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The scope of SoCC is broad and encompasses diverse systems topics such as software as a service, virtualization, and scalable cloud data services. Many facets of systems and data issues management must be revisited in the context of cloud computing. Suggested topics for paper submissions include but are not limited to:

* Administration and Manageability
* Application, Analytics, Database as a Service
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* Data Markets
* Distributed and Parallel Query Processing
* Distributed Systems
* Energy Efficiency and Management
* Fault Tolerance, High Availability, Reliability
* IoT Infrastructure
* Large Scale Cloud Applications
* Multi-Tenancy
* Networking and SDNs
* Platform for Services
* Privacy of Data and Computation
* Programming Models
* Provisioning and Metering
* Query Optimization
* Resource Management
* Scientific Data Management
* Security of Infrastructure and Services
* Service Level Agreements
* Storage Systems and New Technologies
* Transactional Models
* Virtualization, Containers, VMs

**Paper submission**

Authors are invited to submit original papers that are not being considered for publication in any other forum. Manuscripts should be submitted in PDF format and formatted in 10-point type using the LaTeX template available at https://acmsocc.github.io/2017/. A submission to the symposium may be one of the following types: (a) *Research papers*: Original research work in the broad area of cloud computing. The length of research papers is limited to 12 pages (excluding references). (b) *Experience papers*: Experiences with deployed, state-of-the-art cloud systems that are of value to the community. The length of industrial papers is limited to 12 pages (excluding references). (c) *Vision papers*: Speculative but well-reasoned, thought-provoking essays of up to 6 pages in length (excluding references). All SoCC submissions will be held to a high quality standard, and evaluated based on their originality, technical merit, topical relevance, value to the community, and likelihood of leading to insightful technical discussions at the symposium. Email any questions to the PC chairs at ‘mahesh at cs dot yale dot edu’ or ‘ccurino at microsoft dot com’.

**Important Dates**

- **Abstract**: Apr 28
- **Submission**: May 5
- **Notification**: July 18

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