Author Guideline for 2017 TRON Symposium (TRONSHOW)

2017 TRON Symposium (TRONSHOW) website http://www.tronshow.org/index-e.html

13th-14th December, 2017, Tokyo, Japan (Accompanying Exhibition runs from 13th to 15th.)

We are pleased to announce **2017 TRON Symposium**, the 33rd TRON Project Symposium to be held on 13th -14th of December 2017, in Tokyo, Japan. The Symposium will feature presentation sessions of papers, poster sessions, panel discussions, tutorial sessions and an accompanying exhibition (**TRONSHOW**, 13th-15th December, 15th being the **extra day** in comparison to TRON Symposium.) Keynote speeches are planned on 13th December. Paper presentation sessions are planned on 14th December. The exhibition continues on 15th December, and there will be other presentations (mostly in Japanese) on 15th, etc.)

Accepted and presented FULL papers, i.e. papers submitted to "FULL" track, will be submitted to IEEE for inclusion in **IEEE Xplore®** online publication database. (Note: SHORT papers, i.e., papers submitted to "SHORT" track will NOT be submitted to IEEE Xplore database irrespective of their length.) Prospective authors in the embedded systems industry and the emerging field of the IoT are encouraged to submit full papers or extended abstracts for presentation. Only original papers that have not been published or submitted for publication elsewhere will be considered.

Papers presented at the Symposium should be full papers or extended abstracts, in English of **maximum** 9 pages including figures and pictures, using the supplied template. The **minimum** length is 2 pages for an extended abstract from busy practitioners. See "**Topics of Interest**" at the end of this call for relevant topics that are of interest to the Symposium per se, and the visitors to the accompanying exhibition.

Important Dates:
Please check the latest update of the dates at
http://www.tronshow.org/2017-tron-symposium/en/call.html since there are often extensions.

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- **Jul. 19, 2017:** Panel Discussion Proposal deadline
- Paper registration.-This is a soft deadline now. Please finish this before the final paper submission.
- **Aug.:** Registration starts
- **Sept. 6:** Final paper submission deadline
- **Oct. 5:** Notification of Acceptance
- **Nov. 8**: Final version deadline (for accepted papers), author's registration deadline
- **Dec. 11:** Registration closes

Format of the Paper

Please use the IEEE paper template available at:

http://www.ieee.org/conferences_events/conferences/publishing/templates.html

Use "A4" version of MS-WORD template instead of "US Letter" size if you use MS-WORD template. **Please specify A4 size paper when you use LaTeX template.**

IEEE and TRON Forum[1] Policies

To ensure appropriate consideration of conflicts of interest during the review process, the TPC prohibits changes to the list of authors during review, revision, or (if accepted) final publication once a paper has been submitted for review. The author list may be changed only prior to the submission deadline of the final paper. (Please consult TPC, if due to the scheduling conflict, the planned presenter cannot come to the Symposium, and you need to add a speaker to the list of the authors, etc.)

The paper must be presented by an author of that paper at the conference unless the TPC chair grants permission for a substitute presenter.

Accepted and presented papers will be published in the proceeding conference proceedings (soft copy.) and FULL papers (i.e., papers submitted to FULL session) will be submitted to IEEE Xplore®: again, IEEE has the final decision for inclusion.

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[1] TRON Forum: note that T-Engine Forum, an NPO that has supported TRON Project has changed its name to TRON Forum as of 1st April, 2015.

Abstract / Final Paper Submission

Please register your paper and abstract at EDAS.

Please register your paper with an abstract of the final submission (maximum approximately 300 words) to 2017 TRON Symposium (TRONSHOW) at EDAS. You need to create an EDAS account if you do not have one yet.

The submission web page: http://edas.info/N23233

Please input the abstract as plain text into the web submission form in the above URL during registering your paper. Then upload the final draft by the deadline for the submission of the final paper.

Please select FULL track if the author(s) would like to have the accepted paper be submitted to IEEE Xplore. If not, select SHORT track. (In this sense, "SHORT" does not refer to the length of the paper.)

Papers should be written in English with the **maximum** paper length of 9 printed pages (10-point font) including figures. Papers that are longer than 9 pages will not be reviewed. Extended abstract should have at least the **minimum** two (2) pages for review consideration.

The upload procedure for the final ACCEPTED paper is as follows. The accepted authors are requested to use PDF eXpress Plus service to make sure that the final paper conforms to the format required to be submitted to IEEE Xplore ® (We will notify the accepted authors of the details of PDF eXpress Plus.) This checking by PDF eXpress Plus should be performed for papers submitted to SHORT paper session as well to maintain the format consistency in the proceeding.

Summary for full paper / extended abstract

The format for the manuscript must satisfy the following requirements:

- Manuscript must be in English.

- The manuscript must follow IEEE two-column format with single-spaced, 10-point font in the text. (Please use the template mentioned above).

- The **maximum** manuscript length is nine (9) pages. Manuscripts with more than nine pages will not be reviewed. All figures, tables, references, etc. are included in the page limit.

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- The **minimum** length of extended abstract is two (2) pages long.

- Papers must be submitted in Portable Document Format (PDF) format.

- Upload procedure of FINAL PDF will be sent to the accepted authors. It is necessary for one of the author(s) to sign a **copyright assignment paper** to TRON Forum (the main sponsor) of TRON Symposium. TRON Forum then asks IEEE for the possible inclusion in IEEE Xplore® by licensing IEEE the use of the paper material for dissemination.

Again, no more than 9 pages for review, please. The maximum length of final manuscript is 9 pages.

VISA Assistance

For those who need ample advance time for VISA processing in case you need such a VISA to enter Japan, please consult the VISA paper web section:

http://www.tronshow.org/2017/en/call_visa.html

It is hoped that the notification by 5th October gives you enough time for VISA processing.

[End of Author Guideline][2]

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[2] Version 1.0 Initial Release.