

# Newsletter

**March 2021** 

Applied Computational Electromagnetic Society (ACES)

# President's Message



Dear ACES Members and Friends,

On behalf of the Applied Computational Electromagnetics Society, I would like to welcome you to a March 2021 edition of our ACES Newsletter!

We have started the 2021 year with a lot of important activities in the Society. We have completed the selections for ACES Awards and for ACES Fellows. My

sincere congratulations to our Awards Recipients and our new Fellows! We held our Board of Directors Meeting on January 31, 2021, which was very productive and resulted in a number of impactful decisions regarding our publications, conferences, membership, and finances.

We are now in the midst of preparations for our conference, 2021 International Applied Computational Electromagnetics Society (ACES) Symposium, ACES2021, to be held from August 1-5, 2021, Online-Live, Interactive. Please see the Call for Papers at <a href="https://aces-society.org/conference/Online-">https://aces-society.org/conference/Online-</a> Live 2021/ACES 2021 CFP.pdf. The program is designed to be as much live and interactive as possible. Authors of accepted papers will be required to submit a recorded video of their presentation, which will be available to attendees for viewing before the session. In addition, the authors will have an option to give their presentation live if they desire so. Every presentation will be followed by a live discussion period where the authors will be required to entertain questions from attendees. Distinguished researchers are being invited to deliver plenary talks on technology trends and significant advances in relevant topics. The technical program will also include short courses, tutorials, and virtual vendor booths. All keynote and plenary talks, short courses, and tutorials will be delivered with live, interactive discussions. The conference will feature live and interactive Virtual Awards Ceremony with entertainment and Virtual Social Program. Please see the list of suggested topics, as well as all other details, in the CFP.

Due to the special situation that COVID-19 pandemic created, ACES2021 will have a reduced registration fee of only \$250 for ACES members and \$300 for non-members (\$125 for student members) with a paper submission. Registration fee for members just attending the conference without any submitted papers is \$100 and \$125 for non-members (\$50 for student members). This registration fee allows for attending all technical sessions of the conference and social program.

Please consider submitting a paper for ACES2021. I look forward to seeing many of you at the conference!

Branislav M. Notaros President, ACES Professor, Colorado State University Fort Collins, Colorado, USA

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#### **Become ACES Member**

ACES membership offers many advantages that include discounted ACES Journal and Conference registration fees.

### Member:

Basic: \$40/year

Student/Retired: \$25/year

Life: \$400

#### **Institutional Member:**

Basic (US): \$360/year Basic (Intl): \$540/year Expanded (US): \$535/year Expanded (Intl): \$715/year

Become ACES member by signing up <u>here</u>.

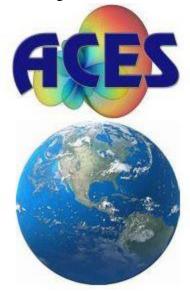


## **ACES 2021 Conferences**

We are happy to announce that the society has worked hard not to reduce the number of ACES conferences for this year, knowing how important for our community members is to exchange ideas, create cooperation, meet each other. For this reason we are proud to announce that ACES will have two conferences in year 2021! Additional information can be obtained on the aces website.

## **ACES 2021 Online-live Interactive Conference**

August 1 - 5, 2021



General Chairs: Mohamed H. Bakr McMaster University, Canada

Branislav Notaros Colorado State University, USA

## **Technical Program Chairs:**

Sami Barmada University of Pisa, Italy

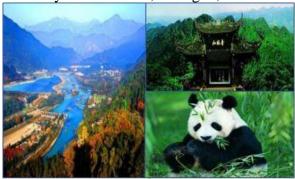
Vladimir Okhmatovski University of Manitoba, Canada

> Su Yan Howard University, USA

Paper Submission Deadline: April 18, 2021 Notification of Acceptance: June 15, 2021 Submission of Recorded Presentations: July 1, 2021 Final Paper Submission: July 1, 2021

## **ACES 2021 Conference in China**

July 28 – 31 2021, Chengdu, China



## **Honorary General Chair:**

Weng Cho Chew Purdue University

## **Honorary TPC Chair:**

Zaiping Nie UESTC

### **General Chair:**

Jun Hu UESTC

## **General Co-Chairs:**

Amir Boag Tel Aviv University

Andrea Massa University of Trento

Qing Huo Liu Duke University

## **Important Dates**

Paper Submission Deadline: April 15, 2021 Notification of Acceptance: May 15, 2021 Final Paper Submission: May 31, 2021

# **ACES Journal**

#### Latest issues

The ACES Journal is devoted to the exchange of information in computational electromagnetics, to the advancement of the state of the art, and to the promotion of related technical activities. The ACES Journal welcomes original, previously unpublished papers, relating to applied computational electromagnetics. All papers are refereed. Access all issues of ACES Journal online.

Direct link to the January 2021 ACES Journal issue Direct link to the February 2021 ACES Journal issue

We wish to remind all of you that all ACES Journal Issues can be downloaded from the website at no charges; in addition, Express Journal Papers (short papers with faster publication track) are now published on a dedicated section of the ACES Journal.

ACES is looking forward to your contributions to the ACES Journal and the Express Journal as well as your participation in future ACES Conferences. We look forward to your feedback and involvement in ACES activities.

Sincerely,

## Sami Barmada

Editor - ACES Newsletter