



12th INTERNATIONAL FORUM ON STRATEGIC TECHNOLOGY (IFOST – 2017)



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UNIVERSITY OF ULSAN (ULSAN, SOUTH KOREA)

CALL FOR PAPERS

The International Forum on Strategic Technology 2017 (IFOST-2017), organized by the **University of Ulsan (UoU)**, will be held from May 31 to June 2, 2017, in Ulsan, South Korea. IFOST is a unique and identifiable forum, not only as an international conference to link academia, but to also facilitate cooperation between academia and industry, including policy makers on strategic technology.

Ulsan is located along the southeast coast in S. Korea. Its population is 1,160,000. Ulsan is 1,060km² in area and is a city that accounts for 15.2% of industrial output in S. Korea (one of four production cities in Asia). Ulsan has the leading industrial cluster for the automotive, shipbuilding, and petrochemical industries. Ulsan ranks first in the automotive and shipbuilding industries, and second in the petrochemical industry in terms of production in S. Korea. In addition, Ulsan is a city with beautiful mountains and clean, clear rivers beside a deep blue sea. Ulsan has been renovated as an eco-friendly city where development and preservation have existed in harmony for about 40 years.

Accepted and presented papers will be published in the conference proceedings for IFOST-2017.

Submission Procedures

Prospective authors are cordially invited to submit a full paper, not exceeding five (5) A4 pages, which should be uploaded in IEEE double-column format through the **EDAS** conference system (<https://edas.info/index.php?c=23105>). If you do not have an EDAS account, please create one. The official language for the conference is English. Note that extra pages will incur extra charges.

Topics of the forum

- Section 1: New materials and nanotechnology
- Section 2: Information and communications technologies
- Section 3: Mechanical engineering, robotics, and automation
- Section 4: Power engineering and renewable energy
- Section 5: Ecology, environmental engineering, and civil engineering
- Section 6: Applied engineering

Registration fee

Type of registration	IFOST / IEEE member	Non-member
Regular author	USD 220	USD 270
Regular student author	USD 120	USD 170
Extra presentation (per paper)	USD 120	USD 120

Registration fee includes participation in the program and paper presentation, lunches, banquet, coffee-breaks, handouts, and proceedings. **The registration fee does not include accommodation.**

Organizers will assist you to book your desired accommodation at the recommended **SHILLA STAY ULSAN Hotel** (<http://www.shillastay.com/ulsan/index.do>), which is just 8 km away from the University of Ulsan. Business twin rooms cost USD 100 per night for two persons when breakfast is included.

Important dates

- March 1, 2017** Paper submission deadline
- April 15, 2017** Paper acceptance notification
- May 2, 2017** Camera ready paper submission / Registration fee payment

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