

## The last call for papers to 8<sup>th</sup> FRUCT conference

Please note that the deadline for submitting your full paper or abstract for the 8<sup>th</sup> FRUCT conference is now extended till **October**, **8**. Paper templates and all the practical information are available at the conference page <u>http://fruct.org/conference8</u>. The conference will take place in Lappeenranta, Finland, on 9-12 November 2010. The conference is free of charge, but don't forget to register yourself as the conference registration is mandatory requirement.

#### **Results of New2AN and RuSMART conferences**

The 3<sup>rd</sup> ruSMART & 10<sup>th</sup> New2AN conferences were held in Saint-Petersburg on August 23-25. This year FRUCT received a number of free full registrations packages to the conferences and a number of FRUCT students used this opportunity to get Springer publication. The next year call for papers will be announced shortly and we encourage you to use this chance to present your results at the high profile conferences and get Springer publication.

## Results of 1<sup>st</sup> FRUCT-South at AIS/CAD conference

The first FRUCT-South seminar was organized as a full day event on September 6 in cooperation with AIS/CAD symposium. All FRUCT participants get free registration to AIS/CAD and the accommodation packages for the whole week. The next FRUCT-South will be held on September 6, 2011 in Divnomorskoe and 10 packages are reserved for FRUCT students. If you are interested to take part in the conference, send a reservation requests to info@fruct.org, the handling will be on the first-in-first-served principle.

### We welcome you to join FRUCT working groups

We are proud to announce creation of a number of working groups that support joint R&D efforts in the strategic areas such as: Maemo/MeeGo, smart spaces, security and community management. If you want to join send your requests to info@fruct.org.

# Call for papers to 3<sup>rd</sup> Russian MeeGo conference

FRUCT is proud to announce the call for papers for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Russian MeeGo conference, which will take place in Moscow, Russia, on 23-25 February 2011. More details and registration will soon be available at <u>http://fruct.org/meego3</u>

## Take part in the MeeGo applications contest!

We invite you to take part in the new contest with the main prize - latest MeeGo device. Write MeeGo application with support of Russian language, submit it before **April 1, 2011** and you get a chance to win! The winner will be named on April 27, 2011 at the 9<sup>th</sup> FRUCT conference. The contest details and rules will soon be available at <u>http://fruct.org/winMeeGo</u>.

## Partner events: check the upcoming deadlines

We have a few places at <u>FRUCT-partner events</u>, e.g. we encourage you to submit papers to <u>BCFIC 2011</u> conference, where FRUCT has 4 registrations. FRUCT students can get an additional <u>financial support</u>.

## Welcome to join FRUCT in social networks

Remember to join our FRUCT groups in <u>vkontakte</u>, <u>facebook</u> and <u>linkedin</u> social networks!

#### About FRUCT

FRUCT is an open-innovation framework for strategic R&D cooperation between industry and universities. The program was established in 2007 by Nokia Research Center, Saint-Petersburg University of Airspace Instrumentation and University of Turku and has by now become the most significant and actively growing cooperation framework between leaders of ICT industry and universities in the Baltic region. The FRUCT principle is in removing cooperation entering thresholds by setting R&D projects run by students under direct joint tutoring of industrial and academic experts. The FRUCT activities are sponsored by Nokia and Nokia Siemens Networks.