

Dear Authors,

We are very sorry for the late announcement for virtual ICPC 2020. As you might know, ICPC 2020 will be held virtually from 13 July to 15. Our plan is that ICPC 2020 will provide a mix of synchronous and asynchronous sessions. This means that ICPC 2020 will provide the two live keynote sessions and MIP award talk including Q&A and live Q&A/discussion sessions for technical talks whereas all the recorded movies of technical presentations by authors will be submitted before the conference period and will be provided to the participants via YouTube.

For synchronous presentation, we kindly request each you to send the video of your talk with the following length before ** 5th July, 2020 **. The details of how to submit the recorded movies will be informed to you soon.

- For Research, Programming Education (Regular) Track papers: max 15 min.
- For Industry (Short), ERA, and Tool Demonstration Track papers: max 10 min.

The videos will be uploaded before the conference dates and participants should watch them before the sessions. During the conference, we will have live sessions consisting of Q&A and discussion. We strongly encourage you to include “1 min overview” at the beginning of your video to provide a brief summary of your paper. At the beginning of the live Q&A/discussion sessions, we will ask you to have a brief 1 min introduction of your paper. One good strategy is to just play the overview at the beginning of your video. For the discussion, we kindly request each of you to prepare topics regarding your paper in advance.

Your video will be uploaded to ICPC Youtube channel so please check the YouTube privacy policy (<https://www.youtube.com/about/policies/#community-guidelines>), If you have any special reason for NOT uploading your video to Youtube, should contact to ICPC 2020 GC, Eunjong Choi (echoi@kit.ac.jp) as soon as possible.

The timeslots of the live Q&A/discussion sessions will be open soon. Note that although we will try to be kind to all the authors, we cannot guarantee to have sessions during office hours for all time zones.

Thank you for your understanding. If you have any questions, please contact ICPC 2020 GC.

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