# CSIS DAYS 2025: Annual Meeting of Inter-University Research Activities Abstract Submission Guidelines

Center for Spatial Information Science (CSIS) will hold its annual meeting. This is an open meeting and we publicly invite presentations. Please note that your abstract will be preliminarily reviewed to ensure that it meets these requirements: the content is not too commercial, and the research is related to spatial information science. For this review and preparation of research abstract collection, applicants need to submit an abstract including tables and figures by the deadline. If you wish to make a presentation, read the following guidelines carefully and submit your abstract.

# [Notes]

- If the submitted manuscript differs significantly from the specified format or if there are problems with the readability of figures and tables, we may request revisions to the manuscript. Please note that we may make some minor modifications to the format if necessary.
- Your manuscript will be published in the Book of Abstracts and made publicly available
  on the CSIS website at a later date. Please note that this year we will not print out the
  Book of Abstracts, but will make it available on the web for participants to view during
  CSIS DAYS 2025.
- It is expected that the first author will be the presenter on the day of the presentation. To ensure that more people have the opportunity to submit, we have limited the number of submissions by the same first author to two papers.
- You must prepare your manuscript by overwriting the following manuscript sample. https://www.csis.u-tokyo.ac.jp/blog/research/csisdays25\_notification/

#### [Schedule/Venue]

- Abstract Submission Deadline: (Fri) September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025
- CSIS DAYS 2025: (Fri) 14<sup>th</sup> (Sat) 15<sup>th</sup> November, 2025 Both days will be held in person.

We will not print the abstracts this year.

The venue on both Friday and Saturday is at 6F, Kashiwa Research Complex, Kashiwa Campus, The University of Tokyo.

Kashiwa campus map: <a href="https://www.u-tokyo.ac.jp/content/400020147.pdf">https://www.u-tokyo.ac.jp/content/400020147.pdf</a> (Kashiwa Research Complex is No.18.)

# [Format]

Manuscripts must be submitted as MS-WORD files (.docx). Please be sure to download this year's sample manuscript and prepare your manuscript by overwriting the sample.

- File name must be the name of representative in alphabet.
   \*Be sure to make the file name in this order: Family name + Given name Example: KashiwaTaro.doc
- All figures in the manuscript must have a resolution of at least 400dpi.
- If you insert an Excel table into your manuscript, paste it as a picture (Enhanced Metafile).
- Please also submit a PDF file for confirmation.

The MS-WORD settings should be as follows.

- Number and Size of Pages: One page, A4
- Margin Setting: Top: 25mm, Bottom: 18mm, Left: 20mm, Right: 20mm
- Column Setting:
  - Title, author name, affiliation, contact information, and web must be in <u>single</u> column
  - Body text must be in double column.
  - Figures may be in either single column or double column (<u>single</u> column is preferable).

Note: Affiliation includes department, university, or organizational affiliation (company, government offices, or municipality).

- Horizontal Writing
- Font:
  - Title: Times New Roman, 12pt, Bold
  - Captions for figures and tables: Times New Roman, 10pt
  - Except for Title, Figure and Table: Times New Roman, 10pt
- Use comma (,) and period (.) for punctuation.
- Do not add hyperlinks such as addresses or URLs.
- You must prepare your manuscript by overwriting the following manuscript sample.

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- Purpose of Research Abstracts:
  - Please consider research abstracts as leaflets to introduce your research. You can prepare an abstract by simplifying your past presentation or you can develop your research abstract into an academic paper for a conference. The content of research abstracts must be easily understandable and interest new students and the general public. For that purpose, prepare your manuscript in consideration of the following points.
  - 1. Abstracts should be visually understandable. Be sure to insert at least one map or figure (graph, schematic illustration, etc.). Since the abstract will be printed on an A4 paper, if you use more than one map or figure, please take account of their size.
  - 2. Captions for maps or figures should be easily understandable.

- Basically, the title of each section in the abstract must be chosen from the following (slight difference is acceptable).
  - 1. Objective, Motivation, Purpose, etc.
  - 2. Approach, Methods, etc.
  - 3. Significance, Novelty, Utility, Originality, etc.\*If you made a presentation in CSIS DAYS before, please clarify the point developed from the previous presentation.
  - 4. Characteristics
  - 5. Results
- \* If you made a presentation in CSIS DAYS before, please clarify the point developed from the previous presentation.
  - 6. Data
  - 7. Software
  - 8. Acknowledgements

If you use the spatial datasets provided by CSIS, please make sure to mention that in this section as the following instruction.

