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Preface

It is our great pleasure to present the Ph.D. Workshop of the 22nd IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering. The goal of the Workshop is to introduce Ph.D. students to the research community and to foster the exchange of ideas in a constructive and congenial atmosphere.

The Workshop program includes paper presentations and panel discussions. We received a total of 28 papers on current and emerging topics being pursued by Ph.D. researchers from over a dozen countries around the world. After a careful review by a program committee primarily composed of junior faculty, we selected the 13 best for presentation.

The panel discussions will cover topics ranging from research directions to what to expect upon graduating, and will include program committee members, visiting scholars and invited guests.

We would like to thank the program committee, the reviewers, and the organizers of ICDE 2006. But most of all, we wish the PhD. students a bright career ahead and hope that the interaction they will receive at the Workshop and the ICDE 2006 conference will be a stimulating and rewarding one.

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