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(ISS2006) 開催迫る！

[開催日] 2006 年 7 月 18 日 (火) ~ 7 月 20 日 (木)

[会場] アルカディア市ヶ谷 私学会館  
(詳細は 2 頁に記載)

[共催] 日本機械学会生産システム部門,  
スケジューリング学会

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#### [ISS2006 の主旨]

最近のスケジューリング理論の進歩およ  
び生産現場での実践技術の進展は目覚しい  
ものがあります。特に、近年のグローバリ  
ゼーション、メガコンペティション（大競  
争）時代においては、企業の存続・発展の  
ためのキーテクノロジーとしての戦略的ス  
ケジューリングの重要性は高まる一方です。

また、IT 革命に伴い、SCM・APS・TOC など  
のスケジューリングの方法論や理論が話題  
となっています。

このような状況のもとで、このシンポジ  
ウムは、日本国内と諸外国のスケジューリ  
ング研究者が一堂に会し、活発な討論を通  
じて、相互の交流を深める場として企画さ  
れました。第 1 回は、2002 年に浜名湖で、  
第 2 回は 2004 年に淡路島で、両シンポジウ  
ム共に多数の方にご参加いただき、盛況の  
内に幕を閉じました。今回が第 3 回です。本  
シンポジウムでも、活発な討論を通じて、  
戦略的スケジューリングの新たな技術が創  
発されることを期待しています。多数の皆  
様の積極的なご参加をお願いいたします。

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#### [関連分野]

スケジューリング理論 / 実践スケジュー  
リング技術 / スケジューリング適用事例 /  
最適化法 / 評価法 / APS / SCM / ERP / JIT /  
TOC / プランニング / コンカレントエンジ  
ニアリングなど、スケジューリングに関連  
する全テーマ

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#### [参加費]

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その他 50,000 円  
学生 20,000 円

\* 以上は、1冊の講演論文集、懇親会代、  
コーヒープレイクを含みます。

\* なお、最終日7月20日(木)11:20～  
12:20のPeter Brucker氏による招待  
講演は、どなたでも無料で聴講頂けます。

Peter Brucker氏は、スケジューリン  
グに関する標準的な教科書を書かれて  
いる著名な方です。スケジューリングに  
興味のある学生の方など、多数の皆様  
のご参加をお待ちしております。

#### [参加登録]

1) 参加登録フォームは

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から利用できます。

2) 参加登録の締切りは2006年7月10日  
(月)です。

3) 事前参加登録の締め切りは2006年5月  
31日(水)でした。

著者(もしくは少なくとも1人の共  
著者)が2006年5月31日までに事前参  
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## ISS2006 Program

**Tuesday, July 18**

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**13:00--13:30**  
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**Opening session**

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**13:30--14:30**  
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**Keynote speech**

[K1] Gate scheduling at airports  
Ulrich Dorndorf and Erwin Pesch

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**14:40--15:40**  
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**Technical session 1A: Combinatorial optimization**

[1A1] Scheduling of corrugated paper production  
Kazuki Matsumoto, Hiroyoshi Miwa and Toshihide Ibaraki

[1A2] An improved approximation algorithm for capacitated multicast routings  
in networks  
Ehab Morsy and Hiroshi Nagamochi

**Technical session 1B: Manufacturing systems**

[1B1] A study on integrated process planning and scheduling system for  
holonic manufacturing systems --- Modification of process plans ---  
Nobuhiro Sugimura, Rajesh Shrestha, Yoshitaka Tanimizu  
and Koji Iwamura

[1B2] Life analysis of modules reuse for circulation production  
Yong Ji, Hirohisa Narita, Lian-yi Chen and Hideo Fujimoto

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**16:10--17:40**  
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**Technical session 2A: Application and practice 1**

[2A1] Sedan shift scheduling model  
Yihua Li

[2A2] Subcontractors scheduling on residential buildings construction sites  
Thierry Benoist, Antoine Jeanjean, Guillaume Rochart,

Hadrien Cambazard, Emilie Grellier and Narendra Jussien

[2A3] Development of a shipbuilding scheduling system utilizing a weighted constraint satisfaction problem solver

Takuya Nishimura, Yukihiro Nakama, Masayasu Matsuda and Yuki Makino

**Technical session 2B: Vehicle scheduling and communication**

[2B1] A DP-based heuristic algorithm for the discrete split delivery vehicle routing problem

Yoshitaka Nakao and Hiroshi Nagamochi

[2B2] Hierarchical approach with informational feedback for pickup and delivery problems

Kazutoshi Sakakibara, Manabu Noishiki, Shinya Watanabe, Hisashi Tamaki and Ikuko Nishikawa

[2B3] A novel design aid for scheduling policy toward seamless future-oriented land vehicle satellite communications

Masato Takahashi

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**18:00--19:30**

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**Reception**

**Wednesday, July 19**

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**9:00--10:00**

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**Technical session 3A: Scheduling under uncertainty 1**

