



Call for RAFNET Workshop Sponsorship



Through this invitation, we would like to take your kind attention to our RAFNET workshop (Research Advancements in Future Internet Architectures) entering in its 4th edition. We have been recently very active in collecting experts and young researchers to come and join us through various roles for bringing RAFNET to more mature and top tier venues. Currently, RAFNET is going to held in conjunction with the 87th IEEE Vehicular Technology Conference (VTC), 03-06 June, Porto, Portugal, 2018.

The theme of the IEEE Vehicular Technology Conference (VTC) is to provide a huge networking opportunity to the people from international and national academic and industrial community. Among the participants there will be decision makers, industrialist, professors and students who are the future professionals of the IT Industry.

RAFNET aims to bring together researchers working on particular areas of future internet architectures along with 5G implications, applications, such as smart cities, smart communities, smart automotive driving, etc. In the event, the authors will share their new ideas and findings that will help to shape the future technologies in their dominion.

Currently, we are seeking financial Sponsorship for our RAFNET workshop and we will have plan to use the financial support in three folded ways as follows:

- RAFNET Chair will need travel support to attend the meeting twice a year. That travel grant will include Conference Registration, Hotel, and Air Fare.
- One best paper award will be presented to the authors (500USD).
- We would also like to take one Invited Speaker from top tier universities or industry and would like to offer him/her travel support of airfare and hotel together with RAFNET chair.

This support will be instrumental for enhancing the quality of the workshop in one way or other. Here is worth noticing that recently, our RAFNET workshop got Technical co-sponsorship by IEEE Technical Committee on Big Data (TCBD) and we are negotiating with other technical societies.

To be precise, RAFNET workshop presents an excellent opportunity for you to have your company's brand and message in front of the world's leading researchers, professionals and future leaders in technology development. Benefits for the Sponsoring Party are as follows:

1. RAFNET will include a best paper award of USD 500 with Sponsoring Company logo and associated information on the certificate.
2. Company information related brochures will be available on the registration desk of the main conference and workshop room.
3. On site presence of Banners and posters of the sponsors will be available (e.g. at the main conference venue) and on the RAFNET website, social media, etc. These banners will carry logo and advertisement message of the sponsors.
4. In addition to the main conference venue, the RAFNET chair and invited speaker will assure the banner and poster of sponsoring company to be displayed in the departmental corridors of their affiliated Schools for 06 Months period.

For any queries and further discussions, please feel free to contact the RAFNET founding Chair Syed Hassan Ahmed or visit RAFNET website: <http://rafnetworkshop.wixsite.com/2018vtcspring>

Kind Regards,

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