

## Network Action Proposal

Title:	<b>International Symposium on Imitation in Animals and Artifacts</b>  <a href="http://vislab.isr.ist.utl.pt/aisb07_imitation/">http://vislab.isr.ist.utl.pt/aisb07_imitation/</a>
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Goals of the action	Interdisciplinary workshop about imitation learning in natural and artificial systems.
Principal activity to which it contributes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Community Outreach</li> <li>○ Scientific Outlook</li> <li>○ Education &amp; Training</li> </ul>	Scientific Outlook
Concrete outcomes of the action (at least one of which should be material suitable for publication on the euCognition website)	Workshop proceedings  Collection of imitation videos  A subsequent special issue in a journal is currently being considered.
Effort in person-days that will be charged to the Network Action (if any)	-
Expected start and duration in months	April 2nd-5th 2007
The requested funding, under the following headings:  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Travel Costs</li> <li>○ Other Costs (check with the Network Coordinator if you aren't sure about eligibility of these costs)</li> <li>○ Labour Costs (identify the number of person-days and the rate per day).</li> </ul>	<p><b>Invited Speakers (2 persons)</b></p> <p>Travel cost: 500 (per person)  Subsistence: 2*150 (per person)  Conference fee: 300 (per person)</p> <p>Total: €2200</p> <p><b>Student Travel Grants (5 persons)</b></p> <p>Travel cost: 400 (per person)</p> <p>Total: €2000</p> <hr style="width: 50%; margin-left: 0;"/> <p><b>TOTAL: €4200</b></p>
Please identify any other sources of funding that contribute to this Action (actions to support events such as workshop and conferences should include an outline budget identifying the total cost)	<p>In this conference series all expenses (conference hall, equipment, registration and printing of the proceedings) are supported by AISB with the registration fees.</p> <p>At each workshop everyone must pay the registration fee (including invited speakers and organizing committee).</p> <p>The expenses for the workshop are:</p> <p>Travel cost, subsistence and conference fees for the invited speakers.</p>

### **Student Travel Grants**

To apply for the travel grants, students will have to submit one-page summary of their research plan and a CV. The selection will be based on their quality and on the overlap with topics of interest for the workshop.