## International Ubiquitous Computing Symposium

Ubiquitous Computing at Home and in the Office

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## **Ubiquity**

- A Continuing Trend Since 1960's
- Computing and Communications are Joined at the Hip
- Hardware and Software Evolution Supports Trend
- Pubic Demand and Acceptance is Growing
- Korea is Perfectly Positioned Due to Unique Forces

# **Deployed (Isolated) Ubiquity**

- Home
- Office
- Battlefield

#### **Enabling Technologies**

- Nanotechnology
- MEMS
- \* SoC
- Conductive Textiles
- Sensors
- RFID
- Wireless Deployments
- Info Appliances
  - Cell Phones
  - PDAs
  - Tablets
  - WPC
- Robotics
- AI and Knowledge Management

**Future Ubiquity** 

- Intelligent Home
- Intelligent Office
- Intelligent Battlefield
- Intelligent Transportation

# **Barriers to Ubiquity**

- Wireless Deployment
- Perceived "Cost" of Information Appliance
- Form Factor of User Supported Information Appliance
- Electronic "Tower of Babel"
- Existing Infrastructure and "Standards"
- Human Factors and Ergonomics
- Privacy vs. Security Trade-off
- Digital Divide

**Conclusions and Predictions**