

Guidelines for HPCA Industry Track

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1. Goal

The goal of the HPCA industry track is to publish papers written by industry authors whose content is related to an industrial product/process. This includes both existing products and planned products, even if the product was cancelled but interesting insights/learned-lessons are presented in the paper. Examples are papers that describe an existing product, papers that characterize an existing product, papers that describe some interesting component of a product, papers that provide some insights on challenges faced by industry, etc. Papers may include co-authors from academia, provided that the content is clearly related to an industrial product/process. On the other hand, research papers whose scope is not clearly related to an existing or planned product are not appropriate for this track, and should be submitted to the regular track even if authors are from industry.

2. Review Process

2.1. Program Committee

Papers submitted to the industry track will be reviewed by a program committee created specifically for the industry track. The chair of this committee will be appointed by IEEE TCCA in consultation with the PC chair. The PC chair will be responsible for sending the invitation to the industry track chair. The chair of this committee will propose a list of about 10-20 committee members that must be ratified by IEEE TCCA. It is recommended that the committee be formed by a mix of members from industry and academia.

2.2. Quality of Papers

Papers must be evaluated with the same standards of quality as papers submitted to the regular track. Papers published in the industry track are expected to have an impact similar to regular papers (using standard metrics such as citations).

2.3. Number of papers

The number of published papers will be presented in a single session of the conference (no more than 5 papers). The schedule of the session is responsibility of the program chair in coordination with the general chair.