

**Application for EMC Oral Presentation Award**  
**Electronic Materials Conference 2026**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Mailing Address (*school address preferred*): \_\_\_\_\_

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Student E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Advisor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Advisor E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Advisor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

*Advisor signature certifies that the advisor has reviewed the award submission and finds that the work appears to be original and performed by the student.*

Title of EMC Abstract:

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**Submission Requirements:**

Items listed below should be submitted as a single pdf file by April 24<sup>th</sup> at 11:59pm EST. To submit, go to the EMC website, click “Submit Now” for Late News, choose the Student Awards section, and upload your pdf (this cover page, the NSF-style biosketch, and the one-page narrative). Detailed instructions are given at the end of this document. Examples of recent successful applications are provided on the EMC website. Students who won last year are not eligible to compete this year.

- NSF-style Biosketch (*up to 2 pgs, template attached*)
- One-page narrative (*inclusive of figures and references*) that highlights motivation and novelty of the work.

*Example of Biographical Sketch outline for NSF – 2 pg limit; 1" margins all around.*

**Name**  
Contact info

**a. Professional Preparation** (*List undergrad & grad educ & postdoc training in same order & format as below*)

Undergrad Institution	Major	B.S., Year
Grad Institution	Major	M.S., Year
Grad Institution	Major	Ph.D., Year
Postdoctoral Institutions	Area	Years

**b. Appointments** (*List academic & professional appts in reverse chronological order*)

2000- Exulted and Grand Leader of the Universe, Little Pond University  
1998- Executive Associate Dean of College of Science, Texas A&M University  
1990-1997 Head of Statistics, Texas A&M University  
1989-90 Visiting Professor, Statistics, Carnegie-Mellon University  
1988-Professor, Statistics, Texas A&M University  
1983-88 Associate Professor, Statistics, Texas A&M University  
1978-83 Assistant Professor, Statistics, Texas A&M University

**c. Publications** (*Must include the names of all authors in order, article & journal title, book title, volume #, pg #s & year of publication; use consistent professional format. Incl web address if available electronically. For unpublished manuscripts, list only those submitted or accepted for publication and likely date. Patents, copyrights & S/W systems may be substituted for pubs.*)

(i) Five most closely related to proposal project

Last name, Initials., Last name, Initials. (year). Title. Publisher, Location.

Last name, Initials. (year). Title. Journal, Volume #, pg #-#.

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(ii) Five other significant publications

**d. Synergistic Activities** (*List up to 5 examples demonstrating broader impact of your professional & scholarly activities focusing on integration, transfer and creation of knowledge. Examples below*)

Produced book and software introducing concept visualization laboratories into large (3000 students per year) elementary statistics courses at Texas A&M.

