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IROS 2023: Registration Discounts Available as RAS Launches its Pilot Member Support Program

The RAS leadership is delighted to announce the launch of the IEEE RAS Member Support Program. This pilot program is designed to support the member content creators of RAS mission-related activities.

The application deadline is **31 August 2023** (23:59:59 EDT). For more information, including eligibility and application instructions, click [here](#). For questions, please contact ras-msp@ieee.org.

RAS Member Events at CASE 2023

RAS is pleased to present two luncheon networking events for our Members attending the 19th IEEE International Conference on Automation Science and Engineering (CASE) in Auckland, New Zealand. Space is limited; advance registration is required. Don't miss the chance to attend! Click [here](#) for more information.

IEEE CASE AUCKLAND 2023

19TH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON
AUTOMATION SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

RAS Lunch with Leaders (LwL) for Students and Young Professionals

Sunday, 27 August

12:30 – 13:30

Gallery Room 4, Cordis Hotel, Auckland, New Zealand

[Register in Advance](#)

RAS Women in Engineering (WIE) Luncheon: Panel Discussion on Diversity

Diversity in Automation Science and Engineering

Monday, 28 August

12:15 – 13:30

Gallery Room 4, Cordis Hotel, Auckland, New Zealand

[Register in Advance](#)

CFP: ICRA 2024 in Yokohama, Japan



We are pleased to announce the call for papers for the 2024 IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA), which will be held 13-17 May 2024 in Yokohama, Japan.

Below are some of the key dates and deadlines:

- Paper submission deadline: 15 September 2023
- Workshop/tutorial program submission deadline: 25 September 2023
- Robot competition proposal submission deadline: 15 October 2023

[Website](#)

[Flyer](#)

Call: Social Media Ambassador for IROS 2023

The RAS Media Services Board (MSB) and Student Activities Committee (SAC) are searching for Social Media Ambassadors for the upcoming **IROS 2023** conference in Detroit, Michigan, USA. So if you're a social media-savvy RAS student member planning on attending IROS, apply now! Social Media Ambassadors will receive up to US\$500 in travel support.

What do we expect? You will meet with the conference publications chair to prepare and post the major announcements before, during, and after the conference.

[Apply](#)

PUBLICATIONS

RAS Develops New Video Submission Guidelines for T-RO, RA-L, T-ASE, and RA-M

RAS has developed **new video submission guidelines** for T-RO, RA-L, T-ASE, and RA-M. Check them out!

Call for Nominations: RA-M Associate Editors

IEEE Robotics & Automation Magazine (RA-M) is soliciting nominations for four new Associate Editors (AEs), to begin in January 2024. Click [here](#) for details on the role and application instructions.

Please note that the deadline for submitting nominations is **1 September 2023**.

New Issue Alerts: RA-L, T-RO, T-MRB

New Issues are now available on IEEE *Xplore* for the following periodicals:

- *IEEE Robotics and Automation Letters* (RA-L)—two new batches of papers have been published! Check them out [here](#) and [here](#).
- *IEEE Transactions on Robotics* (T-RO, **Vol. 39, No. 4**). Click [here](#) for the Table of Contents.
- *IEEE Transactions on Medical Robotics and Bionics* (T-MRB, **Vol. 5, No. 3**). Click [here](#) for the Table of Contents.

MEMBERSHIP & SOCIETY NEWS

The RAS Automation Cluster Holds its Inaugural Forum at ICRA 2023 on Pioneering Visions for a Sustainable Society

Held as part of ICRA 2023 in London, the inaugural RAS Automation Technical Committee (TC) Cluster Forum convened on 30 May 2023. This groundbreaking event, chaired by Birgit Vogel-Heuser and Angela Faragasso, brought together pioneers in the field of automation.

The central theme of this forum was **how can automation contribute to a livable and sustainable society in the future?**

[Learn More](#)



Birgit Vogel-Heuser chaired the 2023 Automation TC Cluster Forum.

AWARDS

Call for RAS Award Nominations: Deadline Extended to 1 September

Who are the leaders in the robotics and automation field? Who should be honored with a prestigious IEEE RAS Award? Consider nominating them! But hurry, the deadline for IEEE RAS Award nominations is midnight (US ET) on **1 September 2023**.

Details for each award, including eligibility and nomination requirements and lists of previous recipients, may be found [here](#).

Questions or comments? Reach out to ras@ieee.org.



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