Editorial

We now bring the first issue of the twelfth volume of the International Journal of Web Applications. This issue has the below described research.

Zeineb Ben Yahya, Farah Barika Ktata and Khaled Ghedira in their opening paper on “Cloud MA-MOrBAC: A Cloud Distributed Access Control Model Based on Mobile Agents” viewed that the cloud computing in the recent years lead to scalable access to applications, resources and services. Realizing this fact the authors have presented a novel access control model using the technology of mobile agents for cloud computing to meet the distributed access control requirements. This model enables to protect the sensitive data of cloud service consumers, to guarantee the availability of cloud service providers’ as well as the confidentiality and integrity of customers’ data and to secure sharing resources.

Gomathy in her paper on “The Defacto Issues in the Online Surveys” presented a survey of online survey tools with less comprehensiveness. She viewed that the prime responsibility of an organization is to store the online surveying features in a secured manner way. She has discussed the various applications available for online survey generation.

In the last paper on “Does Digital Books Based Android Device Application Matter for Effective Distance Learning? A Lesson from Universitas Terbuka Indonesia” the author Yasir Riady created the learning material based on Android device application. It is a new platform in distance education system and in line with the increase usage of smart phones. The author has found that the application of Android Based Digital Teaching Materials is really helped students at the studied university in Indonesia to understand and comprehend materials for online learning, face to face tutorial and also final examination.

Hope the published papers will generate more institution for further research.

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