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Current status and trend in engineering Ethics Education in Korea are surveyed and studied.
There was a first engineering ethics workshop held in Korea in August 2010. About 35 Professors and researchers gathered together and discussed intensively about effective engineering ethics education for the first time. The results from survey of participants will be discussed. Also current status of engineering ethics education in Korea is to be presented in the paper. Various courses handling ethical issues in many universities are to be discussed. And international cooperation between JSEE and KSEE on engineering ethics education will be discussed. It is only a beginning in Korea, however, due to ABEEK accreditation, i.e., ethics outcome and due to societal needs to educate engineering students with responsible, critical and reflective ethical thinking capability, engineering ethics education will be emphasized greatly in Korea and further various action including government financial support will be developed to improve current education system.