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Important dates

01.11.2025
Special session, competition, tutorial and panel proposal deadline

21.11.2025
Special session, competition, tutorial and panel notification

31.01.2026
Paper submission deadline (23.59, Anywhere on Earth, i.e. UTC-12)

15.03.2026
Paper acceptance notification

15.04.2026
Camera ready papers due

01.05.2026
Early registration deadline

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