Abstract Submission Deadline Extended to Friday, March 15, 2019

**Abstract Submission and Registration and Open
CORS Saskatoon 2019
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ABSTRACT SUBMISSION: https://openconf.org/cors2019
Abstract Submission timelines:

- **March 15th, 2019 - Abstract submission deadline *NEW DATE**
- March 21, 2019 - Confirmation of abstracts
- April 30, 2019 - Registration deadline for presenters

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General remarks:

- The abstract summary should be short (max 100 words), clear, concise and written in English with correct spelling and good sentence structure.

- Submission of an abstract constitutes a commitment by the submitter/presenter to present if accepted.

- The same presenting author cannot be assigned to more than one (1) abstract as presenter but can be included as co-author on more than one submission.

- The submitter/presenter of the abstract must register at the appropriate conference rate by April 30, 2019. After, April 30, 2019, the CORS2019 Conference Program Chair reserves the right to remove the presentation from the schedule.

- Final selection, track and session assignments will be made by the CORS 2019 Program Committee and Cluster Chairs.
- An email message will be sent to the abstract submitter by March 21, 2019 with a report on the status of the abstract (accepted or declined). The CORS2019 Program Committee will determine the day and time of presentation.

Research clusters (topics):
- Education and OR
- Energy, Natural Resources & the Environment
- Forestry and OR
- Healthcare Operations
- Business & Data Analytics
- Military, Defense & Security Applications
- Optimization and Network Analysis
- Scheduling and Constraint Programming
- Finance and Fintech
- Queuing Theory
- Revenue Management - in honor of Prof. Jeff McGill
- Stochastic Models and Simulation
- Sports & Entertainment Analytics
- Operations & Service Management
- Transportation and Logistics
- Other Topics

COMPETITIONS:

- **Practice Prize Competition**: http://cors.ca/?q=content/practice-prize-competition

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  - CORS Student Paper Competition (Open and Undergraduate categories) http://cors.ca/?q=content/student-paper-competition
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PLENARY SPEAKERS: www.cors2019.ca/speakers

1. **Harold Larnder Memorial Lecture**
   (more information to follow)
   R. Tyrrell Rockafellar - Professor Emeritus, University of Washington

2. **Impacting Business by Combining Predictive and Prescriptive Analytics** Michael Trick - Dean of Carnegie Mellon University in Qatar and the Harry B. and James H. Higgins Professor of Operations Research at the Tepper School of Business, CMU.

3. **Adventures in Policy Modeling!**
   Edward H. Kaplan - William N. and Marie A. Beach Professor of Operations Research, Public Health, and Engineering at Yale University's School of Management

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Registration dates and deadlines:
- **Early Registration - February 15, 2019 to April 15, 2019**
- Regular Registration - April 16, 2019 to May 25, 2019
- Late Registration - May 26, 2019 to May 29, 2019

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