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Sands Expo & Convention Centre

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Dear Ocean Scientists, Engineers and Technologists,

Greetings from Singapore!

Many of you would have felt a lost opportunity to visit Singapore in 2020 when we had to cancel our conference due to the pandemic. And we did not want to disappoint you for long. Singapore is all set to organise yet another OCEANS Conference during 14-18 April 2024. The conference is expected to attract about 700 delegates and 50 exhibitors who will showcase their latest research and technologies in the area of ocean science and engineering.

The conference venue, Sands Expo and Convention Centre, Marina Bay is an iconic venue, often dubbed as a ‘mini city’, featuring an infinity swimming pool on its top. The SkyPark at Marina Bay Sands provides a stunning view of the city, a must-see photo opportunity for visitors and locals alike.

The ArtScience Museum always has a top-quality exhibition, and Gardens by the Bay is a fascinating manifestation of the government’s vision of Singapore as a “city in a garden”. Enticing Marina Bay is well worth a visit.

The conference theme “Climate resilience, coastal protection and a sustainable Ocean”, has great significance not just for Singapore, a small Island nation, but for the region and the world. The conference will feature sessions and topics focused on this theme and beyond. Keynote speeches, Panel sessions, Town Halls and regular technical sessions as well as the Student Poster Competition are all part of the OCEANS 2024 Singapore. Look out for calls towards organising special sessions in the areas of your expertise. Great networking opportunities at our social events like welcome reception, exhibitor’s reception, and gala dinner. More details on our conference website: https://singapore24.oceansconference.org/

Attending a conference is not just about participation in the technical programme and exhibition. It also provides the delegates over the world an opportunity to explore, understand and experience the unique cultures of the country where conference is being held. One of the most safest country in the world, Singapore is also the best example of how people of different religious faiths can co-exist in peace and harmony. A Garden City state with lush green vegetation in an urban setting, good transportation system, world class airport, mouth-watering international cuisine and ease of communication in English language all make it very special for visitors. This is also a great opportunity for visiting many neighbouring countries such as Malaysia, Thailand, Vietnam, Cambodia and Indonesia, to name a few, which are all 2 to 3 hrs by flight from Singapore.

Don’t miss the opportunity to be part of the Singapore AUV Challenge, a competition for tertiary students that will be held the week prior to OCEANS 2024 Singapore. The 2022 edition of this competition saw over 250 students from 12 countries participating. Check the details of the competition at www.sauvc.org. We are also planning a ‘Short School’ for OCEANS registrants, details of which will be made available soon.

So, come, participate and experience an exciting conference together with us.

Yours Sincerely,

Venugopalan Pallayil & Chia Chin Swee
General Co-Chairs, (For LOC, OCEANS 2024 Singapore)
IEEE is the world’s largest association of technical professionals with over 400,000 members in over 160 countries around the world.

The IEEE Oceans Engineering Society (OES) is one of the 40 technical societies organized under the IEEE’s Technical Activities Board.

www.ieeeoes.org

MTS is the leading international community of ocean engineering, technologists, policy makers, and educators who promote awareness, understanding advancement and application of marine technology.

www.mtsociety.org
The OCEANS conference is the flagship event of the IEEE Oceanic Engineering Society (OES) and the Marine Technology Society (MTS). It features all aspects of oceanic engineering, science and technology. The conference runs twice a year: every autumn (fall) in North America and every spring in the rest of the world. The rest of the world meetings alternate between Europe (in odd years) and Asia/ Pacific Rim (in even years).

The prestigious OCEANS series of conferences are recognized as the premier forum for the international marine community to meet and discuss topical issues in a format of easy information exchange. OCEANS brings together engineers, scientists, managers and policy makers from all aspects of the oceanic spectrum.

OCEANS features an associated trade exhibition with companies and institutions representing the wide range of activities found in the marine community. Every edition brings together more participants and represents each topic of the field.

The Key Highlights of the Conference

- Over 700 professionally reviewed technical papers, including special focus theme sessions
- Plenary sessions with leaders from industry, academia, and government.
- 50+ exhibitors showcasing the latest innovations in products and services.
- A student poster session featuring outstanding projects and other student activities.
- Papers presented at the conference are subsequently archived in the IEEExplore online research database.
- Tutorials, workshops, demonstrations, government listening sessions, social and networking opportunities, field trips and an attractive social programme.

Events Conduct and Safety Statement

IEEE believes that science, technology, and engineering are fundamental human activities, for which openness international collaboration, and the free flow of talent and ideas are essential. Its meetings, conferences, and other events seek to enable engaging, thought-provoking conversations that support IEEE’s core mission of advancing technology for humanity. Accordingly, IEEE is committed to providing a safe, productive, and welcoming environment to all participants including staff and vendors, at IEEE-related events.

