

IEEE MTT-S International Microwave Symposium 15 – 20 June 2025 San Francisco



Invitation to Submit Proposals for Microwave Application Seminars (MicroApps) and Industry Workshops IMS2025, San Francisco

The IEEE Microwave Theory and Technology Society's (MTT-S) 2025 International Microwave Symposium (IMS2025, www.ims-ieee.org) will be held 15 – 20 June 2025 at the Moscone Convention Center, San Francisco, California, USA. IMS2025 is the centerpiece of the Microwave Week 2025, which also includes the RFIC Symposium (www.rfic-ieee.org) and the ARFTG Conference (www.arftg.org), and offers technical sessions, interactive forums, plenary and panel sessions, workshops, technical lectures, student competitions, and industrial and historical exhibits.

The IMS2025 Technical Program Committee is soliciting proposals for MicroApps and Industry Workshops.

IMS2025 will feature a variety of important thematic areas that highlight the symposium's theme of "Wireless Golden Gateway." In addition to showcasing a broad spectrum of engaging technical topics, IMS2025 will celebrate the diversity of contributions, talents, and accomplishments across our society throughout the week. Proposals for MicroApps and Industry Workshops should therefore highlight how they are ensuring representation and inclusivity in their seminars and workshops as this will be a key consideration in the assessment of proposals.

Technical experts from Industry present at the MicroApps and Industry Workshops. The focus is on providing practical information, in many cases basic design or test techniques and/or legacy knowledge, that attendees can readily apply to their current projects and products. Theoretical and sales/marketing information is strongly discouraged. Presenters may, however, point out specific features of their products that help solve the presented problems and also provide the opportunity to have follow-up discussions at the exhibitor booths. Only registered exhibitors may submit proposals and present in these two forums.

Important Dates:

Proposals are due Tuesday, 3 December 2024. Submit via the IMS2025 website: www.ims-ieee.org

About MicroApps:

The MicroApps seminars are 15 minutes each in duration and will be held 17 – 19 June 2025. MicroApps seminars are grouped by subject matter, so that interested attendees may gather information on a specific topic from diverse industry experts. This grouping also allows exhibitors networking opportunities with industry partners and supply chains, by providing easy access to relevant companies and experts with a given focus area. The MicroApps seminars are held at the MicroApps theater in the exhibit area, providing easy access (at no additional charge) for all the attendees and exhibitors.

About Industry Workshops:

The Industry Workshops are 2 hours each in duration, with one or more presentations. They are presented by a single company or group of companies on a specific technical topic in much greater depth than the MicroApps seminars, possibly with live demonstrations and panel discussions that encourage attendee interaction. The Industry Workshops are held in a classroom setting.

Submission Information:

Visit **ims-ieee.org** for to submit your proposal. This is the only allowed method of submission for MicroApps or Industry Workshops. No other form of "submission" will be considered.

The following information is necessary for your proposal submission:

- (i) Primary Author/Organizer Information: Name(s), Title(s), Affiliation, Telephone Number, and Email Address
- (ii) MicroApps and Industry Workshops:
 - Presentation Title, Topic Category, Presenter Name(s), Short Presenter Biography, Title, Affiliation, Telephone Number and Email Address.
 - 50 to 100 word abstract. The abstract should describe the product or process, its importance to the microwave community, and benefit to attendees.
 - Indicate if there will be any demonstrations planned and if there are any special AV requirements.
 - Description of alignment with the IMS2025 Diversity, Equity and Inclusion conference theme.

The IMS2025 MicroApps and Industry Workshops Committee will review the submitted information including the abstract and select those proposals that are from IMS2025 paid exhibitors and address one or more of the IMS2025 technical topics and/or thematic areas. The proposals will be evaluated by the committee and the decision will be communicated to the organizers in late January 2025.

If your proposal is accepted, you will be asked to authorize IMS2025 to publish your abstract and technical presentation in the proceedings.

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