# IEEE GLOBAL BLOCKCHAIN CONFERENCE



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Transforming a Trustworthy Digital Future

#### **CALL FOR PAPERS AND PROPOSALS**

Welcome to the IEEE Global Blockchain Conference 2024, where we are "Transforming a Trustworthy Digital Future" with IEEE President, IET President and ACM Vice President. Led by Editors-in-Chief of top journals such as IEEE TDSC, IEEE TMC, IEEE TIFS and IEEE Network, the technical program includes six tracks and a variety of tutorials and workshops. IEEE GBC 2024 also features a series of visionary keynotes, panels, and discussions from top minds to shape the future of blockchain.

The authors of selected papers from the conference will be invited for possible publication in IEEE Network and more.

INDUSTRY PANELS AND EXHIBITIONS

Proposals are sought for panels, presentations and demos related to issues facing the broader blockchain industries.

WORKSHOPS AND TUTORIALS

Proposals are invited for half- or full-day workshops and tutorials in all blockchain and Web 3.0 topics.

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Submission Open: 1 Feb. 2024 Submission Due: 28 Mar. 2024 Acceptance Notification: 1 July 2024
Tutorial Proposal: April 2024 Workshop Proposal: April 2024 Panel & Demo Proposal: April 2024

#### **TECHNICAL TRACKS**

- Track1: Blockchain Consensus, Performance & Scalability
- Track3: Security for Blockchain, Blockchain for Security
- Track5: Integration of Blockchain, Data Elements & Al
- Track2: Blockchain for Real-World Applications
- Track4: Communications Network Infrastructures
- Track6: Blockchain for Web 3.0 & Metaverse Ecosystems

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Consensus Mechanisms, Game Theory, Sharding, Peer-to-Peer Networks, Distributed Databases, Cross-Chain Mechanisms, Formal Verifications, On-Chip Acceleration, and other System Aspects of Blockchain Technology.

#### Track2: Blockchain for Real-World Applications



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Central Bank Digital Currency & Electronic Payment, Trusted Data Elements Circulation, Policy-making, Geo-Network Navigation, Digital City Planning, Smart Agriculture, Blockchain Spacetime, and other Innovative Uses.

#### Track3: Security for Blockchain, Blockchain for Security



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Hardcore Security for Future Blockchain and Blockchain for Future Security, e.g., Multi-Party Computation, Post-Quantum Public Key Algorithms, zk-SNARK, Private Set Intersection, Smart Contract Security, Consensus Security, Network Security, and dApp Security and dApps.

#### Track4: Communications Network Infrastructures



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Decentralized Physical Infrastructure Networks, Computing Force Network, Cloud/Edge Computing, Wireless Communications, 6G/F6G, DeWi, Internet Architecture, Internet of Things, Infrastructure Security, O-RAN and Cyber-Physical Systems.

#### Track5: Integration of Blockchain, Data Elements & Al



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Blockchain Empowerment of Data Elements, Confidential Computing, Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Federated Learning, Large Language Models, AI Security, AI Entities, AI Autonomous Agents, AI Ethics, Generative AI, and Interdisciplinary Researches.

#### Track6: Blockchain for Web 3.0 & Metaverse Ecosystems



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Metaverse, Smart Contracts, NFTs, RWA Tokenization, Incentive Mechanisms, Privacy-preservation, Distributed Identity, Digital Assets, dApps, DeFi, Ordinals, Payment Channels, Decentralized Finance, Verifiable Credentials, Zero-Knowledge Proofs, Industrial Web 3.0, Trust Management, Digital Governance, Blockchain Policy-Making, GDPR and Social Impacts.





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