

CALL FOR PAPERS AND POSTERS

TEXAS SECTION ASCE SPRING 2012 MEETING

APRIL 18-21, 2012 SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS



This is a general call for papers to be presented and posters to be displayed during the Texas Section Spring Meeting in San Antonio, Texas, **April 18-21, 2012**. Check the Texas Section website, www.texasce.org, for more information.

Papers and posters may be the result of a research project, a technical description of a unique project, an innovative idea that has been implemented, a new and useful technology, or an improvement of present practice. Papers may also be the result of a case study of an ethical or legal question pertaining to Civil Engineering. Texas authors are reminded they must be a Subscribing Member of the Section at the time of presentation to be considered for the Best of Session Awards.

Join other Texas Section members, friends and colleagues to discuss and learn about our "Texas-Sized Challenge: Infrastructure Needs of a Growing Population". We look forward to seeing you in festive San Antonio!

Requirements for Papers

Detailed requirements for papers and posters will be posted on the Texas Section website, www.texasce.org. An electronic submittal of an abstract followed by the paper is required.

Abstracts should be in Microsoft Word (.doc) format with titles of 10 words or fewer and text of 100 words or fewer. The name of the author(s), mailing and e-mail address(es) and telephone numbers must be included on the same page as the text. Each abstract should be sent electronically to the appropriate Chair, with a copy to the VP-Technical, no later than **December 30, 2011**. These will be evaluated for acceptance by the Texas Section VP-Technical with the assistance of the topical Institute or Technical Group Chair.

Authors of papers selected for presentations will be notified by **January 13, 2012** and will be given guidelines for the written papers. A written paper (maximum 25 pages) is mandatory for presentation and will be due by **February 25, 2012**. Abstracts are published in the *Texas Civil Engineer* and papers are published in the *Section Meeting Proceedings*. Please refer to the Texas Section website, or contact Institute Chairs, other Committee Chairs, or the Texas Section Vice President-Technical for more details about preparing and presenting papers.

Requirements for Posters

The Texas Section website will show detailed requirements for Posters. In general, poster materials, including written descriptions, drawings, photographs, graphs, charts and/or other visual aids, will be displayed on 42" X 60" boards in the Exhibit Hall during the Meeting. Presenters should be available to answer questions about their poster presentations at the Exhibit Hall on Thursday and Friday.

Abstracts meeting the same requirements shown previously for Papers should be submitted electronically to the Vice President-Technical no later than **December 30, 2011**. Presenters will be notified of their acceptance by **January 13, 2012**. A more detailed submittal of the poster materials and presentation will be due by **February 25, 2012**. If more information is needed, contact the Texas Section Vice President-Technical.

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NOTIFICATION DATE
January 13, 2012

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