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# **Call for Papers**

The SICE Annual Conference 2021, organized by the Society of Instrument and Control Engineers (SICE), will be held September 8-10, 2021, at Yotsuya Campus, Sophia University, Tokyo, JAPAN. The SICE Annual Conference 2021 is an international conference covering a broad range of fields from measurement and control to system analysis and design, from theory to application, and from software to hardware. The technical program of SICE 2021 will consist of plenary and invited talks, tutorial courses, and workshops, as well as oral and interactive sessions.

### **Important Dates**

February 14, 2021 Deadline of Proposal of Workshops and Tutorials February 28, 2021 Deadline of Proposal of Organized Sessions

March 31, 2021 Deadline of Submission for Regular Papers and Position Papers

May 31, 2021 Notification of Paper Acceptance

June 30, 2021 Submission of Final Camera-ready Papers

#### Venue

Sophia University's Yotsuya Campus is located in the heart of Tokyo, the thriving capital of Japan. Located on the perimeter of the campus are the National Theater, the National Stadium, interenational conventions facilities, and the Akasaka Palace, where visiting royal Families and political leaders are accommodated. The National Diet Library, one of the nation's largest libraries, is also very close. The abundant greenery of the campus creates an atmosphere of peace and serenity which belies its location in the center of a bustling metropolis, and student life is further enhanced by a wealth of facilities for the enjoyment of music, drama, art, and sports.

https://www.sophia.ac.jp/eng/info/access/map/map\_yotsuya.html

## **Technical Co-Sponsor (tentative)**

IEEE Control Systems Society (CSS), IEEE Robotics and Automation Society (RAS)

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Chinese Association of Automation (CAA), Japan Electric Measuring Instruments Manufactures' Association (JEMIMA), Electrical Engineering/Electronics, Computer, Telecommunications and Information Technology (ECTI) Association

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### **Paper Submission**

The SICE Annual Conference 2021 accepts two types of submissions for review.

Regular paper: Full papers (4-6 pages in conference format) must be submitted for review. The accepted papers will be submitted to the IEEE Xplore Digital Library. Normal length for the final manuscript of the regular paper is 6 pages. Papers exceeding 6 pages may be submitted upon payment of overlength page charges. A maximum of 2 extra pages over 6 pages are permitted.

**Position paper**: Extended abstracts (2-4 pages in conference format) must be submitted for review. This category is provided for authors who want to present a timely review of research, a case study, and so on. This type of paper will NOT be included in the IEEE Xplore Digital Library.

Both types of papers should be written in English, and will be included in the conference proceedings. The detailed submission policy is found on the conference web page.

### **Organized Session Submission**

The goal of organized sessions is to provide focused discussions on a new topic or innovative applications of a new approach. Each session consists of 5-6 papers, which will be reviewed via the normal review process. Both regular and position papers can be included in a session. For session proposals, it is recommended to include a brief statement of the session focus, together with the submission of the individual papers. For further instruction, please visit the conference web page.

### Workshop and Tutorial

Proposals for workshops or tutorials that address technical topics related to control, automation, and systems in general are welcome. We encourage such programs that will attract industrial members, and programs with highly anticipated level of interest, impact, creativity and technical background of presenters. For details, please see the conference web page.



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# **Topics of the Conference**

The conference will be focused on, but not limited to, the following topics:

Measurement

Sensors and Transducers
Signal and/or Image Processing
Identification and Estimation
Opto-Electronic Measurement

Remote Sensing

Mass and Force Measurement Temperature Measurement Ultra-High Precision Measurement Analytical Measurement Standard of Measurement Flow Measurement and Control

System and Information System Engineering Human-Machine Systems Intelligent Systems

Networked Sensor System

Autonomous Decentralized Systems Computational Intelligence

Discrete Event Systems
Social Systems
Hypercomputics

Molecular Robotics

Relationality-Oriented Systems Science Smart Mobility Systems Control

Multivariable Control Nonlinear Control Robust Control

Adaptive and Optimal Control

Intelligent Control
Computer Aided Design

Modeling, System Identification and

Estimation Process Control

Mechanical Systems Control Guidance and Flight Control Power Systems Control

Industrial Applications
Process Automation
Factory Automation
Laboratory Automation
Information Management Systems
SCADA and Network Systems
Manufacturing Systems
Transportation Systems
Micro and Nano Devices

Components and Devices

System Integration Mechatronics Systems

Robotoc and Automation Systems

Human Interfaces
Virtual Reality Systems
Entertainment Systems
Medical and Welfare Systems

Safety, Environment and Eco-Systems

Agricultural and Bio-Systems

Rescue Systems

Simulation of Large Systems Network System Integration

Life Engineering Integrative Biophysical Engineering and Informatics Biological and Physiological Engineering

Electrophysiology and Kinesiology

Ubiquitous Healthcare

Others

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