American Co-editor of Journal name 1998-

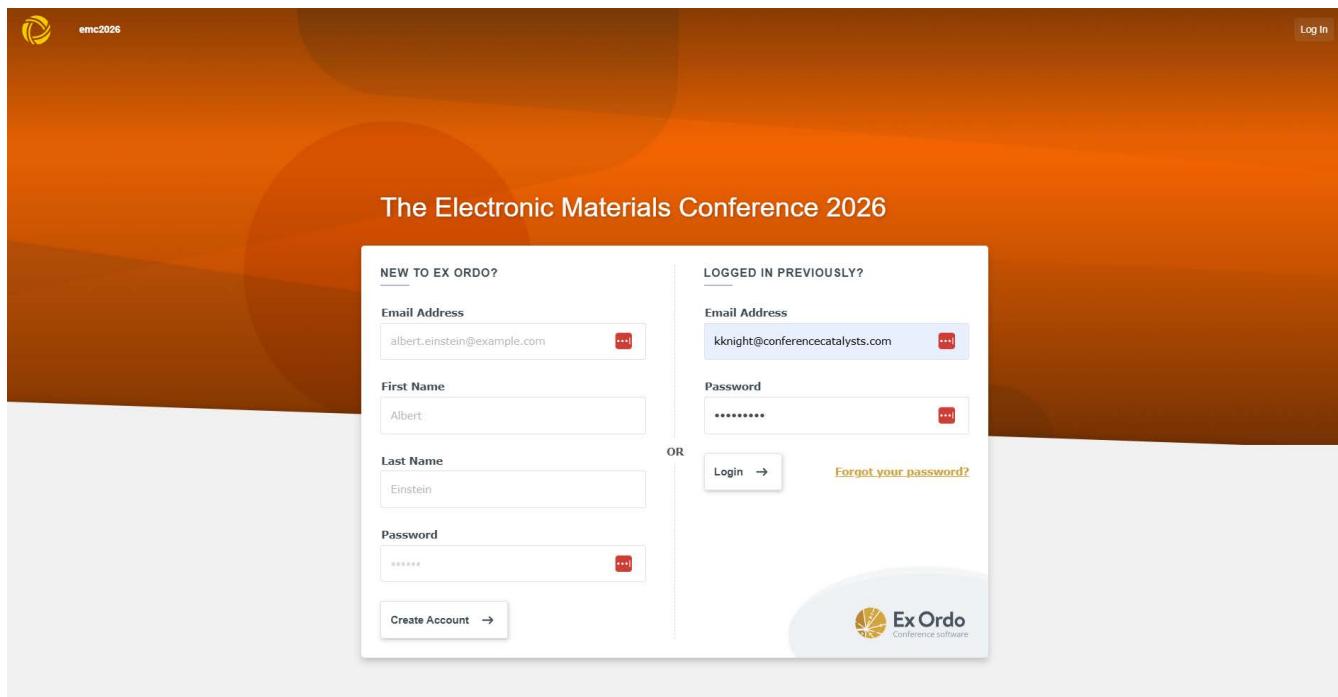
Associate Editor of *Journal Name* 1991-1995

