

**Third M.I.T Conference on  
Computational Fluid and Solid Mechanics  
June 14-17, 2005  
at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology,  
Cambridge, USA**

Special Session:  
**Reliability and Robust Design**

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It is a pleasure to invite you to participate in the Special Session "Reliability and Robust Design" to be held in the framework of the Third M.I.T. Conference on Computational Fluid and Solid Mechanics, M.I.T., Cambridge, USA, June 14-17, 2005. For this Special Session, we are looking for papers on Uncertainty Analysis in Engineering, Reliability-Based Design, Robust Design, Possibility-Based Design, and Decision-Based Design.

**Call for Papers/Abstracts**

Prospective authors are invited to submit EITHER a Short Paper after July 15, 2004 and prior to September 30, 2004, OR a one-page Abstract by March 15, 2005. Each Short Paper and each Abstract must correspond to a separate presentation (25 minutes each) at the Conference. Complete information regarding to the conference, and the format of the Short Paper and Abstract can be found on the web page of the Third M.I.T. Conference

<http://www.thirdmitconference.org/>

The paper or abstract should be sent to the organizer of the Special Session "Reliability and Robust Design." Authors of the Short Papers will be informed prior to December 30, 2004 regarding acceptance of their papers for presentation at the Conference and publication in the Proceedings. The accepted Short Papers will be published in the bound and CD-ROM versions of the Proceedings at the time of the Conference. Authors of the Abstracts will be informed prior to April 15, 2005 regarding acceptance for presentation at the Conference and publication in the Compilation of Abstracts.

## **Intention to Contribute**

Potential participants of the Special Session are kindly asked to fill the Intention and send it by e-mail to [kkchoi@ccad.uiowa.edu](mailto:kkchoi@ccad.uiowa.edu) before July 15, 2004.

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- Do you intend to attend the Symposium? YES NO

- Are you going to present paper(s) at the Symposium? YES NO

### **Important dates**

July 15, 2004 Start of Short Paper and Abstract submissions

September 30, 2004 Deadline for submission of Short Papers

September 30, 2004 Deadline for submission of applications for Conference fellowship

December 30, 2004 Notification of acceptance of Short Papers

March 15, 2005 Deadline for submission of Abstracts

April 15, 2005 Notification of acceptance of Abstracts

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