

Call for Papers for *Next-Generation Networking Symposium*

(Plus Track Name if Symposium on Selected Areas in Communications)

Scope and Motivation:

The focus of the Next-Generation Networking Symposium are emerging topics in the broad area of networking, with emphasis on software defined networks, datacenter, network heterogeneity, adaptability, flexibility, scalability, virtualization, security, manageability, dependability, performance predictability, and energy efficiency. The Symposium aims to consolidate and disseminate the latest developments and advancements in these emerging focus areas, and encourages participation from both academic and industry researchers working in the area of next-generation networking technologies, services, architectures, and protocols.

Main Topics of Interest:

The Next-Generation Networking Symposium seeks original contributions in the following topical areas,. Closely related topics not explicitly listed are also welcomed.

- Future Internet and Next-Generation Networking architectures
- Datacenter and cloud-based networking
- Software Defined Networking (SDN) and Network Function Virtualization (NFV)
- Heterogeneous multi-layer and multi-domain networks, including wireless-wireline internetworking
- Overlay networks and peer-to-peer networks
- Information centric and content-centric networks
- Network virtualization, virtual private networks (VPN) and services
- Unicast, multicast, and anycast routing
- Network survivability and network resilience strategies
- Next generation switch and router architectures,
- Traffic scheduling, buffer management and QoS provisioning techniques
- Future Internet security, privacy, intrusion detection and prevention

- Traffic measurement, analysis, modeling, visualization, and engineering
- Mechanisms for self-organization, naming, mobility support, and autonomous networking
- Emerging Internet applications including interactive media, voice and video games, immersive applications, and applications for Internet of things
- Architecture and protocol design for Next-Generation Social Networking services
- Design methodologies for future Internet services
- Next-Generation access networking
- Network provisioning, monitoring, and management
- Energy-efficient protocol design and green communication

Sponsoring Technical Committees:

How to Submit a Paper:

The IEEE Globecom 2015 website provides full instructions on how to submit papers. You will select the desired symposium when submitting. **The paper submission deadline is April 1, 2015. Unlike recent ICC's and Globecom's, this is a hard deadline that will not be extended.**

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Biographies



Andrea Bianco is Full Professor and Vice Head of the Electronics and Telecommunications Department of Politecnico di Torino, Italy. He has co-authored over 180 papers published in international journals and presented in

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TPC Members (Tentative)

To be defined (and if possible to be partly derived on EDAS from last year TPC)