



Institute of Mathematical Statistics Application for Meeting Co-Sponsorship

Please forward the completed application to the IMS Executive Director Elyse Gustafson erg@imstat.org.

Requirements for meeting co-sponsorship can be viewed here: <http://www.imstat.org/program/numbered.htm>

Meeting Title:

Meeting Dates:

Meeting Location:

Program Committee:

IMS Representative(s) on Program Committees:

Will IMS members be able to present contributed papers, posters or both? ☐Papers ☐Posters ☐Both

Program Description. Please provide a brief overview of the technical program of the meeting, including the general topics to be covered and information regarding special lectures.

List (or tentative list) of invited speakers and session topics:

If this meeting is part of a series or annual meeting, please provide web site(s) of prior meetings if available.

Web Page: (If the meeting has an existing web page, please provide a url.)

Registration Fees: (or expected fees, if not yet set)

IMS Resolution on Equal Opportunities

The IMS is an equal opportunity organization, which seeks to ensure that all of its members participate in all of its activities to the fullest extent that is appropriate, regardless of age, sex, race or ethnicity, subject matter specialty, or any other characteristic. These opportunities for participation include, but are not restricted to membership of its standing committees, its program committees for sponsored and co-sponsored meetings, and its honors and awards, including fellowships and special lectureships

☐ I have read and understand the IMS Resolution on Equal Opportunities as written above.

IMS Resolution on Freedom of Access to Participation in Institute of Mathematical Statistics Meetings

Because the Institute of Mathematical Statistics is responsible to an international membership, the Council adopts the following resolutions regarding the location and accessibility of its meetings.

1. In arranging its meetings, the IMS and the organizing committees for the meetings shall take all measures within their power to ensure each IMS member, member guest, and invited speaker the fundamental right of participation.
2. If at any time prior to or during a meeting, it is the judgment of the IMS President that the host country has denied any IMS member or invited speaker free access to the meeting by failing to grant a visa or by any other discriminatory act, he or she shall withdraw IMS sponsorship of the meeting and shall so notify the organizing committee of the meeting and all IMS members.
3. In the event of a meeting where possible access problems are anticipated, the IMS President shall request the organizing committee to inform the appropriate representatives of the host country of the policies stated in items 1 and 2 above.

☐ I have read and understand the IMS Resolution on Freedom of Access as written above.

IMS Statement on Professional Conduct at Meetings

The Institute of Mathematical Statistics (IMS) is a society committed to the freedom of professional expression. The society wishes to foster a productive environment for the exchange of ideas and values participation of all members of the statistical community. The society, therefore, considers it essential that professional conduct is observed at all its functions. Accordingly, all attendees of IMS sponsored and co-sponsored events are expected to show respect and courtesy to other attendees. The society is currently devising specific rules of conduct and institutional mechanisms for enforcement of these rules. In the meantime, IMS members and attendees of IMS functions are advised that the society can and will take steps to guarantee a professional atmosphere and, in particular, will not tolerate harassment in any form.

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Financial Obligation: The IMS does not provide funds or receive income from co-sponsored meetings.

☐ I understand that the IMS is under no financial obligation for this meeting and will provide no funds to support it and will accept no revenue from it.

Application submitted by:

Email of applicant: