



# Southern California Robotics Symposium

22-23 Sep. 2022

## Failure Video Contest

Dear fellow roboticists,

The Southern California Robotics Symposium—taking place on Thursday and Friday, September 22-23, 2022, at UCLA in Los Angeles, CA—will provide SoCal roboticists with the opportunity to network and create lasting partnerships over research presentations and discussions.

Participants are invited to submit videos highlighting robotic failures, with the most popular video (as chosen by symposium attendees) receiving an award. Videos will be played during Thursday's opening reception, with audience reception determining popularity. Videos should highlight the all-too-real side of robotics research that is failure. Robots do not always do as they should, and may fall over, become unstable, crash, and completely shut down. If you have video content of any failures encountered during your robotics research, we invite you to submit your content.

## Submission

- **Content:** Videos must begin with a title slide, including lab name, school affiliation, and lab members. Remaining content can be as expressive and creative as you like, though please keep the content to a PG rating.
- **Format:** MP4
- **Submission:** Please email a publicly downloadable link of your submission to [scr2022@ucla.edu](mailto:scr2022@ucla.edu) with the subject line "Failure Video Contest". For additional information, please see the *Failure Video Contest* section on the SCR2022 [official website](#).

## Submission Dates

- **September 2:** Failure video contest submission deadline. Acceptances will be sent out shortly after the deadline.

Up-to-date information about the symposium can be found at the [official website](#)



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