Host and organizer of 1992 Symposium on the *Title*

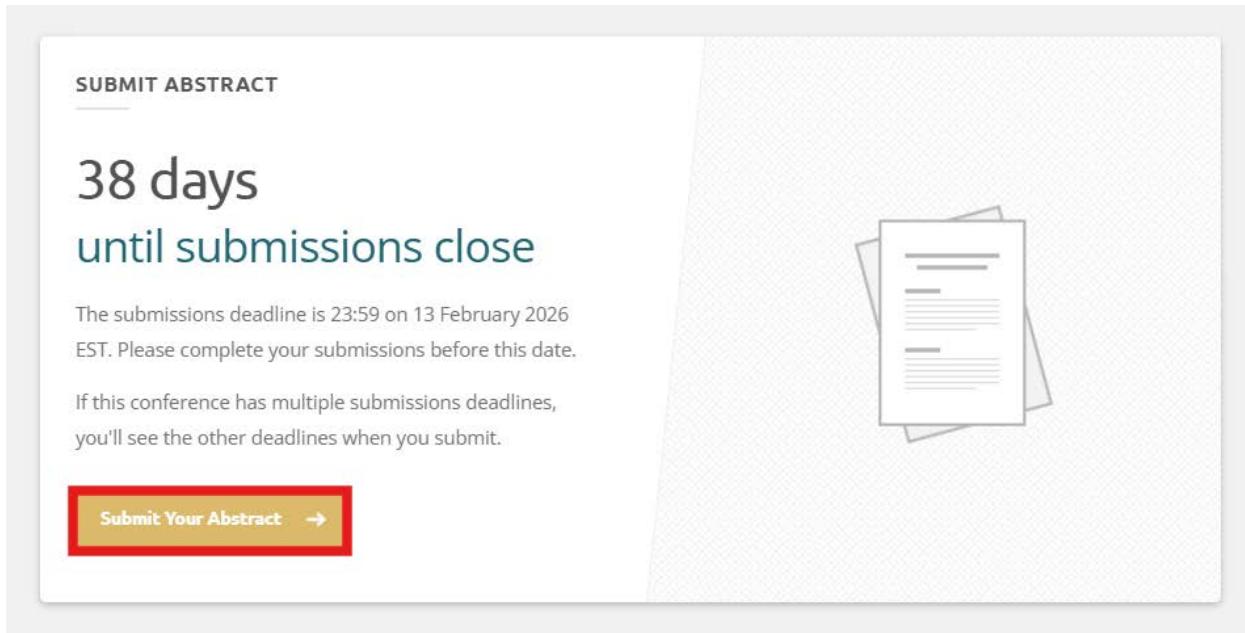
## Submission instructions

1) Navigate to the EMC Ex Ordo website at <https://emc2026.exordo.com/login>

2) Log in to Ex Ordo



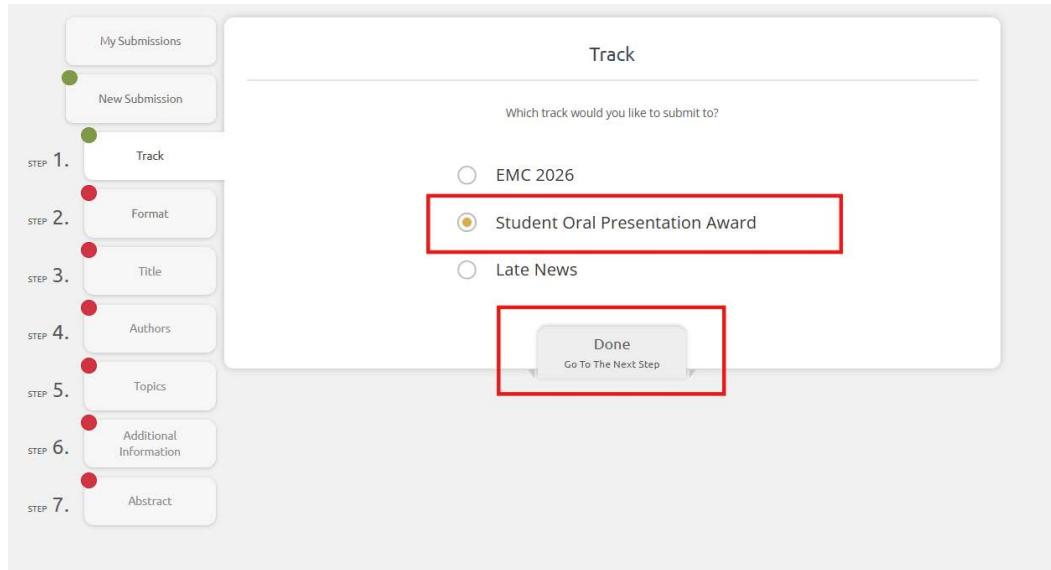
3) Click on “Submit your Abstract”



