

## **CALL FOR PAPERS**

## SPECIAL ISSUE ON Human Computer Interaction in Engineering Education

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Although computers changed radically during the last decades, interaction with them remained pretty much the same. Keyboard and mouse are still the dominant devices for the interaction between humans and computers, limiting effectiveness by a lack of high-level natural human-computer interfaces. Recent technology developments have produced new opportunities for providing more advanced and efficient interfaces to the users. Some of the latest are natural gestures, touch-screens, implicit interactions and tangible user interfaces. Engineering education could benefit from these new approaches in human-computer interaction.

For this special issue, we seek original theoretical, as well as practical, papers presenting research that describes and assesses groundbreaking new devices, methods and approaches to human-computer interaction focused on applications in the field of engineering education.

The topics of this special issue include but are not limited to:

- natural human-computer interactions and gestures
- interactive surfaces and tablet computing
- user interfaces and interaction for mobile computing
- voice-based user interfaces
- user interfaces based on physiological sensors and actuators
- impact of new devices and techniques on teaching and learning
- curriculum design around new devices
- assessment of teaching and learning using new devices

## **Important Deadlines**

Submission of extended abstracts Notification of acceptance Submission of manuscripts Reviewers' feedback Submission of final manuscripts March 30, 2012 April 15, 2012 June 30, 2012 September 15, 2012 November 30, 2012

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