



FRUCT has joined the E-WeREST Group

This month FRUCT has joined the E-WeREST group. The strategic mission of E-WeREST is to develop scalable and efficient regional Open Innovations ecosystem around telecommunication and mobile technologies in Eurasia. E-WeREST group provides consulting and management services for crossborder collaboration between EU, Russia, CIS and India, and manages operations of regional research and education society of people from industry and academy. Please find more details here: <u>http://ewerest.org/about.html</u>.

Results of 8th FRUCT conference and trainings

On 9-12 November 2010, FRUCT organized 8th FRUCT conference and 3 technological trainings: on MeeGo platform, Smart-M3 platform, and Platform Security. The events were hosted by Lappeenranta University of Technology. The events were free of charge and attended by more than 150 participants. The conference materials are available for download at http://fruct.org/conference8. Please help to improve future events, leave your feedback and take part in discussions at FRUCT forum http://fruct.org/forum, you opinion is important for us!

Symbian Mobile Device Energy Spending Contest

We welcome you to take a part in R&D challenge in field of Energy and Power Management. The target is to develop Symbian application that **maximizes** energy consumption of a mobile device. The winner will get FRUCT diploma, invitation to present paper at one of the following FRUCT events, Nokia N95 8Gb smartphone. Application deadline is December 12, 2010. More details at <u>http://fruct.org/contest</u>.

We invite you to the 2nd FRUCT-South seminar

E-WeREST members are welcome to submit papers to the 2nd FRUCT-South seminar that is organized within scope of AIS/CAD 2011 congress and will be held in Divnomorskoe on September 6, 2011. E-WeREST members have right to apply for one of 10 supporting packages that include full registration to AIS/CAD congress and Viking Camp accommodation.

Congratulations to FRUCT participants and winners of Russian Mobile VAS Awards 2010

On November 18 jury of Russian Mobile VAS Award contest named 7 winner projects of 2010. This year FRUCT won in two categories: the best Mobile Game (for project "Series of developmental games with accelerometer for mobile devices Maemo/MeeGo usage", done by PetrSU FRUCT lab) and the most Innovative Technology (project "Intellectual system for automated conference conduction", done by SPIIRAS FRUCT team in cooperation with NRC). Congratulations to the winners and all participants!

1st E-WeREST forum, Petrozavodsk on April 25-29

Please take a look to calls for participation in the 1st E-WeREST forum <u>www.e-werest.org/forum1</u> and the 9th FRUCT conference: <u>www.fruct.org/conference9</u>.

About E-WeREST

E-WeREST mission is to develop scalable and efficient Open Innovations ecosystem around telecommunication and mobile technologies in Eurasia. E-WeREST group consists of FRUCT community, Russian MeeGo community, Russian Qt community, Smart Spaces community ruSmart, regional community on Mobile Healthcare, and EU-Russia-India R&D cooperation. E-WeREST provides consulting and management services for cross-border projects between EU, Russia, CIS and India. The program was established in 2007 and by now has become the most significant and fast growing cooperation region framework between leaders of ICT industry and universities. Our main principle is in lowering cooperation entering thresholds by developing technological communities and setting R&D projects run by students under direct joint tutoring of industrial and academic experts.