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Dallas is proud to host the IEEE 62nd Vehicular Technology Society Conference, **VTC Fall 2005**.

The IEEE Vehicular Technology Society and its VTCs focus on wireless and mobility technologies enabling people worldwide to work, commute, tele-commute and communicate efficiently and profitably. I believe that the mission of this Society is deeply integrated in the mission of a "global village" in the 21st century.

VTC Fall 2005 will be held September 25-28, 2005 at the Intercontinental Hotel in Addison, Texas. We are scheduling over 750 international participants to present both technical and applications-based papers in over 15 specialty areas of mobility technology. Six plenary keynote addresses, an Awards Luncheon, exhibit booths, and tutorials are additional highlights.

Dallas has been the location of the most successful conferences of the IEEE societies largely because of 1) the quality of the program, and 2) the outstanding support that local industry has always provided to the conferences. Local companies have encouraged its engineers to participate as volunteers, attendees, and paper contributors. The conferences have also benefited from the monetary support contributed by these companies as Patrons of the conference.

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The technological downturn is behind us. I believe it is time to again focus on supporting the dedicated organization of IEEE. I urge you to support VTC Fall 2005 by providing volunteers to the conference and also by becoming a Patron or Exhibitor.

The details of the Patron/Exhibitor Program are attached. Levels of support are modest: \$15K for large established companies, and a low \$1K for start-up organizations. The various benefits for each level of participation are described in the attachment. Please write Exhibitor and Patron checks to "IEEE VTC Fall 2005" and mail to: IEEE VTC Fall 2005, 4124 Mildenhall Drive, Plano, Texas 75093.

Contact me or Murali Iyengar, miyengar@axestech.com, Patron and Exhibits Chair, for further information or to answer any questions that you may have. You may also visit the conference website at www.vtc2005fall.org for details on the conference.

Very truly yours,

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