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Submission deadline: 10 June 2016

THE STEPHENSON CONFERENCE: RESEARCH FOR RAILWAYS

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In April 2017 the Railway Division will host the second international 'Stephenson Conference', dedicated to railway research. The conference will bring together researchers and industry experts to present, debate and develop their work.

The event follows the inaugural 2015 conference, attended by 138 delegates from **14 different countries** with 72 research papers and a further 10 case studies demonstrating how **research benefits the railways**.

Peer reviewed research papers will again be complemented by **practical case studies**, illustrating the value that good railway research can bring to the **development** of the railway industry. The conference will also include **keynote addresses** from leaders in the industry and from academia.

Call for Papers:

The Railway Division wants to hear from you or anyone working in the field of railway research to present their work to an international audience. The conference themes are broad and will include:

- Infrastructure
- Rolling stock
- Train control

- Customer benefits
- Capacity
- Reliability and sustainability

HOW TO SUBMIT

Submit an abstract for your proposed paper in 250 words and include:

- Your full name, job title, organisation and contact details
- \bullet A working title for your paper
- A short biography for the lead author (no more than 50 words)

Timeline:

10 June 2016 - Initial abstract due 30 September 2016 - Draft paper due

Please submit your abstract before **10 June 2016** via the website:

Alternatively contact us on **+44 (0)20 7973 1251** or visit: **eventenguiries@imeche.org**

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All conference papers should be in English. Authors are required to pay the conference attendance fee at a reduced rate. Travel or accommodation expenses cannot be covered by the Institution. All accepted papers will be published and available to all conference delegates.

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