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Spokane, Washington

WESTERN PROTECTIVE RELAY CONFERENCE

Call for Papers – Deadline April 20, 2015

Abstracts for the Western Protective Relay Conference will be accepted through April 20, 2015.

Abstracts must not exceed 500 words and must be in English.

- Use a page layout with 1 inch top and side margins.
- The text should be single-spaced, in Times New Roman 12 point font, left justified, with no tabs, tables, figures, graphics, pictures, or references.
- Use a standard PC or Macintosh computer to send an electronic version, preferably in Microsoft Word or in a PDF file.
- The title should appear in bold, lowercase, followed by the author name(s) and affiliation(s).
- Include a list of each author's complete address, phone, fax, and e-mail address.

ABSTRACT SUBMITTAL

Submit your abstract as an email attachment to tlkirk@wsu.edu and include all of the above requested information. Presentations will be selected by the WPRC Program Committee. WSU will notify all authors by June 2015.

NOTE: Accepted authors are required to send their papers electronically to Tamara Kirk at tlkirk@wsu.edu by September 14, 2015 for duplication and distribution. Authors must attend the conference.

PAPER TOPICS

- User solutions to utility and industrial protection problems
- Generation, transmission and distribution protection and control
- Tutorials on protection and control fundamentals
- Protection system maintenance and testing
- Event analysis and solutions to unusual protection operations
- Communication as related to protection and control
- Integrated protection, monitoring and control systems
- New protection application philosophies and advancements
- Integration and protection of renewable energy, microgrids and distributed resources
- Wide area measurements and system integrity protection schemes
- New industry standards and regulatory requirements

Conference Information

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Power System protection engineers, technicians and managers
- Switchgear and switchboard manufacturers
- Public and private utility directors and managers
- Relay technicians
- Consulting engineers
- Industrial power engineers
- Government
- Academia

FEES & REGISTRATION INFORMATION

The attendee fee is \$400 if paid by September 11, 2015; the regular fee is \$450; vendor fee is \$500 for vendor suites. The conference registration fee includes three lunches, breaks, and proceedings. A brochure with the full program will be mailed in July 2015.

For more information or to be added to the mailing list, contact us:

- Visit our Web site at <http://cm.wsu.edu/wprc> for additional copies of this Call for Papers and other conference information.
- Call toll free 800-942-4978 in the U.S. or 509-335-3530.
- E-mail wsuconf@wsu.edu

Also ask for information on WSU's Power and Energy Automation Conference (PEAC) held in March in Spokane and the Hands-On Relay School held in March in Pullman.

LODGING INFORMATION

The Davenport Grand Hotel

333 W Spokane Falls Blvd

Spokane, Washington

800-228-9290 or 509-455-8888

Book your reservation by September 18, 2015 to receive our guest rate starting at \$129.00 (single and double rate). Please be sure to mention "2015 Western Protective Relay Conference" when making your reservation by phone.

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