## **EMBODIED INTELLIGENCE Summer School**

September 20-24, 2010 Livorno Italy

http://www.octopusproject.eu/summerschool.html



### **DESCRIPTION OF THE ACTIVITIES**

# **EMBODY<sup>I</sup> Students Booklet**

(Prior to the beginning of the School)

<u>Prior to the beginning</u> of the School, every student should send by mail (to: l.margheri@sssup.it) a <u>picture</u> (.jpg, .bmp) and a <u>brief description</u> (5-10 lines) of his/her <u>personal research activity</u> and his/her <u>contact information</u>.

The description of the activities should include the personal work and contribution to the contest of the EMBODY<sup>i</sup> Project in which he/she is involved in. The description of the activities, along with the contact information, will be published in the booklet of the School for future reference.

# **EMBODY**<sup>I</sup> Projects Students Presentation

During the first day of the School, a Session dedicated to the EMBODY<sup>i</sup> Projects is planned, including a brief presentation of each one of the projects and a group discussion.

Each Project (OCTOPUS, ANGELS, EMORPH, EVRYON, LOCOMORPH, VIACTORS) will be illustrated by one representative of the project itself.

Each presentation (5 minutes long) should explain the aims and the progress of the project, by focusing on the concepts and principles of the Embodied Intelligence.

# **EMBODY<sup>I</sup> Projects Group Discussion**

After the presentations, one hour will be devoted to a roundtable-like discussion together with the Professors and senior staff. This will concern the outline of the EMBODY<sup>i</sup> Projects and their implications upon the theories of Embodied Intelligence.

#### STUDENTS POSTER SESSION

All the participants should prepare a personal POSTER (A1 format) describing his/her own research activity. The Poster should describe the research activity of each student and how this relates to the concept of Embodied Intelligence. It is desirable that Poster includes information concerning who may represent the most suitable partner for future collaboration. Alternatively, the requirements that a potential partner should satisfy for a future collaboration should highlighted. The aims of the Poster Sessions are to share together the knowledge, to inform the students from different countries and universities about the current topics related to Embodied Intelligence, and to inspire thinking about new ideas and projects. Finally, it is an occasion to get to know each other in order to foster future collaborations and networking.

<u>Note 1</u>: every participant should print the own poster and arrive with the poster ready for exhibit <u>Note 2</u>: the School entails three Poster Sessions: you will be informed in which session you have to present your poster during the registration.