[3A1] Dynamic robust set of approximate nondominated solutions under scenarios  
Hiroyuki Nagasawa, Masahide Kawasaki and Kazuko Morizawa

[3A2] Online rescheduling in semiconductor manufacturing

Mingang Cheng, Masao Sugi, Jun Ota, Masashi Yamamoto, Hiroki Ito and Kazuyoshi Inoue

**Technical session 3B: Virtual factory**

[3B1] A basic study on cost based lot sizing --- Experiments with distributed virtual factory ---

Kentaro Sashio, Susumu Fujii, Toshiya Kaihara and Shinya Inao

[3B2] Manufacturing cell simulation environment synchronising real equipment and virtual factory model

Toshihiro Inukai, Hironori Hibino and Yoshiro Fukuda

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**10:10--11:10**  
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**Technical session 4A: Scheduling under uncertainty 2**

[4A1] Robust scheduling under uncertainty in processing time  
Keisuke Murakami and Hiroshi Morita

[4A2] A formal model for reactive scheduling problems  
Satoshi Sugikawa, Haruhiko Suwa and Hisashi Tamaki

**Technical session 4B: Genetic algorithm and Agent based-system**

[4B1] Development of new encoding method for the complex production systems  
Al-Momani Abd Al-Rahman, Jaber E. Abu Qudeiri and Hidehiko Yamamoto

[4B2] Work scheduling by use of worker model in consideration of  
learning by on-the-job training  
Toshitake Tateno and Keiko Shimizu

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**11:40--12:40**  
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**Keynote speech**

[K2] Production scheduling to decrease transportation costs  
Kathryn E. Stecké

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**14:10--15:40**  
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**Technical session 5A: Application and practice 2**

[5A1] Supply chain management of the iron and steel industry  
Mitsushige Shiota

[5A2] Simultaneous optimization of storage allocation and routing problems  
for belt-conveyor transportation  
Masatoshi Ago, Masami Konishi and Tatsushi Nishi

[5A3] Genetic algorithm with reduction of search space using operational  
constraints and its application to scheduling system for steelmaking  
process  
Satoshi Fujii, Shinji Tomiyama and Ryosuke Kimura

**Technical session 5B: Packing problem**

[5B1] A guided local search algorithm based on a fast neighborhood search

for the irregular strip packing problem  
Shunji Umetani, Mutsunori Yagiura, Takashi Imamichi, Shinji Imahori,  
Koji Nonobe and Toshihide Ibaraki

[5B2] An iterated local search algorithm based on nonlinear programming for  
the irregular strip packing problem  
Takashi Imamichi, Mutsunori Yagiura and Hiroshi Nagamochi

[5B3] Learning human skills instead of solving optimisation problems:  
A packing problem example  
Blagovest Vladimirov, Hiromi Mochiyama and Hideo Fujimoto

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**16:10--17:40**  
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**Technical session 6A: Machine and shop scheduling 1**

[6A1] Scheduling in a two-machine flowshop for the minimization of the sum  
of absolute deviations from a common due date  
Celso Satoshi Sakuraba and Debora P. Ronconi

[6A2] A branch-and-bound algorithm based on Lagrangian relaxation for  
single-machine scheduling  
Shunji Tanaka, Shuji Fujikuma and Mituhiko Araki

**Technical session 6B: General model for scheduling and assignment problem**

[6B1] Decomposition of Petri nets for solving general scheduling problems  
Tatsushi Nishi, Ryota Maeno and Masami Konishi

[6B2] An iterated local search algorithm for the multi-resource generalized  
assignment problem with flexible assignment cost  
Toshihide Ibaraki, Akihiro Ishikawa, Hiroshi Nagamochi,  
Koji Nonobe and Mutsunori Yagiura

[6B3] A unified modeling and solution principle for fine scheduling  
Kenji Muramatsu

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**18:00--19:30**  
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**Banquet**

**Thursday, July 20**

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**9:00--10:00**  
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**Technical session 7A: Machine and shop scheduling 2**

[7A1] Real-time machine scheduling with variable durations  
Yihua Li

[7A2] A heuristic scheduling algorithm for multi-stage job-shop process  
with crane handling  
Takashi Tanizaki, Takayoshi Tamura, Hideaki Sakai,  
Yutaka Takahashi and Taichi Imai

**Technical session 7B: Supply chain**

[7B1] Evolutional optimization on material ordering and inventory control of  
supply chain through incentive scheme  
Kanit Prasertwattana, Yoshiaki Shimizu and Navee Chiadamrong

[7B2] Proposal of collaboration in supply chain for implementing  
mass customization  
Shimpei Matsumoto, Nobuyuki Ueno, Koji Okuhara and Hiroaki Ishii

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**10:10--11:10**  
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**Technical session 8A: Production control**

[8A1] Multiagent based production control to prevent capacity loss during failures  
Rajesh Gautam and Kazuo Miyashita

[8A2] Base stock policy in a join-type production line with advanced  
demand information  
Mikihiko Hiraiwa, Satoshi Tsubouchi and Koichi Nakade

