

## INDUSTRY FORUM CALL FOR SESSION LEADERS & SPEAKERS

The IEEE GLOBECOM 2012 will hold concurrent Industry Forums designed to deliver broad interest on 'Work in Progress.' The focus will be on regulatory impact assessments, current technologies, applications, design & development strategies, implementations and unique challenges in today's networking and communications environment.

Based on the submitted proposals, the Industry Forum Committee will schedule forum sessions consisting of panel discussions, tutorials, hands-on workshops, or practical educational sessions. Industry experts will be identified to lead each session. The duration of the sessions is expected to be from 90 to 120 minutes. A proposal for a Forum session is a commitment to cover the specific topic of interest with 3-5 speakers, if accepted.

### — Proposal format should adhere to the following template: —

- Title for the proposed forum session or presentation
- Name, affiliation, and email address of the leader/speaker
- An abstract of the session or a presentation
- Short biography of the leader/speaker
- Names, affiliations and brief description of the speakers intended to invite.

### — Suggested topics of interest include, but not limited to: —

- Challenge of Spectrum Allocation & Utilization
- Middleware & Application Program Interface
- Government Markets and Venture Capital Sources
- Network Access
- LTE, 3G/4G/5G & Satellite Communications
- Global Standards & Deployment
- User Interface & Experience
- Green Technology and Sustainability
- Healthcare Biomedical Electronics
- Cyber Security
- Cloud Computing & Networking
- Social Networking & Games
- IPv6
- Optical Communication for Wireless Networks
- Multimedia Network Engineering
- Smart Grid Communications
- Communications & Humanity
- Global Information Grid

All proposals should be submitted in PDF format to  
<http://www.easychair.org/conferences/?conf=gc2012if> on the IEEE GLOBECOM 2012 IFE website.

**Deadline: April 2, 2012**

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## IMPORTANT DATES

Proposal Submissions Due:  
**April 2, 2012**

Acceptance Notification:  
**June 4, 2012**

Final Speakers/Program:  
**August 6, 2012**

Presentation Materials Due:  
**November 1, 2012**

Industry Forum Dates:  
**December 3-7, 2012**