



Welcome to Geneva and TimeNav'07

It is with great pleasure that we unite the time-frequency and navigation-positioning communities under one roof for the first time. There is much to discuss and plenty of new ideas to exchange among scientists.

The future of Galileo is making headlines. Other satellite navigation systems are emerging and established ones are modernising. We are on the verge of a wireless revolution that will profoundly affect all who have positioning needs – emergency services, aviation, car manufacturers, personal navigation – just to name a few broad groups.

And where would positioning be without the time and frequency community? From the days of the earliest mariners, navigators have depended on reliable timing. This link has never been stronger than now as we strive to achieve timing accuracies to reach cm-level positioning. Ultra precise clock networks with highly accurate synchronisation (better than 10^{-15}) will be necessary to achieve such performances!

We're looking forward to an interesting conference.

Welcome to TimeNav'07 !

TimeNav'07 Local Organising Committee

