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The annual ACM SIGMOD conference is a leading forum for database researchers, practitioners, developers, and users to explore cutting-edge ideas and to exchange techniques, tools, and experiences. We invite the submission of original research contributions and industrial papers, as well as proposals for panels, tutorials, and demonstrations. We encourage submissions relating to all aspects of data management defined broadly; and particularly encourage work on topics of emerging interest in the research and development communities.

Important Dates:

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Submission Guidelines:
Research papers will be judged for quality and relevance through double-blind reviewing, where the identities of the authors are withheld from the reviewers (this does not include industrial papers, or panel, tutorial and demo proposals). Thus, authors names and affiliations must not appear in the paper and bibliographic references must be made in such a way as to preserve author anonymity. Detailed submission instructions appear on the conference web site. All submissions will be handled electronically.

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