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REQUIREMENTS FOR ROBOTS IN EDUCATION AND RESEARCH

The popularity of robots in educational scenarios is constantly rising. They are valuable tools which can be used in many different disciplines as demonstrators, in lab classes and as platforms for PhD research. Recently, the topic of educational robotics has been introduced at conferences and examples and applications have been reported. To provide suitable platforms for teaching and research, robotics need to know the requirements of educators for their specific needs. At universities these can be quite different to commercial applications with focus, for example, on flexibility, modularity, ease of use, and financial constraints.

For this session, we would like to invite papers, which focus on next or related topics:

- Examining the requirements of robots in different educational scenarios
- Reporting successful implementations that work well
- Giving directions on how to design appropriate platforms
- Application of robots in various subjects

IMPORTANT DATES:

January 15, 2004: Abstract due (submit through website indicated below, with e-mail to Session Chair. Be sure to begin the text of your abstract with the title of this session)
February 10, 2004: Notice of preliminary acceptance
March 15, 2004: Paper submission deadline
March 15, 2004: Early registration deadline (required for final acceptance of papers)
March 15, 2004: Deadline for authors’ registration to ensure publishing of submitted papers
April 15, 2004: Notice of final acceptance based on peer review (Registration fees will be refunded if papers are not accepted)


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