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- The Eighth International Conference on Digital Information Management (ICDIM 2013)
- The Fifth International Conference on the Applications of Digital Information and Web Technologies (ICADIWT 2013)

Editorial

In the first paper on **Multi-hop Wireless Multicast Broadcast Services Using ANCR**, the authors Yuvaraj and Kalai Selvi have addressed *multi-hop* wireless broadcast service for Adaptive network coding retransmission. They presented simulation results proposed scheme almost achieves the bandwidth efficiency performance that could be obtained by the optimal selection between the ONCR and FNCR schemes.

Information Technology applications are pervading all spheres of the society. We need to document the applications interms of research and its impact. One such exercise is done by Alassane Diop, and Antoine Goundjo in their paper on **MapClim System: Early Warning Mechanisms to Climate Change in Africa.** Weather changes and their assessment needs good amount of information technology applications. They developed MapClim, an open source system of access intended for the collection, systematic monitoring and diffusion of the weather related data. Their work on MapClim presented the results of effects of the climate change in West Africa.

The final paper is a classical review of phishing. Phishing is an important issue to be investigated. The society is prone to many security threats and counter measures are essential to protect the society. The authors in their paper on **Phishing Counter Measures and their Effectiveness** have presented a most comprehensive state of the art review of the phising issues.

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