IEEE has no tolerance for discrimination, harassment, or bullying in any form at IEEE-related events. All participants have the right to pursue shared interests without harassment or discrimination in an environment that supports diversity and inclusion. Participants are expected to adhere to these principles and respect the rights of others.

IEEE seeks to provide a secure environment at its events. Participants should report any behavior inconsistent with the principles outlined here, to on site staff, security or venue personnel, or to contact@singapore24.oceansconference.org
General Chair:
Venugopalan Pallayil, National University of Singapore

Co-Chair:
Chia Chin Swee, DSO National Laboratories

Technical Chair:
Mandar Chitre, National University of Singapore

Finance Chair:
Koay Teong Beng, National University of Singapore

Exhibit Chair:
Bharath Kalyan, National University of Singapore

Exhibit Co-Chair:
Phillip Thomas, Sea & Land Technologies Pte Ltd

Promotional Chair:
Manu Ignatius, Subnero Pte Ltd

Tutorial Chair:
Hari Vishnu, National University of Singapore

Student Poster Chair:
Too Yuen Min, National University of Singapore

Webmaster:
Rajat Mishra, National University of Singapore

OCEANS Liaison:
Ken Takagi, IEEE Oceanic Engineering Society
Zedenka Willis, Marine Technology Society

Local Arrangements Chair:
Florie Mancel
EXPECTED DELEGATES FOR 2024

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North America: 10%
Europe: 20%
Middle East: 3%
Asia Pacific: 65%
Others: 2%
Standard OCEANS Topics

- Underwater Acoustics and Acoustical Oceanography
- Sonar Signal/Image Processing and Communication
- Ocean Observing Platforms, Systems, and Instrumentation
- Remote Sensing
- Ocean Data Visualization, Modelling, and Information Management
- Marine Environment, Oceanography, and Meteorology
- Optics, Imaging, Vision, and E-M Systems
- Marine Law, Policy, Management, and Education
- Offshore Structures and Technology
- Ocean Vehicles and Floating Structures
- Aquaculture

Special Topics OCEANS 2024 Singapore

- Novel AUV, USV and multi-domain platform designs
- Underwater Communications in Challenging Environments
- Acoustic Propagation in Littoral Waters
- Ballast Water Management and Hull Cleaning Regulations
- Technologies for Monitoring Climate Change
- Field Marine Robotics
- Managing Marine Growth & Corrosion in Tropical Waters
- Navigation and Situational Awareness for Autonomous ships
- Marine Environment and Energy in East Asia
- Technology for Mitigating Marine Plastic Pollution
- Seabed Acoustics
- Underwater Acoustic Studies in Pacific Rim Regions
- Swimmer/Diver Communication and Navigation
- Bioacoustics
CONFERENCE VENUE

Sands Expo and Convention Centre, Marina Bay Sands
WHY PARTNER AND EXHIBIT

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Participating in OCEANS 2024 Singapore Offers the Following Benefits:

• Access to the marine industry’s influencers and decision-makers, including leading scientists, technologists, engineers, and government representatives.
• Opportunity to connect with and showcase your company to a large and diverse international audience of over 700 stakeholders in the marine technology industry.
• Ability to meet your clients and develop your network.
• Platform to promote your latest innovations and concepts in a supportive environment.
• Chance to create new business opportunities, raise your company’s profile, and align your brand with the marine science, technology, and engineering sector.
• Access to technical program sessions to stay on the cutting edge of what’s next in the worlds of marine science, technology, and engineering, and keep up with your competitors.
• Enhanced knowledge of the market.
• Benefit from media coverage.
• Strategic location of exhibit hall next to the main plenary auditorium.
• All lunches and applicable session breaks will be held on the exhibit floor, with the lunch session on day one expanded to 90 minutes to allow substantial time for business interactions.
• Designed exhibit floor to prompt greater visitor and exhibit engagement, providing ample opportunities for vendors and suppliers to network with current and prospective customers.
• Prominent feature of the exhibit floor - the Innovation space - providing exhibitors and patrons with an opportunity to share technical presentations and product demonstrations.
• A chance to find top talent for your company and a potential to offer them on-the-spot interviews.

Contact Information

To inquire about sponsorship or exhibition packages, please get in touch with the event organizers.
exhibit@singapore24.oceansconference.org.
There are five patronage packages available, along with opportunities to support individual items.

