

Call for Papers and Abstracts

We invite prospective authors to submit their original technical work on topics in the broader areas of image processing, vision, and imaging, covering theory, methods, systems, and applications. An extended list of conference themes and topics of interest can found at 2026.ieeeicip.org/topics/.

IEEE ICIP 2026 features multiple ways to present and disseminate your work:

Regular papers and special-session papers

- Submitted to the conference paper management system (opens December 2025)
- Presented at the conference
- Option to present a demo at the Show & Tell session
- · Open Preview IEEE Xplore
- Published in IEEE Xplore as part of ICIP 2026 Proceedings

Format: up to 5 pages + 1 page of only references (see Author Kit)

Submission due **January 21, 2026** (submission of special session papers opens on January 7, 2026) Notification of acceptance **April 22, 2026** Camera-ready paper due **May 13, 2026**

Extended manuscripts can be submitted to IEEE SPS Journals (see <u>information for authors</u> ("Conference to Journal Papers")

Top papers of exceptional maturity and/or novelty will be **spotlighted** at the conference and awarded **expedite review** of their extensions submitted to the IEEE Transactions on Image Processing or IEEE Transactions on Computational Imaging.

ICIP review track of the IEEE Open Journal on Signal Processing (OJSP)

- Submitted to OJSP Author Portal
- Presented at the conference as a part of the spotlight session
- Option to present a demo at the Show & Tell session
- Published Open Access in IEEE Xplore under OJSP

Format: up to 8 pages + 1 page of only references (see OJSP Information for Authors)

Submission due **January 21, 2026**Notification of acceptance **April 22, 2026**

One-page abstracts

- Submitted to the conference paper management system (opens December 2025)
- Presented at the conference as part of the Work-in-Progress track
- Option to present a demo at the Show & Tell session
- Published in the Proceedings of ICIP 2026 distributed to conference participants

Format: **1 page** (see <u>Author Kit</u>)
Submission due **May 13, 2026**Notification of acceptance **May 27, 2026**

Papers recently accepted in an SPS journal

- Presented at the conference as a part of the spotlight session
- Option to present a demo at the Show & Tell session
- Published in IEEE Xplore under the corresponding SPS journal

Papers must have been published or accepted for publication **between April 23, 2025 and April 22, 2026** (see <u>information for authors</u> "Journal Paper Presentation at SPS Conference and Workshops")

Request due **May 13, 2026**Notification of acceptance **May 27, 2026**

Satellite-workshop papers

Submitted to the conference paper management system (opens March 18, 2026)

- Presented at the selected satellite workshop
- Option to present a demo at the Show & Tell session
- Published in IEEE Xplore as part of ICIP 2026 Workshops Proceedings

Format: **up to 5 pages + 1 page of only references** (see <u>Author Kit</u>)

Submission due **May 13, 2026**Notification of acceptance **June 10, 2026**Camera-ready paper due **July 1, 2026**

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Two-page extended abstracts of entries to a grand challenge

- Submitted to the <u>conference paper management</u> <u>system</u> (opens February 11, 2026)
- · Presented at the conference
- Option to present a demo at the Show & Tell session
- Published in IEEE Xplore as part of ICIP 2026 Workshops Proceedings

Format: 2 pages (see Author Kit)
Submission due May 13, 2026
Notification of acceptance June 10, 2026
Camera-ready two-page extended abstract due
July 1, 2026

Demo at the Show & Tell session

Authors of every accepted paper or abstract have the additional opportunity to demo their work in the Show & Tell session at the conference.

Requests for demos due July 1, 2026

Please note, demos cannot be presented without at least a one page abstract. So please observe the corresponding submission deadlines.

Every accepted paper or abstract shall be covered by at least one registration at the full member/non-member rate. Each full registration can cover up to four papers or abstracts.

Please note that IEEE ICIP enforces a strict <u>no-show</u> <u>policy</u>. Any accepted paper or abstract included in the final program is expected to have at least one author or qualified proxy attend and present it at the conference, otherwise it will not be published by IEEE on IEEE Xplore or other public access forums.

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