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CALL FOR SPECIAL SESSIONS

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IMPORTANT DATE

November 24, 2025

Initial Paper Deadline

The IEEE Sensors Applications Symposium (SAS) provides a unique opportunity for researchers and developers to share progress in sensor technologies, methods, applications, standardization, and commercialization. General and Special Sessions offer forums where participants can exchange ideas and gain information on the sensor state of the art. A mix of plenary, poster, demonstration, plug-fests and other networking activities ensure that your work will be seen. Suitable Special Session topics range from emerging research areas to established techniques of practical and industrial relevance within the scope of the Instrumentation and Measurement Society.

Special Session Proposals Submission Guidelines

Please submit Special Session proposals by email to the Conference Manager Coral Miller at (**cmiller@conferencecatalysts.com**) by November 24, 2025. The proposal should include a two-page (maximum) description of the Special Session (see below for details) and one-page professional biographies of the Special Session speakers that highlight their qualifications and track records in the proposed subject area of the Special Session. The proposal needs to contain the following information:

1. **Format of the Special Session**

   1.5 hours or 3.0 hours.

2. **Title and Abstract**

   Propose a title and an abstract that allows conference attendees to quickly and accurately understand the subject matter of the Special Session.

3. **Motivation and Focus**

   Explain why your topic is important to the SAS community and what you hope the participants will learn by attending your Special Session. In this section, please provide a syllabus outlining the contents of the Special Session and the learning outcomes. This syllabus should be realistic, given the time available.

4. **List of Speakers**

   This is in addition to the Special Session organizers. Some Special Sessions may feature different speakers that should be advertised, but it is not necessary, nor a requirement. For instance, a 1.5-hour Special Session may have one or, at most, two different speakers, while a 3.0-hour Special Session could have up to two or three different speakers. If you plan to have multiple speakers, please provide their names and affiliations and clearly describe the parts of the Special Session that they will cover.

5. **Basic Structure of the Special Session**

   In this section, please describe your use of the time available. (e.g. lectures: fundamentals and case studies; panel discussion or brainstorming sessions, etc.).

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