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# IEEE-USA News: IEEE Green Technologies Conference Seeks Technical Papers

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WASHINGTON (29 July 2010) -- IEEE Green Technologies Conference organizers are seeking technical papers on topics related to current and emerging renewable energy sources and energy-reduction technologies.

Accepted papers will be presented during the third-annual conference, 14-15 April 2011, at the Hilton Hotel in Baton Rouge, La. They will also be published in a conference proceedings CD and available through the digital library IEEE Xplore (<http://ieeexplore.ieee.org/Xplore/guesthome.jsp>).

Contributed papers, particularly in the following areas, are solicited:

- Energy generation and storage technologies, including nuclear, wind, solar, water, geothermal, biomass, energy harvesting and storage
- Energy usage reduction and conservation, including energy management, planning and forecasting, home and commercial automation, innovative HVAC and lighting
- Architectural and engineering sustainable designs, including strategies for sustainability, performance evaluation, use of green building components and system management
- Environmental, legal, social, economic and political impacts, including emerging standards for renewable and reduced carbon emission energy sources, safety and technologies for developed and underdeveloped countries
- Smart Grid communication and control, including evolution and integration of renewable and reduced emission energy sources
- Environmental protection, including oil spill prevention and control

## PAPER SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS:

To submit a paper, go to <http://edas.info>, log in and use "GTC'11." Submissions must describe original work not previously published or currently under review for publication in another conference or journal.

Instructions can be found at

([http://www.ieee.org/portal/cms\\_docs/pubs/confpubcenter/pdfs/samplems.pdf](http://www.ieee.org/portal/cms_docs/pubs/confpubcenter/pdfs/samplems.pdf)). The paper template is accessible at

<http://www.ieee.org/web/publications/pubservices/confpub/AuthorTools/conferenceTemplates.html>.

Papers must be submitted between 1 September and 1 November. Authors will be notified by 20 January 2011 whether their papers are accepted. For questions regarding paper submissions, contact technical program chairs Dr. Jorge Aravena at [aravena@ece.lsu.edu](mailto:aravena@ece.lsu.edu) or Dr. Hsiao-Chun Wu at [wu@ece.lsu.edu](mailto:wu@ece.lsu.edu).

Proposals for seminars and special sessions are also welcome and can be sent to Aravena at [aravena@ece.lsu.edu](mailto:aravena@ece.lsu.edu).

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

The second IEEE Green Technologies Conference was held in Grapevine, Texas, in April. For an overview of the event, see <http://www.todaysengineer.org/2010/Jul/Green.asp>.

Because of increasing concerns about fossil fuel costs, supplies and emissions, scientists, engineers and entrepreneurs are more closely examining the commercial viability of renewable energy sources. The 2011 conference aims to look at solar, wind, nuclear, geothermal, hydro and biomass technologies, among others, as well as alternative vehicle power sources such as fuel cells, gasoline and liquid natural gas electric hybrids and plug-in hybrid electric vehicles.

The 2011 IEEE Green Technologies Conference is sponsored by IEEE Region 5, the IEEE Baton Rouge Section and IEEE-USA, and supported by Louisiana State University and the city of Baton Rouge. For more information, see <http://www.ieeegreentech.org>.

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