

# CALL FOR PAPERS



**IWSM 2010**  
20th International Workshop  
on Software Measurement



**MetriKon 2010**  
DASMA Metrik Kongress



**Mensura 2010**  
International Conference  
on Software Process and Product Measurement

**November 10-12, 2010, Stuttgart, Germany**

by **DASMA** Deutschsprachige Anwendergruppe für  
Software-Metrik und Aufwandschätzung  
**GI FG 2.1.10** German Interest Group on Software Metrics  
In cooperation with: Canadian Interest Group on Metrics  
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Keynote Speakers **Christof Ebert, Pekka Abrahamsson, Wai F. Hom**

## THEME & SCOPE

Software measurement and metrics are key technologies to manage and to control software development projects. Measurement is essential for any engineering activity and for increasing scientific and technical knowledge regarding both the practice of software development and empirical research in software technology. This conference will facilitate the exchange of software measurement experiences between theory and practice.

## TOPICS OF INTEREST

We encourage submissions in any field of software measurement, including, but not limited to

Software metrics foundations	Company-wide solutions
Measurement paradigms	Measurement-based best practice evaluation
Empirical case studies	Product and process metrics, e.g. for security
Metrics validation	Measurement-based project management and IT governance
Software benchmarking	Measurement-based business IT alignment
Functional size measurement	Practical measurement application
Software estimation	Measurement processes and support
Software process improvement	Measurement databases and tools
Quantitative management	Measurement experience and education
Six Sigma for software	Measurement acceptance and usage

## PAPER SUBMISSIONS

Authors should send proposed *short papers* (2 to 4 pages) by e-mail by **June 21 June 30, 2010** to  
[metrikonpapers@dasma.org](mailto:metrikonpapers@dasma.org) (open from April 1, 2010)

Contributions from industrial practice or practice-focused research are welcome. Papers should not have already been published elsewhere, nor should they have been submitted to a journal or to another conference. The program committee decides on paper acceptance according to a defined review procedure. At least one among the authors of each accepted paper should register for the conference and ensure paper presentation.

The final papers have to be based on the MetriKon template and must adhere to the 'IWSM/MetriKon 2010 guidelines for authors' (as provided at [www.metrikon.de](http://www.metrikon.de)).

Conference languages are English and German. German papers will be presented in a separate track.

## TUTORIAL AND WORKSHOP SUBMISSIONS

Proposals for mini-tutorials or workshops to be held in a separate track during the conference should be submitted until August 2, 2010.

## EXHIBITION

Applications for an exhibition booth should be submitted until August 02, 2010. The exhibition will be offered in parallel to the conference and should relate to the conference topics. For further information please contact the DASMA office.

## CONFERENCE TIMETABLE

Paper Submission deadline:	<del>June 21, 2010</del>	<b>extended until June 30, 2010</b>
Notification of acceptance:	August 02, 2010	
Final paper deadline:	September 20, 2010	
Conference date:	November 10-12, 2010	

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