4) Click Next

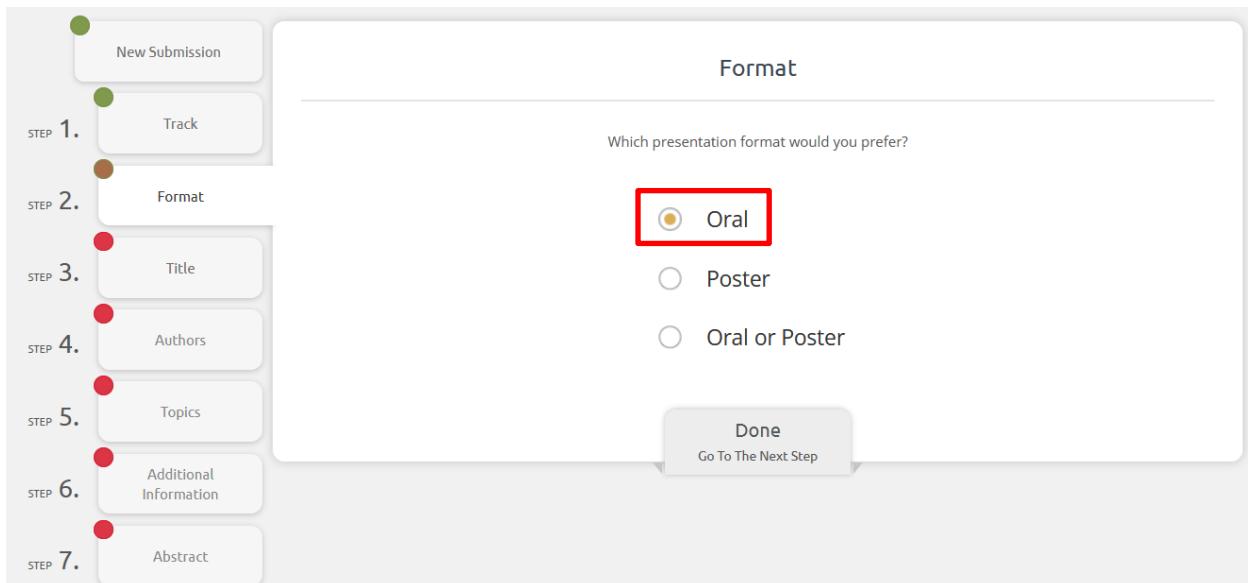
A screenshot of a 'New Submission' form. On the left, a sidebar lists steps: 'My Submissions' (highlighted with a green dot), 'New Submission' (highlighted with a red dot), '1. Track', '2. Format', '3. Title', '4. Authors', '5. Topics', '6. Additional Information', and '7. Abstract'. The 'New Submission' tab is selected. The main right panel contains instructions: 'Please upload your two-page, single-column abstract submission for the Electronic Materials Conference. The first page should contain abstract text and references. The second page should contain figures with captions.' It also lists requirements: 'Your 2-page (maximum) pdf submission will be used for abstract scoring and should include the following: - Abstract Title (required) - Author names and affiliations (required) - Abstract text (required) - References (if necessary) - Figures with captions (optional but encouraged)'. Below this is a section for 'Information for Authors': 'Please select your preference for a poster or oral presentation; however, this selection is not guaranteed.' and 'Student Eligibility: To qualify as a student submission, the primary author must be a student (graduate or undergraduate) at the time of abstract submission. Additionally, the presentation must be delivered in person at the conference by the same student submitter.' At the bottom is a 'Next' button with a red border.

5) Select “Student Oral Presentation Award Nominations” and click Done.



The screenshot shows the 'Track' step of a submission process. On the left, a vertical list of steps is shown: 1. New Submission, 2. Track, 3. Format, 4. Title, 5. Authors, 6. Topics, 7. Additional Information, and 8. Abstract. Step 2, 'Track', is highlighted with a green dot. The main area is titled 'Track' and asks 'Which track would you like to submit to?'. It lists three options: 'EMC 2026' (radio button), 'Student Oral Presentation Award' (radio button, highlighted with a red box), and 'Late News' (radio button). A 'Done' button with the sub-instruction 'Go To The Next Step' is at the bottom, also highlighted with a red box.

6) Select “Oral” and click Done



The screenshot shows the 'Format' step of a submission process. On the left, a vertical list of steps is shown: 1. New Submission, 2. Track, 3. Format, 4. Title, 5. Authors, 6. Topics, 7. Additional Information, and 8. Abstract. Step 3, 'Format', is highlighted with a brown dot. The main area is titled 'Format' and asks 'Which presentation format would you prefer?'. It lists three options: 'Oral' (radio button, highlighted with a red box), 'Poster' (radio button), and 'Oral or Poster' (radio button). A 'Done' button with the sub-instruction 'Go To The Next Step' is at the bottom.

7) Enter the title of your abstract. This should be the same title you used in your original abstract submission. This lets us link your original abstract and this application.

STEP 1. New Submission

STEP 2. Track

STEP 3. Format

STEP 4. Title

STEP 5. Authors

STEP 6. Topics

STEP 7. Additional Information

STEP 8. Abstract

**Title**

Example submission

Done  
Go To The Next Step

8) Select “Yes” to the question “Is this a student submission.” Enter the authors on the abstract. Click Done.

