

## **EDUNINE Doctoral Symposium**

The **EDUNINE Doctoral Symposium** offers a valuable platform for doctoral/PhD students to engage with their peers who are actively involved in conceptual foundations, learning and teaching techniques, research methods, and tools within engineering, computer science, and technology education.

The symposium aims to accomplish the following objectives:

- Provide participants with insightful and constructive feedback concerning their ongoing research and future research prospects.
- Foster a nurturing scholarly community and encourage a culture of collaborative research.
- Facilitate meaningful interactions between students and established researchers and practitioners in engineering, computer science, and technology education.

Only active doctoral/PhD students are eligible to submit their papers to the EDUNINE Doctoral Symposium. Authors should not have received their doctoral degrees or submitted their dissertations before the symposium.

The paper should be written primarily by the student and must be presented by the student. Submissions from students still in the early stages of their research should include a clear statement of the problem to be addressed and a clear outline of the proposed methodology.

Submissions from students further along in their research should clearly state the contributions made to date and the work ahead.

Manuscripts submitted should be no more than four pages long, and the student should be the sole author. The same template IEEE prescribed for conference papers should be used to format the manuscript. DS must precede the title of the manuscript: for it to be considered a submission for the Doctoral Symposium. The DS papers should be submitted via the submission site.

DS Papers should clearly state the following:

- 1. the problem to be solved in the student's research (justify why this problem is important and make it clear that previous research and related work has not yet solved this problem),
- 2. the research hypothesis or assertion,
- 3. the expected contributions of the research,
- 4. the plan for evaluating the contribution and presenting credible evidence of the findings to the community.

And for students who already have results they wish to present at the symposium:

- 5. a description of the results obtained to date; and
- 6. the planned timeline for completion.

DS Submissions will be subject to single-anonymized review.

Authors of accepted DS submissions must register as authors for the EDUNINE conference. The presentation is expected to be delivered in person unless this is impossible due to travel limitations (related to, e.g., health, visa, or COVID-19 prevention).

On the day of the Doctoral Symposium, students with accepted DS papers will be required to make a brief presentation and prepare and present a poster. The poster must conform to the standard format (A1) in portrait



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or landscape orientation. Each presentation during the Doctoral Symposium should last approximately 10 minutes. An additional 5 - 10 minutes will be allotted for discussion, questions, and feedback from colleagues and the Doctoral Symposium Chairs.

Accepted DS papers will be included in the proceedings of the EDUNINE conference, published by IEEEXplore.

More information on our website in English or Portuguese or Spanish, in the Authors Section.