



Abstract Submission Guidelines

Conference Themes and Sub-Themes

Production/purification of hydrogen (water electrolysis, fossil fuel reformation, carbon management, biomass reformation, photochemical, purification)

Distribution/compression/storage of hydrogen (pipeline, cryogenic, storage, HFS, backup/integration with Power Grid, compression)

Safety

Advanced control (grid management, fueling management, gaseous energy network)

Fuel cells (materials, components, stacks, systems, manufacturing R&D)

Policies and Strategies (roadmaps, incentives, government policies)

Transportation (ground, maritime, aviation)

Heating (blending in NG, industrial combustion, residential appliances)

Power generation (turbines, boilers)

Industrial Processing (steel, chemical, biofuel / biochemical)

Presentation Types

The conference planning committee invites you to submit abstract(s) for **oral or poster** presentations to occur between Monday, June 21st and Wednesday, June 23, 2021.

Abstract Submission Guidelines

- ✓ All abstracts must be submitted via the Online Submission Portal no later than **November 15, 2020**.
- ✓ Abstracts, presentations and posters at WHTC 2021 must be in **English only**.
- ✓ Abstracts submitted must contain original work and must not have been published previously or presented at a meeting of another national or international scientific organization prior to this meeting.
- ✓ Please check your abstract carefully; it will be published as submitted.
- ✓ You can edit your abstracts until the submission deadline. No changes can be made to abstracts once the abstract submission deadline has passed.
- ✓ The Scientific Committee will determine the presentation type of each accepted abstract, with consideration given to the author's preference. The committee's decision is final.
- ✓ The presenting author is required to ensure that all co-authors are aware of the content of the abstract before submission to the Secretariat.



Frequently Asked Questions

May I submit more than one abstract?

Yes, you may submit multiple abstracts but there is a **limit of 5 submissions per individual**. Once you have submitted your first abstract, you can log into the portal and click again on Abstract Submission to proceed with a second abstract.

Will WHTC 2021 publish the convention proceedings as a Journal?

No, the Organization Committee does not plan to publish the full proceedings but encourages all oral/poster presenters to submit their papers to the International Journal of Hydrogen Energy.

Who retains ownership of my Abstract after submission?

The copyright of all Abstracts belongs to the authors. By submitting your Abstract, the WHTC2021 Committee will take this as an agreement to publish abstracts for this convention.

May I choose my Presentation Type (Oral or Poster)?

You may choose your preferred presentation type in the CfA portal, as well as state your interest in a backup option there. Please note: The final decision on presentation type is left to the Program Committee.

Do Oral Presenters need to submit an abstract?

All oral and poster presenters are asked to submit an Abstract.

Will I need to print my poster and bring it to the convention?

This has not yet been decided by the Program Committee. This FAQ will be updated as more information becomes available – please check again.

Do I need to register to give a presentation?

Yes, both oral and poster presenters must be registered for the full conference to give their presentation. If the abstract is accepted, the person making the presentation should register as soon as possible after receiving the notification of acceptance. This is necessary to secure the listing of the presentation in the conference program.

Can I see the status of my Abstract?

Once a decision is made by the Committee, the CfA portal will show the updated “Status”. You will also receive an email from the Committee regarding this decision.

Will I be asked to revise my Abstract?

In some cases, abstracts will require revisions before acceptance. If you receive an email stating “Review Required” or see “View Review” on the CfA “Status” page, you can revise your abstract directly in the

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CfA portal. Please complete the revision within 2 weeks of receiving the email. Please do not include any other response details. Once the reviewers are satisfied with your submission, you will receive another email and see the status updated to “Accepted”.

Can I submit an abstract on a different theme?

No, themes for WHTC 2021 have been carefully chosen to encompass a wide variety of current Hydrogen-related research topics. If you feel that a special exemption should be made for your abstract, please email the contact at the bottom of this page.

Contact Information

If you have any questions related to your abstract submission, please reach out to the Conference Secretariat at abstracts@whtc2021.org