

Welcome to 8th FRUCT conference and trainings

We welcome you to take part in the 8th FRUCT conference that will be held in Lappeenranta on November 9-12, 2010. The conference consists of 2,5 days of scientific and educational presentations and lectures, plus 3 hands-on trainings on MeeGo platform, Smart-M3 platform, and Platform Security. The conference program has been published (PDF, html). The conference and trainings are free of charge, but number of sits is limited and requires on-line registration at FRUCT web site (separate registration to the conference and trainings). For more information please visit the conference page: http://fruct.org/conference8 and follow us in twitter by the hashtag <u>#FRUCT8</u>.

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>.

Congratulations to the winner Qt contest in India

On behalf of the contest organizing committee and FRUCT we congratulate winner of FRUCT <u>Qt contest</u> <u>in India</u>: The Maemo-Muxic project (team Lepakshi.G.R, Sushma.N.M, Swati.R (SJCE, Mysore). We also would like to thank all contest participants for your efforts and good results. The list of contest works and the discussion are published <u>here</u>.

Welcome and comment new design of fruct.org

Design of the main web site of FRUCT program <u>http://fruct.org</u> got an updated design and new functionality. Please visit and tell us what you think!

New materials in Russian at meego.fruct.org

We are happy to present a series of articles about Qt development (in Russian) at <u>http://meego.fruct.org</u>.

Call for papers to 3rd Russian MeeGo conference

FRUCT is proud to announce the call for papers for the 3rd Russian MeeGo conference, which will take place in Moscow, Russia, on 23-25 February 2011. Further details and event registration are open at http://fruct.org/meego3.

Last days to apply to Web Ready Contest 2010

We invite you to become a participant of Web Ready Contest in the field of web technologies. The contest is organized by Ingria Business Incubator in two categories: "Best project on Seed stage" and "Best project on Startup stage". Application deadline is November 25, 2010. The official language is Russian. More information is available at www.web-ready.ru.

Partner events: check the upcoming deadlines

We have a few places at <u>FRUCT-partner events</u>, e.g. please check the <u>smart spaces section</u> at <u>BCFIC 2011</u> conference, where FRUCT has 4 registrations.

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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.