# **ACM** Multimedia 2010

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Brave New Ideas proposal

# Call for submission

http://www.acmmm10.org/



For this year's Brave New Ideas Program we are eliciting special session proposals as well as research contributions through an open call.

We expect technical contributions that address long term research challenges, and that point to new research directions which could be the focal point of the community in 5+ years, or that provide new insights or brave perspectives that pave the way to innovation. Evaluation criteria will include novelty and significance of the contribution to the field, quality of research, quality of writing, and contribution to conference program diversity. The highest weight will be placed on novelty of the contribution, so authors should clearly state and support novelty claims by comparing and contrasting the work to previous research (including their own). Incremental research is very strongly discouraged for this call (see new review process below). The purpose is to bring to the conference exciting new topics that are highly related and relevant to the future of the field which may not be traditionally presented at ACM Multimedia. Proposals will be evaluated in terms of their expected ability to excite and inspire MM'10 participants to engage in new areas of research.

#### SUBMISSION DETAILS AND REVIEW **PROCESS**

Research papers (4 to 10 pages) follow the same standards of scientific quality as MM '10 full paper submissions and will be presented in the Main Program of the Conference in oral talk format. Submissions must report original research, not accepted or under submission to any journal or conference (including MM '10). The review process for Brave New Ideas papers is in two

- In the first stage papers submitted are filtered by Brave New Ideas Program Chairs. Only papers deemed to be of "brave new ideas" go to the second stage. Papers that do not pass the first stage are rejected early without review. Authors should therefore first submit a short abstract (500 words maximum) that clearly indicates novelty of the work to be presented.
- In the second stage papers undergo two full reviews plus discussion with Brave New Ideas Chairs

Session proposals should include title, a one-page abstract describing the scope of the session, names and one-paragraph bios of the organizers, and the expected composition of the session. Any special equipment requirements should be noted as part of the proposal. Session organizers should expect to find external support for equipment needs that go beyond the facilities provided by MM'10.

Please note that in both cases papers can be between 4 and 10 pages. No special weight will be placed on the length of the submission and all accepted BNI papers will be presented in oral format. Accepted papers will be published in the conference proceedings and included in the ACM Digital

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

March 21, 2010 Brave New Ideas session proposals and paper abstract (500 words)

May 07, 2010 Brave New Ideas paper submission deadline - 4 to 10 pages July 5, 2010 Notification of acceptance July 26, 2010 Camera-ready submission deadline

# **CONTACTS**

If you have any questions regarding the ACM MULTIMEDIA 2010 Brave New Ideas Program or the submission procedure please contact the Program Chairs:

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