**Call for Participation**

GlobusWORLD 2011 will be held April 11-13, at Argonne (near Chicago, IL). Co-located with the Cloud Computing and its Applications 2011 Conference (CCA-11), GlobusWORLD comprises two and a half days of presentations, tutorials, and networking opportunities related to the Globus software ecosystem. Building on the success of last year’s event and the launch of Globus Online at SC10 in New Orleans last November, GlobusWORLD 2011 will feature new user success stories, expanded software-as-a-service capabilities in Globus Online, updates on Globus Toolkit development, and sneak peeks into planned features.

The GlobusWORLD 2011 program offers keynote talks by Globus leaders and presentations of innovative Globus-based infrastructure and applications by users and community leaders. A day of tutorials after the conference provides participants an opportunity for hands-on interaction with current Globus technologies and in-depth discussions of selected topics.

There are multiple opportunities for participation and we are currently soliciting proposals for presentations and posters. Submissions should be centered on Globus applications and development of related technologies, with emphasis on unique capabilities and value delivered to researchers and other end users. In addition to this call for participation, we will host a number of engaging events where participants may compete for prizes and recognition – stay tuned!

**Key Deadlines**

Conference Registration Opens – February 10, 2011
Abstract submission deadline – March 14, 2011
Acceptance Notification – March 21, 2011
Presentation slides due – April 1, 2011

*Please submit all proposals and questions to gw2011@globusworld.org*
Submission Guidelines

Abstract Guidelines
All submissions must include an abstract of no more than 500 words. Abstracts should be written so as to be self-contained and to provide the technical substance required for the program committee to evaluate the session’s contribution to the Globus community. If the presentation was given at another conference, please note the name, date, and location of the event in the submission. Abstracts for accepted submissions will be published on the GlobusWORLD website and in other conference material.

Presentations
Presentation proposals may be submitted for individual time slots ranging from fifteen minutes to one-hour hour in length. Please be sure to allow adequate time for Q&A within the allotted time. Presentations may be grouped with presentations on related topics in order to fill an entire session. The submission must state both the preferred and acceptable durations of the presentation. Opportunities are available to present in the following categories:

- **User Success Stories**: Research breakthroughs and significant results made possible, in part, by the creative application of Globus technology.
- **Community Updates**: Creative uses of Globus within distributed research communities.
- **Developer Innovations**: New technologies based on, or extensions to, Globus software.

Posters
We are also soliciting proposals for poster presentations at a joint poster session with CCA’11. GlobusWORLD poster content describing original work in any area that involves the research, development, and application of Globus software is encouraged. Posters will be on display throughout the week but at least one author must be present during the poster session held the afternoon/evening of April 12, 2011. Poster submissions should also contain a brief description of the intended physical layout of the poster.

Globus Online Application Contest
At this year’s conference we will be rewarding interesting and unique applications of Globus Online. We encourage you to enter the contest by submitting a short description of how Globus Online features are incorporated into your work and why you believe your use of Globus Online stands out from the norm. The most innovative application will win a prize and complimentary attendance at the next GlobusWORLD conference.