



# National Radio Science Meeting

## 52<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary Event

January 6 – 9, 2026 at the Limelight Hotel in Boulder, CO: [www.nrsmboulder.org](http://www.nrsmboulder.org)

USNC-URSI website: <http://www.usnc-ursi.org/>

You are cordially invited to the in-person 2026 National Radio Science Meeting (NRSM). This meeting is sponsored by the U.S. National Committee (USNC) for the International Union of Radio Science (URSI), and it is technically co-sponsored by the IEEE Antennas and Propagation Society. The 2026 NRSM will include scientific sessions, a plenary session, an invited Hans Liebe Lecture, commission meetings, workshops / short courses, exhibits, a Women in Radio Science (WIRS) reception, a student paper competition, and a student mentoring luncheon. Note the new location: the [Limelight Hotel](#) rather than on campus. We look forward to seeing you in Boulder, CO in January!

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### ABSTRACT AND SUMMARY SUBMISSIONS

Abstract and summary preparation and submission instructions are [posted](#). Authors have their choice of submitting one-page abstracts or two-page summaries, both of which may be archived in IEEE Xplore if desired by the authors. Abstracts must have a minimum of 250 words and summaries are limited to two pages. The deadline to submit is **Friday, September 12, 2025**. In order for an abstract / summary to be included in the proceedings and submitted to IEEE Xplore, at least one author must be registered and the corresponding presentation must be delivered in person. Registration is also required to attend any session of the meeting.

Abstracts or summaries on any topic relating to the ten Commissions listed below are welcome. Special sessions are being organized and are listed on the conference site. Contact the appropriate USNC-URSI Commission Chair listed below or visit the [Topics](#) page on the meeting website for a list of topics and special sessions.

### COMMISSIONS

A: Electromagnetic Metrology <i>Chair:</i> Matthew Simons; <a href="mailto:matthew.simons@nist.gov">matthew.simons@nist.gov</a>	F: Wave Propagation and Remote Sensing <i>Chair:</i> David Kunkee; <a href="mailto:david.kunkee@aero.org">david.kunkee@aero.org</a>
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### STUDENT TRAVEL SUPPORT

[Travel support](#) is available for students.

### ERNEST K. SMITH USNC-URSI STUDENT PAPER COMPETITION

Prizes are available: First Prize in the amount of \$1000, Second Prize \$750, and Third Prize \$500. The deadline for students to submit to this [competition](#) is also Friday, September 12, 2025. This deadline will not be extended.

#### Questions?

For questions concerning conference logistics, please contact Christina Patarino at:  
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**Abstract / Summary Submissions and  
Student Paper Competition Submissions  
are due by**

**September 12, 2025**

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