If the author has made a related presentation in the past and has the literature, please mention that as related literature (not compulsory). Citation of the related literature in the body text is not required.

9. References

The literature cited in the body text must be listed as a reference.

Please follow the format of the template as much as possible when writing your references.

- Section number and title must be described in bold font as "1 Motivation: ".
- Manuscripts must be written in Japanese or English.
  - Captions for figures must be described as "Figure 1: aaa" or "Figure 1(a): bbb".
- Prepare your figures taking into consideration that the research abstracts collection will be published and posted on the website in color.
- If you use the spatial datasets provided by CSIS, please make sure to mention that in the section of acknowledgement.

Example: This research was the result of the joint research with CSIS, the University of Tokyo (No. 000).

\*If a speaker is not the first author, put "0" before the name of speaker.

Example: Takashi Oguchi, OKaoru Sezaki, Takaaki Takahashi

## [How to Submit an Abstract]

\*Please make sure to check your manuscript against the "checklist" before submission.

We use EasyChair for our online abstract submission system.

# Instructions for submitting abstracts to CSIS DAYS 2025

1. Access CSIS DAYS 2025 EasyChair site below. https://easychair.org/my/conference?conf=csisdays2025

\*If you do not have an EasyChair account, click "create an account".



- 2. Enter your username and password, then click "Log in".
- 3. Click "New Submission" in the upper left.
- 4. Enter all authors' information in English. Check "corresponding author" for the representative. And check "speaker" for the speaker. If there is an insufficient entry field, click "Click here to add more authors".



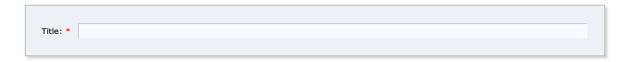
- Email address will only be used for communication with the authors. It will not appear in public Web pages of this conference. The email address can be omitted for not corresponding authors. These authors will also have no access to the submission page.
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  author, not the Web page of her or his organization.
- Each author marked as a **corresponding author** will receive email messages from the system about this submission. There must be at least one corresponding author.



5. Enter the title of your abstract in English (or Japanese) in the "Title" field. Then, enter at least three keywords in the "Keywords" field. Please put each keyword on a new line.

#### Title

The title should be entered as plain text, it should not contain HTML elements.



### Keywords

Type a list of keywords (also known as key phrases or key terms), **one per line** to characterize your submission. You should specify at least three keywords.



6. Upload your abstract in MS-WORD format (and PDF format). It is not necessary to upload your presentation slide and poster at the time of submission.



- 7. After checking the entry, click "Submit".
- 8. You can upload or replace your abstract until the submission deadline (Friday, September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025). Login to EasyChair system and click "Abstract <research abstract number>" in the upper menu, then click "Submit a new version" to upload and replace your abstract. The submission procedure has now been completed.

## Other Items

- We will check the following points and let you know if it is acceptable to make a presentation in CSIS DAYS 2025.
  - Is the research related to spatial information science?
  - Is the content not commercial-oriented?
  - Is it consistent with the purpose of this meeting?
  - Is it prepared in the specified format?
  - Is the content not almost the same as the past presentation in CSIS DAYS?
  - Is there any novelty?
- If the number of submitted abstracts exceeds the limit, we will comprehensively evaluate the abstracts and some abstracts may be rejected.
- The accepted abstracts will be published on the website of CSIS DAYS 2025 as an online research abstract collection.
- In order to publish the research abstract collection, some modifications may be made
  to the abstract except its content without author's consent: the layout of tables and
  figures, the format including linefeed, page margins, and typographical errors and
  omissions, etc.
- Presentation Style
  - Oral presentation: 5 minutes (about 15 presentations per session)
  - Poster presentation: 45 minutes (1 session)
  - All presenters must make both oral and poster presentations.

- Detailed explanations and a time for discussion will be provided in the poster presentations scheduled after the oral presentations.
- Joint Research Presentation Excellence Award / Best Presentation Award
  - We will comprehensively evaluate the content, presentation, and poster of the abstract and give the **Joint Research Presentation Excellence Award** to excellent joint researchers using JoRAS.
  - We will also evaluate the scientific novelty and significance of spatial information science and give the **Best Presentation Award** for excellent researches among all the presentations.
  - Note that these awards will only be given to the presentations with the JoRAS
    Joint Research No. written in the Acknowledgements.

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