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Since 2011, he regularly joins different IARIA conferences like DBKDA, eKNOW, SECUREWARE and MOPAS. Together with his co-authors he received four best paper awards so far (DBKDA 2012 & 2013, SECUREWARE 2011, eKNOW 2012) and an additional invitation to submit an extended version of their DBKDA 2011 paper in the IARIA Journal "Advances in Software". At the DBKDA 2013 conference in Seville/Spain, he has given the keynote talk ("About Bitmap Indexes"), participated as a panelist about the "Quality of Non-structured Data" at DBKDA 2012 and moderated the MMEDIA/MOPAS 2013 panel about "Progress in Description and Retrieval of Complex Multimedia Information" in Venice/Italy. Furthermore he serves as conference chair/editor for the MOPAS 2013 conference. Additionally he is a member of the technical program committee for the DBKDA conference series.