IEEE AP-S/URSI 2020 – International Symposium on Antennas and Propagation and CNC-USNC-URSI Radio Science Meeting

Frequently Asked Questions

Do I have to register for the symposium?

Yes, everyone who wishes to participate in the Symposium must register. If you have not yet done so, please visit this link to complete your registration today

- https://2020apsursi.org/Registration.asp.

What are the fees?

If you are not an author, with a paper to register for inclusion in IEEE Xplore, there is no fee to attend. Registration is Complimentary. There is, however, a fee for anyone registering to take a Short Course.

Please visit https://2020apsursi.org/Registration.asp for the fee information.

I have registered. Why can I not access the program?

If you register by 06:00 EDT, you will get access by 08:00 EDT on the same day.

If you register after 06:00 EDT, you will get access by 08:00 EDT the next day.

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· Google Chrome v58+	· Google Chrome v56+
· Mozilla Firefox v53+	· Mozilla Firefox v53+
 Microsoft Edge Browser v38+ 	· Safari v10.1+
 Microsoft Internet Explorer 11* 	

When will sessions be available?

All virtual content will be released over the course of the symposium week. By Friday, 10 July all content will be accessible. Check https://2020apsursi.org/TechnicalProgram.asp for session schedules and availability.

How do I access sessions?

Visit the symposium website to scan the day's Technical Program

- https://2020apsursi.org/TechnicalProgram.asp. You may use the "Search" feature or scroll through the fifteen tracks listed. Select the session you are interested in attending using the **GREEN VISIT THIS SESSION VIRTUALLY** tab. This will bring you to a screen, where you will insert the email address with which you have registered.

Once you've entered a session, you'll see an Index Window to the left of the Introductory Session Slide. Click there on the presentation you would like to hear.

Each session will be available OnDemand approximately 1-1/2 hours after the conclusion of the session.

It is important to note that most of the Technical Program is being offered as "SimuLive" - prerecorded presentations uploaded by the authors, who may participate during their scheduled presentation time by answering questions in the **ON24** Platform's CHAT feature.

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How do I access short courses?

Please check your email account registered with AP-S/URSI 2020 for instructions. Do not forget to check you SPAM folder.

How long will the program content be available to view online?

Once the full week of the Technical Program is completed, you have OnDemand access to the full program, inclusive of LIVE events, beginning Friday, July 10, at 19:00 EDT through Sunday, August 2, 2020.

Where can I access the sponsor page?

Please visit https://2020apsursi.org/Patrons.asp

Will the symposium provide Certificates of Presentation?

Certificates will be provided on a per-paper basis. Certificates will be available 30 days after the symposium ends.

Will the symposium provide Certificates of Attendance?

No.

How will the Presenters handle Q&A?

ON24 offers a CHAT feature, which will be used for Q&A. Presenters will monitor the chat in order to answer questions, but please note that this will move quickly, and questions may not be answered in real time.

What events are LIVE?

Live events will be offered in "Montreal" time - North American EDT. Listed below are the live events for the symposium.

LIVE Elements, which will be offered in "Montreal" time - North American EDT - add these to your calendar! (These events are included with regular symposium registration.)

Monday, July 6, 2020 – 12:00 EDT - 7th Hans Liebe Lecture featuring speaker Vivienne Payne, Research Scientist at the Jet Propulsion Laboratory, California Institute of Technology.

Tuesday, July 7, 2020 – 12:00 EDT - IEEE Antennas and Propagation Society's Master Class, the first in what will be a long-running series, featuring Professor Constantine Balanis, Regents Professor at Arizona State University, IEEE Life Fellow and AP-S Distinguished Lecturer.

Wednesday, July 8, 2020 – 12:00 EDT –The American Radio Relay League (ARRL) invites you to join them for a visit to the Maxim Memorial Station, the premier amateur radio station operated by the ARRL since 1938. If you are a radio amateur or simply interested in Radio Technology and Radio Communication, you will enjoy this insider's virtual tour of W1AW, the station's call sign – a testament to the memory of ARRL's co-founder, Hiram Percy Maxim. The tour will be led by Station Manager and Trustee, Joseph Carcia, NJ1Q.

Thursday, July 9, 2020 – 12:00 EDT - IEEE Antennas and Propagation Society's Women In Engineering and Radio Science featuring guest speaker Cynthia Furse, Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Utah; and panelists Ana Ferreras, Senior Officer at the

U.S. National Academies of Sciences, Engineering and Medicine (NASEM); Mahta Moghaddam, Distinguished Professor, USC, President, IEEE AP-S; and Emily Porter, Assistant Professor, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering at The University of Texas-Austin.

Thursday, July 9, 2020 – 15:00 EDT – RAC – Radio Amateurs of Canada – A tech-talk with the national association for Amateur Radio in Canada. RAC is a not-for-profit membership association, with headquarters in Ottawa, Ontario, Canada representing the interests of Amateur Radio across Canada.

Friday, July 10, 2020 – 12:00 EDT – Join us to learn more about MDA, a trusted provider of industry-leading radar satellite systems and imagery, ground systems, space robotics and sensors, satellite antennas, electronics and payloads, surveillance and intelligence solutions, and defense systems for customers in international government and commercial sectors for five decades. The company's breadth of expertise, and long history of innovative industrial firsts has made it the go-to source for advanced technology and mission-critical solutions for exploring space and monitoring and understanding land and maritime change and activity anywhere on Earth.

Friday, July 10, 2020 – 12:45 EDT – A virtual tour of Transport Canada's Motor Vehicle Test Centre, introduced by PMG Technologies, the leader in automobile testing. Learn about the types of wireless systems that are tested there, as well as the equipment necessary to perform these tests. Multiple videos will be followed by Q&A sessions, where you'll be able to interact directly with some of the program's test engineers.

IEEE AP-S/URSI Annual Awards Presentation - Set a Calendar Note for the Annual Awards Presentation...

Wednesday, July 8, 2020 - 17:00 EDT - IEEE AP-S/URSI Annual Awards Presentation presented by Awards Chair, Kathie Melde. Join your colleagues and friends to congratulation the recipients of IEEE Technical Awards, AP-S Paper Awards, the Finalists for the Student Paper Competition and Student Design Contest, as well as extending sincere thanks to those volunteers ending terms on the AdCom or within particular committees.

I'm having technical difficulties. Who do I contact for assistance?

For platform or technology-related issues, please contact David Stankiewicz – <u>d.stankiewicz@ieee.org</u>.

For registration-related questions or inquiries, please contact Gudrun Bornschein – g.bornschein@ieee.org.