



**2006 ASEE GLOBAL
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ENGINEERING
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All deadlines occur at 5:00 p.m. Eastern Standard Time on the days listed.
No exceptions or extensions will be made.

If you have any questions, please contact
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SUBMISSION, PRESENTATION & PUBLICATION REQUIREMENTS

All authors are invited to submit to the 2006 ASEE Global Colloquium on Engineering Education in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, 9 – 12 October, 2006.

Submission:

Please consult the Calls for Papers (available on the 2006 GCEE website) to determine which category best suits the content of your submission.

All documents must be submitted online via SmoothPaper, available at www.asee.org/SmoothPaper.

If you wish to submit and present in English, your abstract will be assigned to the poster presentation session on Tuesday evening, 10 October, 2006.

If you wish to submit and present in Portuguese, your abstract will be assigned to the Portuguese poster presentation session on Wednesday evening, 11 October, 2006.

If you wish to submit and present in Spanish, your abstract will be assigned to the Spanish poster presentation session on Wednesday evening, 11 October, 2006.

Presentation:

In order for a presentation slot in the poster presentation sessions, to be guaranteed, at least one author from each accepted paper must register for the colloquium no later than Wednesday, August 9, 2006, which is the Author Registration deadline.

If no author for an accepted paper has registered by August 9, 2006, the paper will be removed from the colloquium proceedings. Presentation slots still available after the Author Registration deadline will be assigned on a first come, first serve basis.

Publication:

In order for a paper to be included in the 2006 ASEE Global Colloquium on Engineering Education Proceedings, the author of an accepted abstract must submit a draft paper. It must go through the peer review process and be accepted. Either the main author or one of the co-authors must be registered for the conference by August 9, 2006.

AUTHOR RESPONSIBILITIES

Any person may submit to this colloquium, whether or not he/she is an ASEE member. A non-member can create a SmoothPaper account by clicking on the [Register Now](#) link on the login page: www.asee.org/SmoothPaper/.

The author who submits the abstract and paper is responsible for adhering to all deadlines. The deadlines as set forth cannot be extended and no allowances will be made if they are not met.

Abstract/paper information can only be edited and updated by the person who submits it.

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Please include a set of three to five keywords after the body of the abstract to help us group your presentation with others of similar content.

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ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

25 JANUARY – 5 APRIL, 2006

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ABSTRACT NOTIFICATIONS

26 APRIL, 2006

Between 5 April and 26 April, abstracts will be reviewed.

By 26 April, you will be notified whether your abstract was accepted or rejected.

If you do not receive a notification email, you can log into SmoothPaper, and view the status of your abstract there.

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If your abstract is accepted, you must submit a full paper between 3 May and 28 June, 2006. It must be accepted, and one of the authors must register for the conference by 9 August, 2006, before a presentation slot is guaranteed.

Further instructions will be emailed to authors of accepted abstracts.