



Call for Special Sessions

The aim of this symposium is to provide a forum for researchers and technologists to present new ideas and contributions in the form of technical papers, panel discussions, as well as real-world evaluation in the field of wireless communications, networking and signal processing. This 14th symposium will bring together various wireless communication systems developers to discuss the current status, technical challenges, standards, fundamental issues, and future services and applications.

Proposals for Special Sessions are invited in the following Tracks:

- Track1 – Communication Theory, Signal Processing, Information Theory, Antennas and Propagation
- Track2 – Networks, Protocols, Internet of Things, Services and Applications

Special Sessions may address one or both Tracks, but they should be organised under a unified theme.

Special Sessions may include an invited speaker, besides papers that will be selected according to an open call.

Accepted Special Sessions will be publicised through the ISWCS'2017 website where paper submission guidelines will be provided.

Papers submitted to Special Sessions will be reviewed by at least three reviewers under the coordination of the Special Sessions organisers. These papers will be part of the Conference Proceedings. According to decision of the proponent(s), papers will be uploaded to IEEE Xplore (technical sponsorship still pending) or not. If yes, less than 50% of submitted papers will be accepted.

Special Sessions extend for a conference time-slot, i.e., approximately 1h40. Each presentation should be given a minimum time of 20 minutes. Special Sessions will be held in parallel with regular sessions.

Submission Guidelines

Special Sessions proposals should be submitted via a specific template, available at the website. The proposal should be submitted by the deadline, to the Special Sessions Chair, via email (see below).

Key Dates

- Special sessions proposals: Friday, March 3, 2017
- Special sessions notification: Friday, March 17, 2017
- Paper submission: Friday, April 28, 2017
- Acceptance notification (special sessions): Friday, June 16, 2017

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