

## Conference Location and Accommodation

The question in Los Angeles is never what to do, but where to begin. The county is home to many famous attractions in a relatively concentrated space. Your choices include amusement parks, architectural landmarks, art museums and galleries, beaches, parks, hiking and shopping, to name a few. After the sun goes down, you'll find there's an abundance of nightlife options, including movies (of course!), as well as live music and comedy provided by performers both legendary and yet-to-be-discovered. A region of great diversity, you'll also discover a world of culinary adventures.

Elegantly presiding over the City of Angels, The Westin Bonaventure Hotel & Suites provides the ultimate urban oasis in the heart of the business district. An international symbol that has come to represent the beauty and sophistication of the city itself, this famous Westin Los Angeles hotel is one of the most photographed destinations in the world. Stroll through our atrium lobby, and you'll immediately see why. Whether you're visiting for a leisurely weekend getaway, business meeting, or special event, its deluxe hotel accommodations define the essence of modern luxury. Enjoy spectacular skyline views, access to over 40 specialty boutiques and restaurants. Frequently featured in movies and TV, this iconic LA symbol is within walking distance of Los Angeles Convention Center plus entertainment venues such as the Staples Center, Nokia Theatre, LA Live, and more.

Detailed information will become available through the Conference website.

## Exhibiting at the Conference

The HCI International Conference is an ideal opportunity to exhibit your products and services to an international audience of about 2,000 researchers, academics, professionals and users in the field of HCI, potential purchasers of your products.

Attendees will be able to examine state-of-the-art HCI technology and interact with manufacturing representatives, vendors, publishers, and potential employers. By exhibiting at HCI International 2015, you will help to make this an exciting and informative event.

For more information about the Exhibition, please contact the Exhibition Administration.

## Student Volunteers

The Program for Student Volunteers gives full time university students from around the world the opportunity to attend and contribute to one of the most prestigious conferences in the field of computing and human-computer interaction. As an HCI2015 Student Volunteer, you will interact closely with researchers, academics and practitioners from various disciplines and meet other students from around the world.

To be considered as a Student Volunteer, you need to apply online through the Conference Management System (CMS). If you have any questions, please contact the Student Volunteer Administration.



# HCI 2015 International

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## Overview

HCI International 2015, jointly with the affiliated Conferences, which are held under one management and one registration, invite you to Los Angeles, California, USA, to participate and contribute to the international forum for the dissemination and exchange of up-to-date scientific information on theoretical, generic and applied areas of HCI, through the following modes of communication: Plenary / Keynote Presentation, Parallel Sessions, Poster Sessions, Tutorials and Exhibition. The Conference will start with three days of Tutorials. Parallel Sessions, Poster Sessions and the Exhibition will be held during the last three days of the Conference.

## Thematic Areas

Human-Computer Interaction  
Chair: Masaaki Kurosu (JP)  
Human Interface and the Management of  
Information  
Chair: Sakae Yamamoto (JP)

## Affiliated International Conferences

Engineering Psychology and Cognitive Ergonomics (12th)  
Chair: Don Harris (UK)  
Universal Access in Human-Computer Interaction (9th)  
Chairs: Margherita Antona (GR) &  
Constantine Stephanidis (GR)  
Virtual, Augmented and Mixed Reality (7th)  
Chairs: Randall Shumaker (US) &  
Stephanie Lackey (US)  
Cross-Cultural Design (7th)  
Chair: Patrick Rau (CN)  
Social Computing and Social Media (7th)  
Chair: Gabriele Meiselwitz (US)  
Augmented Cognition (9th)  
Chairs: Dylan Schmorow (US) & Cali Fidopiastis (US)  
Design, User Experience and Usability (4th)  
Chair: Aaron Marcus (US)  
Digital Human Modeling and Applications in Health, Safety,  
Ergonomics and Risk Management (6th)  
Chair: Vincent Duffy (US)  
Distributed, Ambient and Pervasive Interactions (3rd)  
Chairs: Norbert Streitz (DE) & Panos Markopoulos (NL)  
Human Aspects of Information Security, Privacy and Trust (3rd)  
Chairs: Theo Tryfonas (UK) & Ioannis Askoxylakis (GR)  
HCI in Business (2nd)  
Fiona Fui-Hoon Nah (US) & Chuan-Hoo Tan (CN)  
Learning and Collaboration Technologies (2nd)  
Chairs: Panayiotis Zaphiris (CY) & Andri Ioannou (CY)  
Human Aspects of IT for the Aged Population (1st)  
Chairs: Gavriel Salvendy (US & CN) & Jia Zhou (CN)

## Submission Requirements & Deadlines

|  | Abstract<br>length | Deadline for<br>Abstract Receipt | Notification of<br>Review Outcome | Deadline for<br>Camera-ready Receipt |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| papers                                                                             | 800 words          | Friday, 17 October 2014          | Friday, 12 December 2014          | Friday, 20 February 2015             |
| posters                                                                            | 300 words          | Friday, 20 February 2015         | Friday, 13 March 2015             | Thursday, 2 April 2015               |
| tutorials                                                                          | 300 words          | Friday, 17 October 2014          | Friday, 21 November 2014          | Friday, 12 June 2015                 |

## Proposals for Participation

All submissions will be peer-reviewed by three independent referees from the International Program Boards.

**Parallel Paper Presentations:** For the review process, an abstract of 800 words should be submitted, including a statement of the objective and significance of the proposed presentation, a description of methods and a discussion of results.

**Poster Sessions:** These sessions will accommodate the presentation of late breaking scientific and professional news or work in progress. For the review process, an abstract of 300 words should be submitted, including the essence of the planned presentation.

**Tutorials:** Half-day and full-day Tutorials will be offered at introductory, intermediate and advanced levels covering the entire spectrum of the topics of the Conference. For the review process, an abstract of 300 words should be submitted, including the objective, content and target audience.

## Proceedings



Springer

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The HCI International 2015 Conference Proceedings, will be published by Springer in a multi-volume set. Papers will appear in volumes of the Lecture Notes in Computer Science (LNCS) and Lecture Notes in Artificial Intelligence (LNAI) series. Extended Poster abstracts will be published in the Communications in Computer and Information Science (CCIS) series. All volumes will be available on-line through the SpringerLink Digital Library, readily accessible by all subscribing libraries around the world, and will be indexed by a number of services, including ISI CPC, Ei Engineering Index, ACM Digital Library, Google Scholar, etc.

**Registration:** For publication in the Proceedings of HCI International 2015 and presentation at the Conference, a unique registration of one (co-)author per paper / poster is required by:

- 20 February 2015, for papers
- 2 April 2015, for extended poster abstracts

Individuals may appear as co-authors in several papers / posters, but multiple registrations per author / participant and multiple submissions of single-authored papers / posters will not be accepted.

## Awards

The best paper of each of the Affiliated Conferences / Thematic Areas will receive an award. The Best Poster extended abstract will also receive an award.