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The aim of the International Workshop on Databases, Information
 Systems and P2P Computing was to explore the promise of P2P to offer
 exciting new possibilities in distributed information processing and
 database technologies. The realization of this promise lies
 fundamentally in the availability of enhanced services such as
 structured ways for classifying and registering shared information,
 verification and certification of information, content distributed schemes and
 quality of content, security features, information discovery and
 accessibility, interoperation and composition of active information
 services, and finally market-based mechanisms to allow cooperative
 and noncooperative information exchanges. The P2P paradigm lends
 itself to constructing large-scale, complex, adaptive, autonomous and
 heterogeneous database and information systems, endowed with
 clearly specified and differential capabilities to negotiate, bargain,
 coordinate and self-organize the information exchanges in large-scale
 networks. This vision will have a radical impact on the structure of
 complex organizations (business, scientific or otherwise) and on the
 emergence and the formation of social communities, and on how the
 information is organized and processed. The P2P information paradigm
 naturally encompasses static and wireless connectivity and static and
 mobile architectures. Wireless connectivity combined with the
 increasingly small and powerful mobile devices and sensors poses new
 challenges as well as opportunities to the database community.
 Information becomes ubiquitous, highly distributed and accessible
 anywhere and at any time over highly dynamic, unstable networks with
 very severe constraints on the information management and processing
 capabilities.

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On the 40th anniversary of the Berezinskii-Kosterlitz-Thouless Theory (BKT), this informative volume looks back at some of the developments and achievements and varied physics applications which ensued from the beautiful BKT vortex-unbinding seminal idea. During the last four decades, BKT theory, which is undeniably one of the most important developments in condensed matter and theoretical physics of the second half of the twentieth century, has expanded widely. It has been used and extended from many different theoretical and experimental perspectives. New and unexpected features have been unc