PhD Positions in Mobile and Social Computing available @ Dalian Univ. of Tech., China

The Phone Lab (formerly cyber-physical systems research group) at School of Software, Dalian University of Technology (DUT) conducts interdisciplinary, application-driven academic research in cyber-physical, mobile, and social computing. Our research focus is on enabling technologies, including networking protocols, computing algorithms, and software platforms, for building applications and services that bridge the Cyber, Physical, and Social Worlds.

We are opening 2 PhD student positions in mobile and social computing. All positions will be coupled to full Government scholarships. Basic living allowance will be 2,000 RMB/month, plus Comprehensive Medical Insurance and Benefit. The scholarships are exempt from registration fee, tuition, and fee for basic learning materials. Accommodation on campus will be provided for free. The University will offer excellent working conditions.

Supervisor: Associate Professor Feng XIA
Working location: Dalian University of Technology @ Dalian, China
Starting date: September 2012
PhD duration: 3-4 years

Qualifications
1. Applicants must be non-Chinese citizens in good health.
2. Applicants must be students who study in foreign countries.
3. Applicants shall have a master's degree in related discipline.
4. Applicants must be under the age of 40.
5. A good command of the English language (in speaking and in writing) is required.

Application procedure
Before submitting the full application (to the University), each potential applicant should first send an initial application via email to Dr. Feng Xia (f.xia@ieee.org). The application should include a detailed CV (including email addresses of two referees), a brief statement of research experience and interests, and two best scientific documents/publications written by yourself (in English). The deadline for applications is 8 February 2012. Only a few candidates will be shortlisted for full application. Interested applicants are highly encouraged to submit their applications as soon as possible.

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