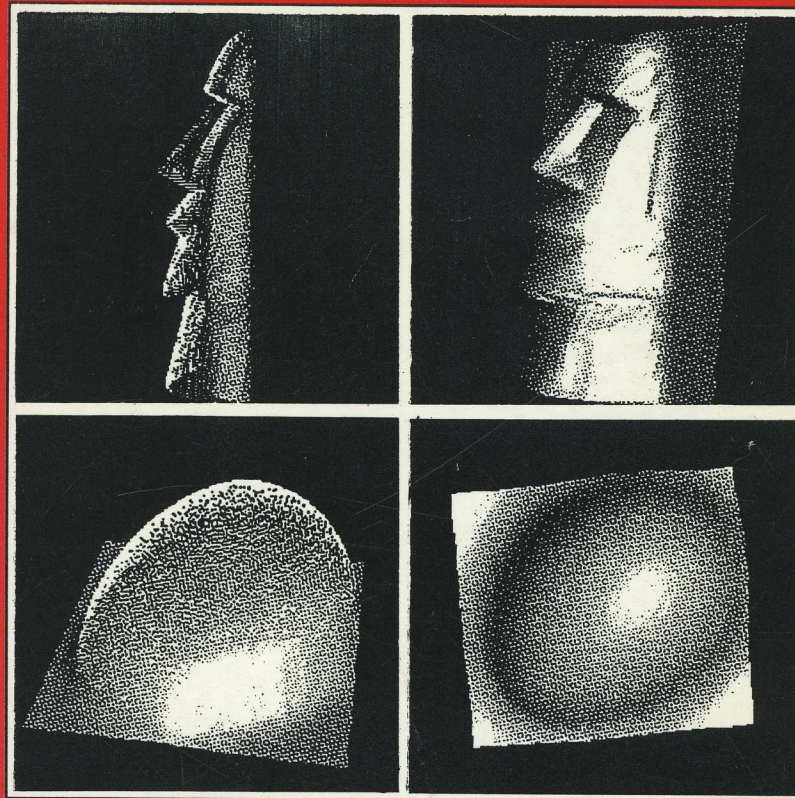


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It is with great pleasure that we welcome you to this eighth edition of Vision Interface. Computer vision covers a broad field that keeps expanding. Research in this domain requires more and more multidisciplinary designs and this year again the variety and the quality of the papers reflect the marvelous complexity of the processes involved.

We want to offer our special thanks to the guest speakers who kindly accepted our offer, to the numerous researchers who have chosen this conference for presenting the results of their most recent works, and to all the participants for their support. This conference would never have happened without the important and benevolent work of the local organizers and of the program committee members. We also want to thank the organizers of the previous conferences for their help in passing on valuable information.

Jean-Jules Brault, École Polytechnique de Montréal
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This year we are happy to host the GI-VI conference at York University in Toronto. We would like to thank all people involved in organising the conference and invite the attendees to enjoy with us the special events and the city of Toronto.

John Amanatides, Michael Jenkin
York University

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C'est avec beaucoup de plaisir que nous vous accueillons à cette huitième édition de Vision Interface. La vision par ordinateur est un domaine très riche et en constante évolution. De plus en plus, les recherches dans ce domaine nécessitent des approches multidisciplinaires, et encore cette année, la variété et la qualité des contributions reflètent la merveilleuse complexité des processus impliqués.

Nous tenons ici à remercier les conférenciers invités d'avoir accepté notre tribune, les nombreux chercheurs d'avoir choisi cette conférence pour venir présenter les résultats de leur plus récents travaux, et de tous les participants pour leur soutien. La tenue de cette conférence n'aurait pas été possible sans le travail important, et bénévole, des organisateurs locaux et des membres du comité de programme. Nous tenons également à remercier les organisateurs des conférences précédentes pour toutes les informations qu'ils nous ont si diligemment léguées.

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Nous sommes heureux d'accueillir à l'Université York la conférence annuelle GI-VI. Nous tenons à remercier toutes les personnes qui furent impliquées dans son organisation, et invitons les participants à profiter avec nous des événements spéciaux prévus au programme et aussi des nombreux attraits qu'offre la ville de Toronto.

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