

# 13<sup>TH</sup> INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON APPLIED COMPUTING FOR SOFTWARE AND SMART SYSTEMS



ACSS-2026, July 02-03, 2026

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## CALL FOR PAPER

We are happy to announce the call for research papers to be presented during the 13<sup>th</sup> instance of ACSS, which will take place during July 02-03, 2026, in Kolkata, India. The symposium will include presentations of contributed papers, along with keynote lectures, and invited talks. The conference is enriched by the expertise of its long-term collaborators, namely the Ca' Foscari University, Venice, Italy, and the University of Calgary, Canada, as well as technical collaboration from the Bialystok University of Technology, Bialystok, Poland.

ACSS encourages the submission of research articles that document completed research works. We also look forward to the Research articles from Ph.D. scholars based on the content of their doctoral work (hitherto unpublished). Further, we are looking to minimize the known barriers to industry participation in computing research conferences. We invite practitioners to discuss significant problems and solutions with challenging and practical use cases. All submitted papers may span 10-12 pages (as per Springer guidelines, following LNCS format).

Selected manuscripts in the appropriate domain would be recommended for publishing in a special issue on "Artificial Intelligence in Systems Engineering" of the Springer-Nature NASA Journal *Innovations in Systems & Software Engineering (ISSE)* (*confirmed by Springer*). All the remaining accepted papers will be published in a Springer-Nature series volume indexed in Scopus, Thomson Reuters (ISI Proceedings), EI-Compendex, DBLP, etc. The ACSS Program Committee stresses the integrity of the researchers and adopts a no-tolerance policy on plagiarism and on the violation of the code of ethics, in any form whatsoever.

Topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

- Requirements Engineering
- Analysis and Verification Techniques
- System Security
- Robotics Software Specification and Verification
- Internet of Things
- Big Data and System Design
- AI in Software Engineering
- Serverless Computing and microservices
- Bioinformatics and Computational Biology
- Smart Computing
- Quantum Computing
- Algorithms

Further details about the ACSS 2026 Symposium and on how to submit the manuscript are available at <https://acss.cucse.org/>.

A Special Session entitled "next generation communication technologies" is proposed by COEP Technological University, Pune and it will be managed by Vibha Vyas and Radhika Joshi. The focus of the special session is on 5G Technologies and beyond. More details on the Special Session are available [here](#).

Please download the template from <https://www.springer.com/gp/computer-science/lncs/conference-proceedings-guidelines> for the manuscript and author instructions. Each paper will receive at least two blind reviews. **Please note that author names, affiliations, or any indication of previously published research works by the authors are not to be included in any form within the submitted manuscript, failing which, the paper will be rejected.**

Submission link: <https://cmt3.research.microsoft.com/ACSS2026/Submission/Index> Important

Dates:

- **Paper submission (Extended)** : ~~January 18, 2026~~ **January 26, 2026**
- **Author notification** : **March 16, 2026**
- **Camera-ready submission** : **March 31, 2026**
- **Conference** : **July 02-03, 2026**