

Guideline for authors

You are encouraged to submit a 1-page abstract before **February 1, 2021** on any of the following topics:

- Applications and energy sources
- System design and optimization
- Experimental activities and techniques
- Working fluids, including mixtures
- Turbines; volumetric expanders
- Heat exchangers
- Simulation and design tools
- Advanced control strategies
- Operational experience on prototypes
- Supercritical CO₂ and novel technologies
- Industrial waste heat recovery
- Waste heat recovery from stationary gas turbines
- Waste heat recovery from automotive engines
- Marine applications
- Novel/advanced architectures (mixtures, regenerative, multi-stage)
- Domestic/polygeneration systems
- Technological interaction of ORC with heat-pumps

Table 1: Important Dates

Deadline 1-page abstract submission	February 1, 2021
Notification of acceptance of abstract	March 1, 2021
Deadline full paper submission	April 20, 2021
Notification on first review process	May 20, 2021
Deadline for first revised paper submission	June 10, 2021
Notification on second review process	July 5, 2021
Deadline for second revised paper submission	July 15, 2021
Notification on second revised paper	July 31, 2021
Deadline for final full paper submission	August 15, 2021

Abstract submission

Abstracts should briefly outline the main research issues, research method, results and conclusions as well as their general significance. References might be added, if deemed necessary. Upon review of the abstracts, notification of acceptance will be made by **March 1, 2021**.

There is no limitation in the number of abstracts submitted per author; however, a maximum number of two presentations (oral and/or poster) by the same speaker will be accepted.

Template

A word template (link) is provided for your convenience. This template is already set with the correct page size, fonts, line spacing and margins, as required for ORC2021 book of abstracts. This will ensure that you are using the correct format.

Please convert your ORC2021 abstract to a PDF file. Be sure to embed the fonts when creating the PDF.

- Do not password protect your file.
- Make sure the filename has only one extension (".pdf")

Review

After a peer review of the abstract you will receive the notification of acceptance on March 1, 2021, and the invitation to submit a draft full paper of max. 8 pages or a Technical note for industry topics of max. 4 pages.

FULL PAPER SUBMISSION

Authors who want to be eligible for an oral presentation must submit their full paper **before April 20, 2021**. Recommendations on oral or poster presentation will be communicated at the end of the first review process. The final decision about paper acceptance will be taken at the end of the review process.

TECHNICAL NOTE SUBMISSION

Authors who would like to present their work as a 10-minute Pitch on the Industry Day are asked to submit an up to 4 page Technical Note of max. 4 pages.

POSTER PRESENTATION

Those of you who do not wish to write a full paper or technical note can present their work as a poster. You can indicate this upon abstract submission by clicking the relevant button (poster presentation only).

REVIEW

The schedule of the review process together with other general deadlines and commitments regarding your ORC2021 contribution are reported here [\(link auf dates\)](#) and in **Table 1**. The technical notes and conference proceedings (with ISBN number), will be published on the conference website and via the TUM library. The 2021 conference proceedings are intended to be indexed in the SCOPUS database. The organizing committee is currently working on this.

All papers and technical notes MUST follow the Word template to be published and uploaded in PDF. Please closely follow the instructions in order to speed up the review process and avoid unnecessary administrative efforts.

All submitted full papers will undergo a thorough peer review. The review is based on scientific quality, significance, novelty and relevance to the conference topics. The first paper draft is due by **April 20, 2021**. Following the first round of the review process you will receive a notification before **May 20, 2021**.

Papers that need additional revisions have to be re-submitted before **June 10, 2021**. The outcome of the second review process will be notified by **July 5, 2021** and the second revised paper must be uploaded by **July 15, 2021**. On **July 31, 2021** a preliminary program will be published and the notification on the second revision of the full papers will be sent to the authors. Following the deadline for the final full paper submission on **August 15, 2021**.

- All relevant information about publications in proceedings and special issues in journals can be found here [\(link\)](#).
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A special recommendation for authors presenting company work: please keep in mind that ORC2021 is a scientific/technical conference therefore advertisement must be avoided in the papers and during presentations. Ample space is reserved to company booths and presentations of commercial material can be given at the booths or at the Industry Day.