

Paper submission and acceptance guidelines

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- + Paper submissions must be a maximum 5 pages in length including references.
- + Abstract must be 125-150 words.
- + Papers are descriptions of original research on the use of information methods, systems and technologies.
- + Papers must be organised using the following structure as provided in the template: abstract, keywords, introduction, methods, results, discussion, conclusions, acknowledgements, references. Please include all headings in your submission.
- + For a student paper, the first author must be a student at the time of submission (copy of student ID is required), and the paper has to be presented by the first author at the conference.
- + **Full names of all authors and their affiliations are to be omitted from the first submission.**
- + If accepted, guidance will be provided to create your video presentation.

Formatting your paper submission:

- + All submissions must use the one-column format provided in the template.
- + All submissions must be formatted to A4 page size as provided in the template.
- + The only accepted font style is Times New Roman. Please adhere to the font sizes shown in the template.
- + All text must be fully justified within the one-column format. The column formatting on the template must not be modified.
- + **Full names of all authors and their affiliations are to be omitted from the first submission.**
- + Full names of all authors including city, state, and country are to be included in the final document submitted after peer review and acceptance, as set out in the template. Professional titles and degrees are not to be listed for authors.
- + **Do not include organisation or project names anywhere in the submission**, including the file name as this will affect the blind review process. Please use anonymous labels, for example "Organisation X" and "Project A". You will be able to include the official names in your final submission if accepted.
- + The format and style for references are IOS Press with citations appearing in the main text in Arabic numerals in square brackets such as this [1]. It is recommended that authors use a citation or bibliography manager such EndNote to format their citations. The IOS Press EndNote style file is available for download (<http://endnote.com/downloads/style/ios-press>).
- + **Submission must be uploaded as a PDF document.**

Language

The official language for NI 2021 is English. All submissions must be in English. Submissions in any other language will be rejected without review. Authors are responsible for appropriate grammar, spelling, and punctuation in their submissions. Non-native English speakers are advised to consider employing the services of a professional editor or request review and editing from colleagues.

Please understand that accepted speakers must purchase a speaker registration to be confirmed on the NI 2021 program.

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- + Paper submissions must be the original work of the submitting author(s), must not have been previously published and must not be under consideration by another publication or conference.
- + All paper submissions must meet the format requirements specified by the Conference Organisers.
- + The Conference Organisers reserves the right to refuse material that does not meet requirements or is deemed inappropriate in either content or size.
- + Required documents must be submitted online. Submissions will not be accepted in hard copy format or by fax.
- + Submission acceptances will be advised in the week of **7 June 2021** and final submissions are due **Friday 25 June 2021**.
- + Details of the required format for final submissions will be sent to presenters with notification of submission acceptance.
- + Accepted authors must pay and register for the Conference **by Friday 21 June 2021**. Failure to register will result in the submission being withdrawn.
- + The Conference Organisers reserve the right to publish all submitted proposals via conference proceedings/conference app or other channels.
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- + Submissions of a paper will be regarded as acceptance of these conditions.
- + **Registration:** Accepted submissions must confirm their acceptance by purchasing a speaker registration to attend the conference. Speakers receive the cheapest registration available for NI.