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FSCD Steering Committee Election 2020

Election statement

I considered RTA my home conference, regularly attended it, and organized its 2008 edition at RISC in Hagenberg. After merging RTA and TLCA, my enthusiasm extended to FSCD and I will be glad to contribute to its success.

My vision about FSCD is that it should be a forum where researchers from the rewriting and lambda calculus communities feel at home, present their best results, share ideas, initiate collaborations. If elected, I will work to keep the conference open both to the traditional topics and novel developments with a broader scope, ranging from foundations to applications, being a system- and formalization-friendly event, hosting a variety of specialized workshops, meetings, and tutorials. I think it is beneficial to collocate FSCD from time to time with deduction- or computation-oriented conferences such as e.g., CADE, IJCAR, ICFP, ISSAC, and some other related events.

Short bio and selected publications

I studied mathematics at Tbilisi State University (TSU), Georgia. After graduation, I worked as a junior researcher at the Institute of Applied Mathematics of TSU, and obtained a Candidate of Sciences degree. After that, I moved to Austria, to the Research Institute for Symbolic Computation (RISC) of the Johannes Kepler University Linz (JKU), where I earned a PhD (Dr. techn.) degree in 2002 and habilitation in 2011. Currently, I am a docent at JKU.

In the past 15 years, I have been involved in more than 60 PCs (among them in RTA, PPDP, LPAR); was a member of steering committees of SCSS (co-chair), MACIS, UNIF, PPDP; (co)organized more than 20 international scientific events (among them RTA, PPDP, LOPSTR, RISC Summer series); taught at several international schools, including ISR and ESSLLI.

At JKU, I have been responsible for research, teaching, and student advising on topics from the scope of FSCD. I selected the papers below to illustrate my research interests, related to those topics, such as unification, anti-unification, rule-based programming, lambda and pattern calculi, automated deduction, and symbolic computation.

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