

## Important Dates:

- Deadline for receipt of abstracts:  
**February 9th 2009**
- Notification of abstract acceptance:  
**March 13th 2009**
- Deadline for receipt of full paper:  
**May 4th 2009**
- Deadline for early registration discount:  
**July 17th 2009**
- Conference:  
**1st - 4th September 2009** at the University of Strathclyde in Glasgow, Scotland

The latest information about the conference can always be found at the conference website:

<http://www.upec2009.org>



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## CALL FOR PAPERS

### The 44th International Universities' Power Engineering Conference



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## The Conference:

It is with great pleasure that the Institute for Energy and Environment in the Department of Electronic and Electrical Engineering at the University of Strathclyde invites you to the 44th International Universities' Power Engineering Conference (UPEC 2009) in Glasgow.

UPEC has been long-established as a major annual international forum for the presentation, discussion and exchange of information concerning new trends in electric power engineering. As well as universities, contributions are welcome from industry. In light of the major challenges now faced by the power and transport industries and the need for talented engineers and innovations to meet those challenges in the coming decades, contributions from younger engineers and researchers are particularly encouraged.

The conference will provide an excellent opportunity to meet old friends and make new ones and, crucially, to become better informed about the latest developments in the field of power engineering.

The subject areas covered include but are not restricted to:

1. Power System Operation and Control
2. Power System Simulation and Analysis
3. Distributed Generation
4. Renewable Energy Systems
5. Smart Grids
6. Power Quality
7. High Voltage Engineering and Dielectrics
8. Electromagnetic and Electrostatic Effects
9. Electrical Machines and Drives
10. Power Electronics and Devices
11. Power Conversion
12. Electric Transportation and Mobility
13. Power System Condition Monitoring
14. Diagnostics and Measurements in Power Systems
15. Power Engineering Education

## Technical Programme:

The technical programme of the conference comprises

- Presentation of accepted papers
- Panel sessions
- Invited presentations on selected topics
- A one day tutorial (optional)

A full social programme will also be offered to delegates and their companions to provide maximum opportunity for networking as well as relaxation.

An up-to-date programme will be available at  
<http://www.upec2009.org>

## The City

The University of Strathclyde is in the centre of Glasgow, one of the liveliest and most cosmopolitan destinations in Europe. The city has been reborn as a centre of style and vitality set against a backdrop of outstanding Victorian architecture. As well as its renowned industrial and intellectual heritage, Glasgow boasts world famous art collections, the best shopping in the United Kingdom outside London, and the most vibrant nightlife in Scotland. Must sees include the Art Nouveau splendour of Scotland's best known architect Charles Rennie Mackintosh and the countryside to the north and west around Loch Lomond and The Trossachs.

Glasgow is extremely well-connected by air via Glasgow, Prestwick and Edinburgh international airports and by mainline rail to the whole of the UK. It has a range of comfortable accommodation to suit all budgets and plenty of good eating.

## Instructions to Authors

**Authors are invited to submit:**

- Abstracts (to be received no later than February 9th, 2009). The abstract should contain the title of the paper, contact person, authors and their affiliations, keywords, together with a summary of the paper and its main contributions. The main conference subject area to which the paper is most relevant should also be quoted. Notification of acceptance will be given by March 13th, 2009.
- Full Papers (to be received no later than May 4th 2009). After acceptance of an abstract, authors will be requested to submit the full paper with a maximum of five pages.

Detailed instructions on format and submission of abstracts and papers can be found at

<http://www.upec2009.org>

It should be noted that only electronically submitted abstracts and papers will be considered.

All accepted papers have to be presented at the conference, and will be published in the conference proceedings. English will be used for all printed material, as well as for the technical presentations and discussions. Presented papers will be listed on IEEE Xplore and INPSEC.

