CALL FOR CONTENT

Abstracts for SMC 2021 are invited and due 22 February 2021

The SNAME Maritime Convention (SMC) 2021 will take place on 25 - 29 October 2021 in Providence RI, USA. The event will be hybrid, thus in addition to the physical convention in Providence, there will be a virtual option for attendees who may still be unable or uncomfortable with travel at the time of the event next year.

Your input and ideas are needed for this premier event of the international community for maritime and ocean professionals. SNAME members and attendees come from all over the world and represent one or more of the seven Faces of SNAME. Together, they make up one of the strongest cross-functional organizations in the maritime community. The seven Faces of SNAME include:

- Educators/Researchers
- Shipbuilders
- Engineers/Designers
- Operators
- Manufacturers
- Recyclers/Salvors
- Students

For SMC 2021 we are seeking content that speaks to the Faces of SNAME and the developments of our maritime industry, specifically on the following topics:

- Communications and Security
- Industry Trends and New Technologies
  - Marine Environment Science and Engineering
No matter the type of maritime or offshore business, geographical location, or professional activity, the SNAME Maritime Convention is your opportunity to interact with colleagues of all seven Faces of SNAME, from all over the world, and from all segments of the industry.

**Important Dates**
- **22-Feb-21** Deadline for Abstracts
- **08-Mar-21** Authors are Notified of Acceptance of Abstracts
- **10-May-21** First Drafts Due
- **14-Jun-21** Reviews Due Back to Authors
- **12-Jul-21** Second Drafts Due
- **30-Aug-21** Final Decision

**Abstract Submission**
Submissions of presentations and papers are welcome. Abstracts should be less than 500 words. Please also include:

1. Corresponding Author's name, email address, and organization (exclusive of the 500-word limit)
2. Content Type:
   - NSRP Ship Production Symposium Presentation or Paper
   - Technical & Research Program Session (Presentation, Paper or Discussion)
   - Technical Paper - Peer Reviewed
   - Student Presentation or Paper
3. Faces: Which Face(s) of SNAME does your abstract primarily pertain to? You can select more than one Face to describe the intended audience for
your manuscript. This information will help the committee define tracks for the Convention.

**Submission Method**
Abstracts should be submitted via our [ScholarOne](https://www.scholarone.com) system.

**Abstracts are due on 22 February 2021**

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For questions, please contact [snamepapers@sname.org](mailto:snamepapers@sname.org).
For additional information on submission, please visit the SNAME Author Opportunities [website](https://www.sname.org/author-opportunities).

Interested in getting involved in the SMC2021 planning process? Email us at [snamepapers@sname.org](mailto:snamepapers@sname.org)