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# **CALL FOR ABSTRACTS**

We are pleased to issue a call for abstracts for the second annual Technical Conference focused on Time Sensitive Networks and Applications—to be held at the **DoubleTree by Hilton-San Jose**, on **April 12-13**, **2016**. This conference will provide attendees with an overview of current and emerging standards and technologies related to real-time and distributed applications and networks where systems interact with the physical world in a way that is tightly coupled in time. Topics that will be discussed at the conference include:

- Current and future developments in network based time synchronization and standards
- Software and algorithms for communications design and network scheduling
- Higher level application protocols using or planning to use time sensitive networking foundations
- Applications and use cases in a variety of industries including professions A/V, automotive, industrial, and consumer
- Implementation tips and tricks including testing best practices, reference guides, and open-source software efforts

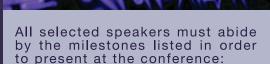
In order to maximize the value of this exciting area of development the conference consists of the following elements:

- Keynotes from Industry Experts -
  - Expanded 2-Day Format -
  - Market-Specific Sessions -
    - Panel Discussions -
    - Technology Primers -
  - Exhibitor Demonstrations -
    - "Networking" Dinner -

Selected presentations will be scheduled in 30-minute slots. Please submit an abstract through the conference web site at **tsnaconference.com** by Monday, January 25th. Prior to submitting your abstract, please be sure to review the Speaker Guidelines and Milestones below. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to reach out to **cdyer@conferencecatalysts.com**.

All speakers should keep in mind that they will be presenting to experts across a broad spectrum of industries, and therefore the presentations must provide a sufficiently succinct background of the topic before presenting their main idea. Product-focused "sales pitches" will not be allowed.

By submitting an abstract you agree that you are committed to presenting at the Technical Conference if your abstract is selected by the committee. Please ensure you are available to travel (if necessary). Speakers are responsible for their travel expenses/arrangements and conference registration fee.



## January 7

Call for Papers

## January 25

Abstracts due (not-to-exceed 100 word abstract – for use in review and program guide)

## February 2

Abstracts selected and speakers notified

#### February 11

50 word bio due from each speaker

#### March 11

Presentation outline due (roughly 25% content check)

#### April 1

100% Final Presentation and Speakers Agreement due

