The 38th International Conference on Acoustics, Speech, and Signal Processing (ICASSP) will be held in the Vancouver Convention & Exhibition Centre, Vancouver, Canada, on May 26 - 31, 2013. ICASSP is the world’s largest and most comprehensive technical conference focused on signal processing and its applications. The conference will feature world-class speakers, tutorials, exhibits, and over 120 lecture and poster sessions. Topics include but are not limited to:

- Audio and acoustic signal processing
- Multimedia signal processing
- Bio-imaging and signal processing
- Sensor array & multichannel signal processing
- Signal processing education
- Design & implementation of signal processing systems
- Speech processing
- Image, video & multidimensional signal processing
- Industry technology tracks
- Signal processing for communications & networking
- Information forensics and security
- Signal processing theory & methods
- Machine learning for signal processing
- Spoken language processing
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Tutorial and Special Sessions Proposals: Tutorials will be held on May 26 and 27, 2013. Brief proposals should be submitted by August 31, 2012, to tutorials@icassp2013.com and must include title, outline, contact information, biography and selected publications for the presenter(s), and a description of the tutorial and material to be distributed to participants. Special sessions proposals should be submitted by August 31, 2012, to specialsessions@icassp2013.com and must include a topical title, rationale, session outline, contact information, and a list of invited papers. Refer to the ICASSP 2013 website for additional information.

Important Deadlines:
- Special Session & Tutorial Proposals Due ................................................................. August 31, 2012
- Notification of Special Session & Tutorial Acceptance .............................................. October 1, 2012
- Submission of Regular Papers .................................................................................. November 19, 2012
- Notification of Paper Acceptance ............................................................................. February 18, 2013
- Revised Paper Upload Deadline ................................................................................ March 18, 2013
- Author’s Registration Deadline ................................................................................ March 18, 2013