# **PROCEEDINGS INSTRUCTIONS STC 2017 SUMMIT**

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#### WHO SHOULD SUBMIT A PROCEEDINGS PAPER?

In accordance with the guidelines in the Call for Proposals, presentation, training solution, and spotlight talk speakers are expected to submit a paper.

#### **DEADLINE**

Papers should be uploaded to the STC FTP site no later than midnight EST Monday, 17 April, 2017.

### **UPLOAD INSTRUCTIONS**

http://summit.stc.org/proceedings-paper-submisssion/

## REQUIREMENTS

_	Please author your paper using the <b>Style Guide</b> file found on the proceedings <u>webpage</u> . Use only the styles included within the document. Do not add additional styles or use columns.
	Because we will be creating outputs that will be viewed on multiple devices, please do not use tables. Find an alternate way to present the information; for example, you may consider using a graphic or chart.
	Insert all graphics at their original size (don't resize them within Word). In addition, upload the graphic files individually using the naming convention below.
	See the "Resources" and "References" sections of the .doc file for examples of the proper bibliography formats.

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Track or Progression Name	Track/Progression Abbreviation
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Coding & Programming	СР
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Design & Testing	DT
Technology & Development	TD
Writing & Communication	WC

## **EXAMPLES OF PROCEEDINGS**

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## QUESTIONS?

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