- Each package offers different benefits, which can be tailored to fit your specific requirements and suggestions.
- Gold, Silver, and Bronze patrons of IEEE/MTS OCEANS 2024 Singapore will receive the following benefits:

  - Listing as a patron/supporter on all advertising and general publicity.
  - Logo on IEEE/MTS OCEANS 2024 Singapore conference website home page as a live link.
  - Link to your company/organization website from links page on IEEE/MTS OCEANS 2024 Singapore website.
  - Listing on Patrons and Supporters page in preliminary and final programmes.
  - 200 word company write-up and logo in Patrons and Supporters section.
# PATRONAGE OPPORTUNITIES

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<td>Complimentary stay at marina bay sands (2 nights)</td>
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<td>Exhibition space</td>
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<td>Complimentary exhibitor passes</td>
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<td>Inclusion of company logo on conference signage</td>
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<td>Verbal acknowledgement of support during 1 keynote session</td>
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<td>Conduct 1 x 30min hands-on workshop for industry-academia engagement</td>
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<td>Access to 20min technical/marketing session at innovation space</td>
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<td>Logo highlight on web app industry patron list</td>
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**Standard Exhibitor Booth Package**

Package $7,500  
Early Bird Rate $6,500

(4X3, 12 sqm) includes:
- Backdrop
- Daily Cleaning
- Carpeted Floor
- 1 x Information Desk
- 1 Fluorescent Light
- 2 x Folding Chairs
- 1 x 13amp Power Socket
- 1 x Basket
- 2 x Exhibitor Badges
- 1 X Complimentary Conference Pass

**Academia/NGO/SBIR**

$4,500

For small businesses and innovation research startups.
- Exhibition Space 9 sqm
- 1 x Complimentary Exhibitor Pass
- Exhibitors name and logo included on the conference website
- Conduct 1 x 30min hands-on workshop for industry-academia engagement
- Access to 20min technical/marketing session at Innovation Space

All prices are in SGD and are exclusive of GST.  
Allocation is based on first come, first served basis, with priority given to the level of partnership.
Other Opportunities

There are various ways to contribute to the conference, and we are open to discussing other options for support.

In addition to the specific benefits outlined for each opportunity, companies participating in any of the available ‘a-la-carte’ options will receive extra perks, including a link to their website from the IEEE OCEANS 2024 Singapore website page and a listing on the Patrons and Supporters page in the online program.
Demo Sessions
(30 min session, 6 X opportunities, upon request)

It is possible to take advantage of the conference attendees, who are highly skilled specialists and experts, by organising an industry session or side event. These events will be advertised and included in the conference programme, providing a chance for sponsors to increase their reach before, during, and after the conference. Private side events, such as corporate meetings, may also be arranged by invitation only.

All programmes and topics must be submitted to the Organizing Committee for approval.

Academia Industry Hands-On Workshop
(upon request)

Opportunity to hold a workshop during the conference (limited opportunities available)

• Promotion on the Conference website with your own link for delegates to RSVP directly to you.
• Supporter logo to be included in the Conference programme or conference app for the allocated workshop.
• Content including title, speaker details and a brief synopsis of your proposed session is to be sent to the Conference Organising Committee for approval.

• Room hire and standard audio-visual entitlements will be included (any additional audio-visual requirements, speaker costs will be at the expense of your organisation).
• Conduct 1 x 30-minute time slot for an Academia-Industry hands-on workshop.

Session Supporter
(upon request)

Opportunity to brand a scientific session in the Conference programme includes:

• 1 Full conference pass
• Supporter logo to be included in the Conference programme for either session of choice (i.e. “Session Supported by”) or on Session Holding slides.
• Supporter can display up to two roll-up free standing banners (maximum dimension of 85 cm wide x 200 cm high) designated location by the Conference Organiser during the supporter session.
• Supporter’s marketing collaterals can be distributed to participants during the session - supporter to provide items.

Raw
(Empty Exhibition Space min. 18 sqm)

$500 per sqm
SOCIAL EVENTS NETWORKING SESSION
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Confrence Gala Dinner
$45,000
(2 Opportunities)

The IEEE OCEANS 2024 Singapore Gala Dinner, which will take place at a venue that is particularly appealing to visitors, is frequently regarded as the week’s most enjoyable event. This event offers an opportunity for delegates to catch up with old acquaintances, establish new connections, and unwind by engaging in conversation. The dinner will also recognize patrons in the final program and display their logos on the menu.

Icebreaker Reception
$20,000
(2 Opportunities)

- Recognition during the Opening Ceremony, with a chance to make a short speech lasting no more than five minutes before the Welcome Reception.
- Possibility of displaying branding at the Welcome Reception, pending approval.
- Opportunity to distribute branded merchandise or gifts to guests at the Welcome Reception, subject to approval.
- Display of supporter logo and acknowledgement on the conference website, including a web link.
- Placement of supporter logo in the conference handbook or app, if available.
- Inclusion of supporter logo on official recognition slides.
- At the discretion of the conference organizers, possibility of displaying supporter logo on other promotional materials used to recognize sponsors.

