Call for Papers

Special Section on Frontier of Thin-Film Transistor Technology

The IEICE (Institute of Electronics, Information and Communication Engineers) Transactions on Electronics announce a Special Section on "Frontier of Thin-Film Transistor Technology" to be published in **Oct. 2010**. While thin-film transistor (TFT) using silicon thin films has been driving the development of flat panel displays such as liquid crystal monitors and televisions, new materials such as printable organic semiconductors and transparent oxide semiconductors have been brought into TFT material and attracting a great deal of attention because they are expected to open new application fields such as flexible electronics. The purpose of this Special Section is to bring together information and knowledge of advanced TFT technology of various materials and applications. Your contribution is strongly encouraged.

1. Scope

Contributions are solicited in the following areas (but are not limited to these areas):

- *Thin film formation of silicon, organic semiconductor, and oxide semiconductors and TFT application
- *New TFT structures *TFT process technology *TFT circuit technology *Modeling of TFT
- *TFT memories *Sensor application of TFT *RF application of TFT
- *Flexible Electronics *Ambient Electronics *New materials for TFT devices

2. Submission Instructions

The deadline for submission is <u>March 5, 2010</u>. This special section will accept only papers by electronic submission. Prospective authors are requested to follow the following steps:

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