



## Second International Conference on

## Secure Communication and the Internet

“ Threats and Challenges in an Open Environment ”

27 – 29 December, Cairo, EGYPT

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The **National Telecommunication Institute (NTI)** of the Ministry of Telecommunications and Information Technology in Egypt is organizing the second conference on “ **Secure Communication and the Internet** ” (**SeCi2004**) in Cairo during the period 27 – 29 December 2004 . The conference theme is “ Threats and Challenges in an open Environment ” . The topics covered by the conference include but are not limited to :

- 1 – Web-based technologies for application security (SOAP, LDAP, ... , etc)
- 2 – Wireless network security (LAN, WAN) .
- 3 – Intrusion detection systems .
- 4 – Elliptic curve cryptography .
- 5 – Automation of formal verification .
- 6 – Smart card-based applications .
- 7 – Watermarking/IPR .
- 8 – Techniques for authentication and authorization .

### Important Dates :

1 <sup>st</sup> call for papers	31 January 2004
2 <sup>nd</sup> call for papers	15 April 2004
Submission deadline	15 August 2004
Notification of Acceptance	1 October 2004
Camera Ready Manuscript	15 October 2004
Conference	27 - 29 December 2004

### Paper Submission :

Detailed instructions are found on the conference website .

### Registration Fees :

The fees will cover a hard copy and CD of the conference proceedings , coffee breaks and launches during the conference days at the following rates :  
US \$ 500 with an additional US \$ 50 for every page exceeding the allowable 12 pages .

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