research. The School has outstanding achievement in many areas of Computing Science research, not least in the area of Imaging. Strengths within the School include Human Computer Interaction, Accessibility for All, e-Commerce and Project Management. We hope you will take full advantage of our strengths and invite you to contact any of our Research Centres if you would like further information or are interested in opportunities for collaboration. The Research Office will be on-hand throughout the Project lifetime to help with any problems you may have. So once again, welcome, and enjoy the next three years.



**EU-CHINA 1975-2005**

**中欧建交30周年**

In May 2005, it is the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of EU-China diplomatic relations. We will celebrate this event in conjunction with the organisation of an international conference on *Medical Imaging and Telemedicine (MIT2005)* [www.mitime.org](http://www.mitime.org).

Detailed Call for Papers is attached.

<b>DIARY DATES</b>	
<b>MARCH</b>  <i>April 1</i> <b>First project Kick-off Meeting</b> The Royal Society, London, UK.  <b>Steering Committee Meeting</b> The Royal Society, London, UK  (tel: +44 (0)208 411 2252 for details)	<b>AUGUST</b>  <i>August 16-19</i> The first International Conference on Medical Imaging and Telemedicine (MIT'2005), at Wuyi Place, Fujin, China. <a href="http://www.mitime.org">www.mitime.org</a> . (tel: +44 (0)208 411 2252, Email: <a href="mailto:x.gao@mdx.ac.uk">x.gao@mdx.ac.uk</a> )  <b>TO ADVERTISE YOUR COMPANY, CONFERENCE, EXHIBITION PT OTHER EVENT HERE, PLEASE CONTACT THE TEAM BELOW (GIVING US AS MUCH NOTICE AS POSSIBLE)</b>  <i>Looking forward to hearing from you!</i>

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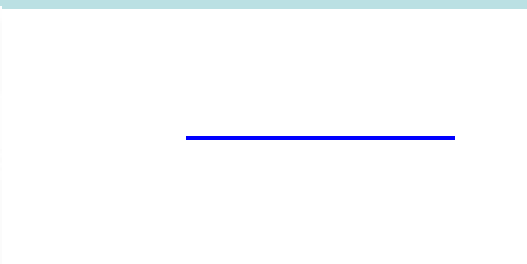
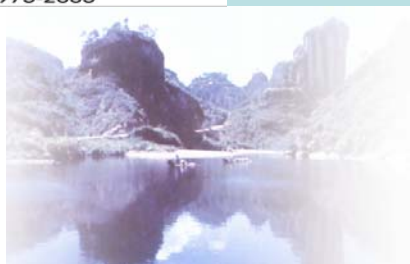
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A unique opportunity brings together applicants, manufacturers, and researchers in the fields of computing and information science, imaging technology and medical applications. The topics include but are not limited to:

Medical Image Analysis: Techniques and Applications  
Medical Image Databases: PACS  
Medical Imaging Equipment: Techniques and Applications  
Tele-imaging  
Tele-medicine: Techniques and Applications  
Tele-medicine: Police and Strategy  
Visualization: Software and Hardware  
Emerging ICT techniques and their applications to medical fields  
Computer Applications on Medicine Information  
Other Medical Instruments and Equipment

limited spaces are available for exhibitions and demonstrations. Please submit proposals to specify the size of space(s) needed and/or the IT equipment needed.

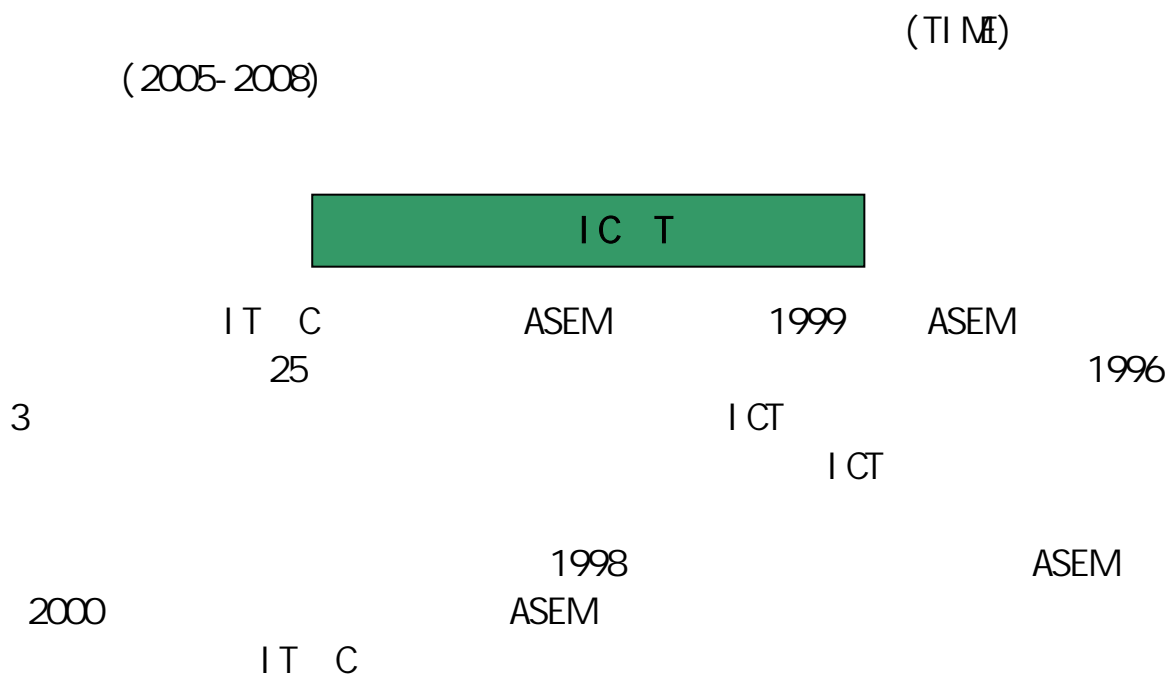
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The Programme Committee is currently being formed; please email [x.gao@mdx.ac.uk](mailto:x.gao@mdx.ac.uk) if you would like to join.

**Important Dates**

Deadline for Abstract or Proposal (200 words)	May 5, 2005
Notification of Acceptance	May 27, 2005
Deadline for final paper (maximum 6 pages)	July 1, 2005
Congress	August 16-19, 2005

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