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**Call for Papers**

The 21st ICISS will be held in the Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Indore between December 16 and 20, 2025. ICISS provides a forum for researchers and industry practitioners to present their previously unpublished research work. ICISS welcomes submissions on wide range of information security research, including but not limited to the following:

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**Important Dates** (in AoE)**:** Submission Deadline: July 10 Acceptance Notification: Sep 20 Camera-ready Deadline: Sep 30

* **Access control and authentication**
* **Audit and risk analysis**
* **Big data security and privacy**
* **Blockchain security**
* **Cloud security and privacy**
* **Critical infrastructure security**
* **Cyber-physical systems security**
* **Data and applications security**
* **Digital forensics**
* **Hardware security**
* **Human aspects of security and privacy**
* **Identity management**
* **Industry networks security**
* **Information security education**
* **Information security management**
* **Information technology misuse and the law**
* **IoT security**
* **Large Language Models security and privacy**
* **Managing information security functions**
* **Mobile and vehicular network security**
* **Network & distributed systems security**
* **Network traffic characterization and measurements**
* **Pervasive systems security**
* **Privacy protection and Privacy-by-design**
* **Privacy-enhancing technologies**
* **Quantum Security**
* **Security in AI/ML**
* **Security in next-generation networks**
* **Surveillance & Censorship**
* **Trust management**

Submissions must be written in English and must not exceed 20 pages in length using LNCS format. Submissions must be in PDF format. The authors should make every effort to keep their paper anonymous (by removing identifying information such as author names, affiliations, websites, URLs revealing author information, obvious self-references). A double-blinded peer review process will be followed. The proceedings will appear in the Springer LNCS series. **Extended versions of recommended accepted papers will be invited to the Indian Academy of Sciences’ journal Sādhanā. There will be a BEST PAPER award from IDRBT.**

ICISS also accepts submissions under Industry/Demo track demonstrating implementations/PoC in the area of systems security, and a separate track for PhD students presenting their early/WiP through lightning talks & poster. ICISS has generous funds supporting student to attend pre- conference school (tutorials, etc.) and the main conference.

# Use of tools like ChatGPT while preparing the manuscripts must be explicitly mentioned as a footnote. Manuscripts must comply with the detailed submission guidelines provided on the website.

Conference website: https://iciss.isrdc.in/ CFP v3.2 (Jan 27, 2025)