



Special Session Proposal in SMiRT27

The international scientific committee of SMiRT27 invites proposals for the special session on beneficial topics to the conference and its participants in a young generation promotion and a cross cutting theme across multiple existing divisions.

The special session is a group name including **Tutorial**, **Seminar**, and **Workshop** in addition to the **Special Session**, and is planned to be 10-20 in total because there may be a limit to the number of sessions due to the number of rooms available during the conference. Please read carefully the submission requirements outlined next before planning your proposal.

1. Requirements for special session

- Special Session proposals should be sessions with appropriate content that matches the theme of the conference.
- Special Session proposers must receive abstract submissions from all presenters and submit the complete set of content in the Special Session Proposal Template with all abstracts.
- Special session proposers must take full responsibility for the session.
- Session is expected to be 60 to 100 minutes, and to consist of 4 to 5 speakers.
- Session proposers and all presenters must be registered to participate in the conference.

2. Proposal submission

- Special session proposal should be submitted no later than **November 3, 2023**.
- The proposal should include **all application information**. All presenters are required to prepare an abstract in the Conference template, but submission of a full paper is optional. If a full paper is to be submitted, it must be approved by the Special Session proposer and submitted by the end of November, as with regular papers.
- Please send all proposal information to the following email address.

Sending address: <u>ss-smirt27-admin@convention.co.jp</u>

The international scientific committee will review the special session proposal, and notify applicants of the results after reviewing the content by **November 10**.

3. Examples for special session topics

Special sessions are invited to cover a wide range of content across existing Divisions and of benefit to conference participants and younger generations, as in the examples below.

• Cross Cutting Themes

ex1- Harmonization of regulation and C&S ex2- Closed session for project discussion

• Young Generation Promotion

- ex1- Tutorial for young students, which may need the help of the division ex2- Tutorial for Risk-informed Approaches to ISI, and PFM
- ex3- Shibata Early Career Award finalist competition

4. Special session application form

Please click <u>here</u> to download the application form and complete the following information.

(1) Special Session Title:

(2) Corresponding Proposer:

- Name:
- Affiliation:
- Position:
- Tel:
- Email:
- Address:
- (3) Co Proposer of the session:
- (4) Aim and Scope for Special Session (about 300-500 words):
- (5) Session Chair and Co-Chair:
- (6) Number of speakers (Session is expected to be 60 to 100 minutes):
- (7) Information of all speakers
 - Presentation Title
 - Name
 - Affiliation
 - Position
 - Email
 - Abstract

5. Conference template

Please click <u>here</u> to download the Conference template and prepare an abstract using it.

Important Dates :

Proposal Deadline: November 3, 2023

Please send the application form with all abstracts to the e-mail address; ss-smirt27-admin@convention.co.jp