

Call for Papers Joint International Meeting SSCAG/SCAF/EACE

These are the instructions to all authors requesting to present a paper at the May 11-12, 2010 Joint International Meeting of SSCAG/SCAF/EACEWG.

You are invited to present an abstract on one of the following topics:

1. Cost Models
2. Cost/Schedule Technical Data Collection or Histories
3. Preliminary Design Centers
4. Schedule Models and Historical Data
5. Policies: e.g., Cost & Schedule Reserves, Technical Margins, Fixed Price vs. Cost Plus, Insight vs. Oversight, etc.
6. Reality Check: Estimates vs. Actuals – What Happened and Why
7. Risks; Identification and Management – Translating risks to budget requirements

In addition, attendees are also encouraged to submit potential topics for roundtable/panel discussions for consideration by the organizers.

The abstract will be a text not more than 500 words that will identify:

- The title of the paper
- The name of the author(s)
- A brief description of the paper subject

The biography(ies) of the author(s) with a short text (no more than 300 words per biography) should be joined to the abstract. Also please list a point of contact for questions on proposed papers: Name/Tel:/Email:

All abstracts submissions will be submitted online **TO ALL 3** organizations by using these email addresses.

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Schedule: The abstracts and biographies shall be submitted not later than: **31st of January 2010** -- so that submitters may be notified by March 15th.

All questions related to the online submissions of abstracts and biographies should be directed to lead for your cost estimating organization.

This will be our sixth joint meeting, and with your enthusiastic participation I'm sure it will be as successful as the previous 5.

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