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Call for	Asian MMS 2018 is the fifth in the series of biennial conferences held under the		
Session	patronage of International Federation for the Promotion of Mechanism and Machine Science (IFToMM) and Association for Machines and Mechanisms		
proposals	(AMM) to bring together researchers, industry professionals, and students,		
1 1	primarily from the Asian countries but also world at large. Previous conferences were held at Taipei ('10), Tokyo ('12), Tianjin ('14), and Guangzhou ('16). The conference focuses on all topics related to mechanisms and machines.		
Dates to		special session proposals from Oct. 15, 2017 to Feb. 1,	
	1	erence workshops nce [Plenary talks; invited talks; oral presentations;	Dec. 17, 2018 Dec. 18, 2018
note	Acceptance Sep. 1, '18 interaction	ve poster sessions; and more]	Dec. 19, 2018
	· ·	nce picnic [A trip to scenic and historic places]	Dec. 20, 2018
Submit a proposal for organizing a special session			
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Proposals for organizing special sessions on emerging topics in mechanism and machine science are invited from interested researchers from academia, government research organization, and industry. The proposals will be evaluated by the programme committee and the decision will be communicated to the proposer. The proposal should contain the following information:

- 1. Name of the proposer:
- 2. Position and affiliation:
- 3. Theme of the session:
- 4. Description of the theme (100-200 words):
- 5. A tentative list of potential authors (at least five):
- 6. Contact information of the proposer (email, telephone, and postal-address):
- 7. Curriculum vitae of the proposer

The proposer is expected to contact potential authors whose work aligns with the chosen theme of the proposed special session, before submitting the proposal. Additional papers are likely to be submitted under the proposed session, if it is accepted. Hence, papers submitted to a special session will also be reviewed like any other papers.

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