Exhibitor Reception
$30,000
(2 Opportunities)

The grand opening of the OCEANS 2024 Singapore Exhibition is a highly attended event that offers great branding opportunities for all registered delegates. Attendance is included in the delegate registration fee, which accounts for the strong turnout.

As a supporter, you can expect the following benefits:
- Recognition in the conference programme.
- Possibility of having naming rights to the exhibitor function (pending approval).
- Provision of signage by your organization to be displayed in the exhibitor function.
- Inclusion of supporter logo in the conference programme book (subject to printing deadlines).
- Opportunity to give a 5-minute speech at the beginning of the exhibitor function.
- Acknowledgement in the conference programme book and/or conference app.
- Opportunity to brand catering and/or entertainment for OCEANS 2024 Singapore Industry Partners and exhibitor function.
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<td>Lunch</td>
<td>$5,000</td>
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<td>Maximize your branding exposure with a partnership opportunity that offers high visibility. This includes the following benefits:</td>
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<td>• Display of your corporate logo on lunch service tables.</td>
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<td>• Possibility for supporters to showcase up to two free standing roll-up banners in the lunch areas, with a maximum dimension of 85cm x 200cm.</td>
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<td>Morning Tea</td>
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<td>Afternoon Tea</td>
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<td>Recruitment Opportunities</td>
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<td>• Meet with potential employees face-to-face</td>
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<td>• Assess their fit for your company culture</td>
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<td>• Offer them on-the-spot interviews</td>
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<td>Charging Station</td>
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<td>Re-charge the crowd and gain visibility by having this exclusive logo branding opportunity on a conference charging station point.</td>
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<td>Water Refill Stations/Water Bottle</td>
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<td>Hydrate the crowd and gain visibility by having this exclusive logo branding opportunity on a conference water station Point.</td>
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<td>Barista Station</td>
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<td><strong>Patronage Of Conference Bag</strong></td>
<td>$10,000</td>
<td>A conference bag will be given to all delegates, containing OCEANS 2024 Singapore information and your company brochure (provided by you). Your logo will also be featured on the OCEANS 2024 Singapore website.</td>
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<td><strong>Conference Lanyard and Badge</strong></td>
<td>$12,000</td>
<td>All attendees at the congress will be provided with name badges, which must be worn at all times. The sponsor’s logo will be placed on the rear of the badges along with those of the other key supporters. Your logo will also be featured on the OCEANS 2024 Singapore website. The lanyards will be attached to all name badges, which must be worn at all times. The sponsor’s logo will be printed on the lanyards in one colour. Your company’s logo will be featured on the OCEANS 2024 Singapore lanyard and also on the OCEANS 2024 Singapore website.</td>
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<td><strong>One Satchel Insert in Delegate Bag</strong></td>
<td>$2,500</td>
<td>You have the chance to include promotional materials and/or a small gift in the delegate bag that will be given to all attendees, including speakers and VIPs upon arrival. You will need to provide 700 leaflets/gifts for this purpose.</td>
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<td><strong>Full Page, Colour Advert in Conference Program</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Half Page, Colour Advert in Conference Program</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Conference Stationary</strong></td>
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<td>This exclusive partnership opportunity offers maximum branding exposure through the provision of conference pens, thumbdrives, and conference notepads.</td>
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The OCEAN 2024 Singapore Organising Committee reserves the right to amend the floorplan without prior notice.
The organisers are here to make sure that you are recognised as a valued partner of the conference and that your investment is maximised.

Request a digital conference banner to share with your industry partners and contacts.

Request the conference banner/logo to use in your email marketing campaigns to your clients and to promote your presence at the conference.

Ask for the conference banner/logo to use in your email marketing campaigns as well as in print advertisements and promotional material (reserved for Major Corporate Partners).

Inform your contacts database of your participation in the event via e-mail blasts or newsletters.

Send press releases to trade publications.

Post the conference banner on your company website.

Registration Information
A programme and online registration details will be available in due course at https://singapore24.oceansconference.org.

The organizers have reserved bedrooms in local hotels and in relation to this event. Special rates have been negotiated in selected hotels.

Sponsors and exhibitors can book the hotel rooms through the online registration process, which will be available on the conference website in due course.

Please contact the conference office for further details at: contact@singapore24.oceansconference.org

Corporate Events
Should you wish to organise a corporate event during the conference, please contact us at: exhibit@singapore24.oceansconference.org

IMPORTANT NOTICE: The signing of a contract (partnerships, marketing, advertising and exhibition or any other form of participation) implies a commitment not to organise or promote Corporate Events or gatherings held during the OCEANS 2024 Singapore schedule of the Official Conference Programme, without the prior and express agreement of the Organising Committee.
### Important Dates

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<td>Early bird registration opens</td>
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