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**Conference Website:**

[www.icict.gov.eg](http://www.icict.gov.eg)

**ITI 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Information and  
Communication Technology (ICICT 2004)**

**“Multimedia Services and Underlying Network Infrastructure”**

**6, 7 December 2004, Cairo – EGYPT**

**Under the Auspices of H.E. Egypt Prime Minister**

ITI announces the Second International Conference on Information and Communication Technology (ICICT 2004). Aiming to bridge the gap among researchers in the IT field, ITI organizes an annual international conference for discussing various topics in Information and Communication Technology. This year's conference theme is "Multimedia Services and Underlying Network Infrastructure".

***Areas of Interest***

- \* Multimedia file format, and storage.
- \* Compression techniques for multimedia.
- \* Relay servers and content delivery networks.
- \* Streaming over QoS enabled networks.
- \* Streaming video in heterogeneous environment.
- \* Interactive satellite broadcast of multimedia signals.
- \* Optical switching of multimedia streams.
- \* Voice over Packet (VoIP, VoATM).
- \* Multimedia-based security (steganography).
- \* Protection of multimedia content (watermarking and IPR).
- \* Protocols for multimedia communication (RTP, XTP, streaming).
- \* Live streaming of multimedia signals on overlay networks.
- \* Multimedia traffic measurement, modeling, and characterization.
- \* Supporting multimedia services over wireless networks.
- \* Emerging applications and services offering real time media delivery.

***Important Dates***

- Complete Papers' Submission: EXTENDED TO: 23 / 7 / 2004**
- Notification of Papers' Acceptance: EXTENDED TO: 15 / 9 / 2004**
- Camera Ready Papers: 30 / 9 / 2004**
- Best Graduation Project Final Submission: 24 / 9 / 2004**
- Projects' Posters & Presentations Submission: 31 / 10 / 2004**

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