

BATTCON 2017, Renaissance Orlando Sea World, Orlando, Florida

May 8 to 10, 2017 with Preconference Activities May 7

The Battcon International Stationary Battery Conference is a three day, noncommercial, technical event for storage battery manufacturers, technologists, and end-users. Battcon features papers, presentations, workshops and panel discussions, plus a two evening trade show with storage power related vendors. Users, manufacturers of batteries and battery test equipment, installers, researchers, and standards and safety experts attend the conference to learn about and discuss the latest industry developments.

The Battcon Stationary Battery Conference is calling for papers that address everyday battery applications, technical advances, and industry concerns.

Battcon is calling for papers for the 2017 conference in Orlando, FL May 8 to 10. The conference will focus on the needs of the user and address those needs. Battcon also has three breakout workshops and the ever-popular, optional preconference seminars.

We encourage both previous presenters and first time authors to submit abstracts for consideration. If, like so many of us, you're tight on time, perhaps you might co-author with an associate. Our technical committee is ready to offer the advice you need.

You may submit an abstract on any battery related topic or one of the categories listed. Whether you're in R&D, education, manufacturing, servicing or an end user, presenting lets you share your experience and knowledge with your colleagues in the industry.

Feel free to contact us for more on presenting at this year's Battcon conference.

Papers should be noncommercial, unique, your own work, not previously published, and of interest to all levels. Fresh ideas on battery use, application, and maintenance are always of interest. Each group of 20 minute papers is followed by a Q&A session.

Submit a brief abstract, along with a biography, by mid-February. Describe the paper's main points and conclusions in a Word file attachment to Jack Mack, Battcon Publications. Email the abstract to jack.mack@vertivco.com.

Upon acceptance, submit a final paper, along with a copyright release, by late-February. An author style guide is available.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Technical Developments

Battery, system, and/or charging improvements.
Life extending experiences.

Battery Installation

Battery sizing, applications, and testing. System design considerations. Environmental concerns. Ventilation. Protection and fault management.

Monitoring Experiences

Small and/or large battery applications.
Field studies - Lessons learned.

Service and Maintenance

Battery system management. Field experiences.
System safety issues.

Codes and Standards

Tutorial. New developments. Field experience in application.

Case Studies and Field Experiences

Small and/or large battery applications, successful or not.

Distributed Power Architectures - Pros and Cons

Grid connected storage. Distributed power in data centers and central offices.

Advanced Technologies and Energy Storage

New technology advances. Storage and renewables.
New applications.

Batteries and the Go-Green Environmental Push

Renewables. Hybrid systems. Sustainability.

Anything else on the subject of batteries!