STEP 1. My Submissions

STEP 2. New Submission

STEP 3. Track

STEP 4. Format

STEP 5. Title

STEP 6. Authors

STEP 7. Topics

STEP 8. Additional Information

STEP 9. Abstract

**Authors**

Is this a student submission?

Yes  No

Please nominate all the authors that contributed to this submission below.

**Kennedy Knight**  
kknight@conferencecatalysts.com [I'm not an Author](#)

Title \*

Affiliation \*

Country \*

Done

2. Add Another Author

Done

9) Check “EMC Student Award Self-Nominations” and click Done.

Topics

Please choose a maximum of two topics from the list below.

TOPICS	1 Topics
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EMC Student Award Self-Nominations	

If none of the topics suit, choose the nearest applicable topic or contact the chair for further advice.

Done  
Go To The Next Step

STEP 1. New Submission

STEP 2. Track

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STEP 7. Additional Information

Abstract

10) Enter your original abstract from your original submission in the text box. Select “Yes, I would like this abstract to be considered for the Student Oral Presentation Award. Agree to the EMC Code of Conduct. Click Done.

**Additional Information**

**Text Abstract \***

Please upload the text abstract for your submission. This is the abstract that will be displayed in the EMC program, and should correspond to the first page of your two-page pdf submission.

**STEP 1.** New Submission

**STEP 2.** Track

**STEP 3.** Format

**STEP 4.** Title

**STEP 5.** Authors

**STEP 6.** Topics

**STEP 7.** Additional Information

**STEP 7.** Abstract

**Enter your original abstract here.**

**Student Oral Presentation Award**

Would you like to enter your abstract into the Student Oral Presentation Award competition?

Eligibility:

- The abstract must be presented in person at the conference by the student author.
- The author must be a student (graduate or undergraduate) at the time of abstract submission.

**Yes, I would like this abstract to be considered for the Student Oral Pres...**

**EMC Code of Conduct \***

Please indicate your willingness to adhere to the EMC Code of Conduct below:

A core value of the Electronic Materials Conference (EMC) is being inclusive and egalitarian. EMC event participants are expected to foster an inclusive, cooperative environment where all are welcomed, open dialogue is encouraged, and all perspectives are appreciated. Every event participant is expected to act in a professional, responsible and courteous manner while engaged in EMC events and activities. Unprofessional behavior, including disparaging comments and unwelcome conduct related to sex, race, color, gender, age, disability, orientation, national origin, or religion, will not be tolerated. If any event participant engages in unprofessional behavior, EMC leadership may take any action it deems appropriate, ranging from a warning to the offender to expulsion from current and future EMC activities. Promoting technical excellence is another core value of EMC. EMC authors and co-authors are expected to adhere to the highest ethical standards with regard to abstract submissions, presentations, and publications. It is the responsibility of all authors to ensure the integrity of reported results, compliance with sponsoring organization policies, and the acknowledgment of contributors, funding organizations, and institutions where the research was conducted. It is the intent of EMC leadership to foster the respectful behavior embodied in this Code of Conduct. EMC leadership staff will be happy to help event participants contact venue authorities and otherwise assist with Code of Conduct concerns.

I agree to adhere to the EMC Code of Conduct.

**Done**  
Go To The Next Step

11) Upload a pdf of your application. It should contain the cover page, the NSF-style biosketch, and the one-page narrative (*inclusive of figures and references*) that highlights motivation and novelty of the work. Click Done. Your award nomination is now submitted.

Abstract

Please upload your abstract below.



**Upload Abstract**

**FORMATTING GUIDELINES**

Please upload your two-page, single-column abstract submission for the Electronic Materials Conference. The first page should contain abstract text and references. The second page should contain figures with captions.

- Paper Size: US Letter (8.5" x 11")
- Fonts: Embed ALL fonts in your PDF file. Avoid the use of Type 3 fonts.
- File Format: Adobe PDF (.pdf)
- Allowed File Size: 5.0MB
- Do NOT page number your abstract.
- Do NOT apply security settings to your PDF file.

**Done**  
Save Submission