**Technical session 8B: Customer orientation**

[8B1] Production planning system for implementing mass customization  
by using particle swarm optimization  
Eri Domoto, Koji Okuhara, Nobuyuki Ueno and Hiroaki Ishii

[8B2] Proposed method for recommending goods using a mathematical  
planning model  
Masahiko Ishino, Naokazu Yamaki, Teruhisa Ichikawa and Tadanori Mizuno

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**11:20--12:20**  
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**Keynote speech**

[K3] Cyclic machine scheduling: A general framework  
Peter Brucker and Thomas Kampmeyer

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**12:20--12:30**  
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**Closing session**

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## **Keynote Speech**

**Tuesday, July 18, 13:30-14:30**

### **Gate Scheduling at Airports**

**Ulrich Dorndorf\* and Erwin Pesch\*\***

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**Abstract:** Flight-gate scheduling is concerned with finding an assignment of flights to terminal or ramp positions, called gates, and an assignment of the start and completion times of the processing of a flight at its position. A good assignment may reduce the number of aircraft tows required and may lead to reduced setup times for several ground service activities on the ramp as well as in the terminal.

The key idea behind the model presented here is to look at the problem as a modified multi-mode resource-constrained project scheduling problem with a multi-criteria objective function. The most important goals are the maximization of a total flight-gate preference value and the minimization of the number of tows. The basic optimization algorithm is a truncated branch-and-bound procedure that branches over gate assignments and the disjunctive constraints used to model the capacity restrictions of the disjunctive resources (gates). The algorithm uses constraint propagation techniques to reduce the search space. To cope with large practical problems within the order of magnitude of thousand flights per day, the problem is decomposed into loosely coupled subproblems using a new generic problem partitioning technique. The subproblems are used within a layered branch-and-bound approach: The search tree is conceptually split into layers that correspond to the subproblems. In each layer, only decision variables of the current subproblem are selected for branching; limited backtracking is performed within the current layer before proceeding to the next layer. Initial solutions obtained in this way are iteratively improved using a Large Neighbourhood Search technique that relaxes some of the decisions and uses the branch-and-bound algorithm to reform the relaxed part of the solution at a lower cost. The model and algorithm have been evaluated using small manually designed test cases as well as two weeks of a real-life flight schedule from a large international airport. A comparison of the computational results with a rule based approach, as often used in commercial systems, shows that the algorithm greatly improves the solution quality.

**Wednesday, July 19, 11:40-12:40**

### **Production Scheduling to Decrease Transportation Costs**

**Kathryn E. Steck**

**School of Management, University of Texas at Dallas, USA.**

**Abstract:** When make-to-order manufacturing company adopts a commit-to-delivery business mode, it commits a delivery due date for an order and is responsible for the shipping cost. Without loss of generality, we consider that transportation is done by a third party logistics company such as FedEx or UPS, which provides multiple shipping modes such as overnight, one-day, two-day delivery, and more. When the transportation time has to be short, clearly shipping cost is more expen-



sive than it could have been. How should a company schedule production for all accepted orders so that the company can leave enough transportation time for orders to take slow shipping modes to reduce the shipping cost? We study this problem of integrating the production and transportation functions for a manufacturing company producing a variety of customized products in a make-to-order environment with a commit-to-delivery mode of business.

Various realistic scenarios are investigated, in increasing order of complexity. When partial delivery is allowed by customers, we provide both an MIP model and a minimum cost flow model. We show that nonpreemptive EDD production schedules are optimal when partial delivery is allowed and shipping cost is a decreasing convex function with transportation time. When partial delivery is not allowed, we develop an MIP model and prove that the problem is NP-hard. An efficient heuristic algorithm with polynomial computation time is provided for the NP-hard problem. It gives near-optimal production schedules, as shown via many numerical experiments. We also provide models and analysis for order scenarios where shipping cost accounts for customer locations and quantity discounts.

**Thursday, July 20, 11:20-12:20**

### **Cyclic Machine Scheduling: A General Framework**

**Peter Brucker and Thomas Kampmeyer**  
**University of Osnabrueck, Germany**

**Abstract:** Cyclic versions of job-shop (or flow-shop) scheduling problems with special features like positive and negative time-lags or blocking and non-blocking situations are considered. Furthermore, transportation may be taken into account. The objective is to minimize the cycle time. The model covers different cyclic versions of the job-shop problem found in the literature, robotic cell problems, and the single hoist scheduling problem. It is shown that all these problems can be formulated as mixed integer linear programs which have a common structure. Small instances are solved with CPLEX. For larger instances tabu search procedures have been developed. The same concepts can be used to solve cyclic scheduling problems with identical parallel machines and tool transportation between the machines, and computer pipelining problems.

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なお、最終日7月20日(木)11:20~12:20のPeter Brucker氏による招待講演は、どなたでも無料で聴講頂けます。

Peter Brucker氏は、スケジューリングに関する標準的な教科書を書かれている著名な方です。スケジューリングに興味のある学生の方など、多数の皆様のご参加をお待ちしております。

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