Preface

Established in 1990, the Pacific Rim International Conference on Artificial Intelligence (PRICAI) is a series of biennial international events which concentrate research on AI theories, technologies, and their applications among Pacific Rim countries. As a major conference in the AI field, scholars and researchers biannually participate to exchange their ideas. This year in the PRICAI 2016 conference, a number of workshops were arranged to bring together researchers of various backgrounds to present, discuss, and explore the state of applying information technology in various aspects of learning. The volume contains the material published for the workshops held with the 14th Pacific Rim International Conference on Artificial Intelligence (August 22–26, 2016, in Phuket, Thailand, http://aiat.in.th/pricai2016/).

We accepted six workshop proposals with the goal of exploring specific issues across various themes. Each paper in these proceedings was peer-reviewed by international reviewers to ensure the highest quality work. Among 46 submitted papers, 36 are accepted to be presented at the workshops, of which 23 were regular papers and 13 short papers. After an intense discussion during the workshops, we selected 16 high-quality papers (34% of the 46 submitted papers) for this volume.

Finally, we would like to thank the Pacific Rim International Conference on Artificial Intelligence (PRICAI 2016) Executive Committees and program co-chairs for entrusting us with the important task of chairing the workshop program, thus giving us an opportunity to grow through this valuable academic learning experience. We also would like to thanks all workshop co-chairs for their tremendous and excellence work.

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