

The <u>2024 Neuro-Inspired Computing Elements (NICE) Conference</u> is the 11<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of researchers in the neural computing field. Like previous editions, NICE 2024 will focus on the interplay between neural theory, neural algorithms, neuromorphic architectures and hardware, and applications for neural computing technology.

NICE aims to involve diverse participation from all over the world and bring together research communities with universities, government, and industry.

NICE 2024 will be held **April 23-26, 2024**, in **La Jolla, California, USA**. <u>Registration is open!</u> Early bird registration ends on March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024!

We are still welcoming Abstracts (1-2 pages) for 'Work in Progress' or 'Late Breaking News' – Last Day to submit is **March 25<sup>th</sup>**. These submissions will be considered for poster presentations, lightning talks, or demonstrations when applicable. These submissions will not be considered for the proceedings.

## **Important Dates**

Late Breaking News Abstracts Due: March 25th, 2024 12 pm GMT

Late Breaking News Abstracts Decision Notification: March 31st, 2024

Camera Ready Papers Due: March 31st, 2024 AoE

# **List of Topics**

Listed below are the topics for the conference, together with a non-exhaustive list of relevant sub-topics. During submission, please indicate which of the following topics your paper impacts:

- Architectures and Hardware
  - Neuromorphic Hardware
  - Analog/Mixed-Signal and Beyond-CMOS Hardware
  - Compute-In-Memory Architectures
  - Next-Generation Architectures
- Computational and Systems Neuroscience
  - Neural circuits: Theory and Experimental Support
  - Local learning and Plasticity
  - Connectomics
- Neural Algorithms and Machine Learning
  - Neuroscience-Inspired Algorithms
  - Resource-Constrained and/or Hardware-Aware Artificial Neural Networks
  - Spiking Neural Networks
- Neuromorphic Computing Applications
  - Emerging Applications
  - Robotics and Automation
  - High-Performance Computing
  - Edge Computing
  - Biosignal Processing and Brain-Computer Interfaces
- Bio-Inspired Sensing
  - Event-Driven Sensing
  - Novel Neuromorphic Sensors
  - Efficient Spike-Based Information Coding and Processing
- Algorithms and Software Frameworks for Neuromorphic Computing
  - Tools and Programming/Mapping Frameworks
  - Benchmarks, Neuromorphic Datasets
  - Theoretical Frameworks and Models for Neuromorphic Engineering
  - Memory-efficient Spike-Based Simulators

This year there will be multi-track tutorials on neuromorphic platforms on **Friday**, **April 26<sup>th</sup>**. Additional information will be available during the registration period.

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### Venue

NICE 2024 will be held at <u>Scripps Seaside Forum</u> in La Jolla, California, USA on April 23<sup>rd</sup> - April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2024, with a tutorial day on April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2024

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