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In addition to research papers, we also welcome contributions from the industry in two categories:

- **Experience reports** (5 pages), which will be included in the conference proceedings
- **Industry talks**, which will be dedicated slots to share presentations/discussions about significant real-world issues

Submissions must be related to global software engineering and we are especially interested in, but not limited to, papers and talks addressing the topics in the list:

**Human Aspects of Distributed Development:**
- Diversity and Inclusion
- Communication, coordination, and collaboration
- Trust and social relationships
- Team building
- Newcomers’ onboarding and socialization

**Methods and Processes:**
- Agile methods
- Large-scale agile software
- Lean development
- Hybrid processes
- Remote pair and mob programming
- DevOps
- Open source development
- Crowdsourcing software development
- SW Architectures and component ownership

**Education and Training in Industry:**
- Educational studies
- GSE curricula
- Lessons learned

**Global Business Strategy:**
- Business models
- Economics
- Hiring in global settings
- Strategic issues
- Industrial offshoring and outsourcing
- Supplier management

**Technologies Supporting Distributed Work:**
- Collaboration tools
- ALM/PLM for distributed teams
- Infrastructure for distributed development
- Social media support
- Chatbots

**Emerging Technologies to Support/Improve GSE:**
- Augmented reality/extended reality
- Artificial Intelligence
- Blockchain
- Wearables

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