

## Daily Events & Sessions

### Sunday, August 23

3:00pm-9:00pm	Registration	Marriott, 5 <sup>th</sup> Floor
6:00pm-7:30pm	Opening Session	Chicago Symphony Center <i>Busing provided from Marriott.</i>
8:00pm-9:30pm	Reception	Marriott

### Monday, August 24

7:30am-5:00pm	Registration	Marriott, 5 <sup>th</sup> Floor
8:30am-5:00pm	Exhibits	Marriott, 5 <sup>th</sup> Floor
9:00am-9:50am	Plenary: Stephen Boyd	Marriott
10:00am-10:30am	Coffee Break	Marriott & Gleacher Center
10:30am-12:00pm	Technical Sessions (MA)	Marriott & Gleacher Center
12:00pm-1:00pm	COSP Meeting	Gleacher Center
12:00pm-1:15pm	Lunch Break (on your own)	
1:15pm-2:45pm	Technical Sessions (MB)	Marriott & Gleacher Center
2:45pm-3:15pm	Coffee Break	Marriott & Gleacher Center
3:15pm-4:45pm	Technical Sessions (MC)	Marriott & Gleacher Center
5:00pm-5:50pm	Semi-Plenary: Eva Tardos	Marriott
5:00pm-5:50pm	Semi-Plenary: Mihai Anitescu	Marriott
7:00pm-11:00pm	MPS Council Meeting	Gleacher Center

### Tuesday, August 25

7:30am-5:00pm	Registration	Marriott, 5 <sup>th</sup> Floor
8:30am-5:00pm	Exhibits	Marriott, 5 <sup>th</sup> Floor
9:00am-9:50am	Plenary: Friedrich Eisenbrand	Marriott
10:00am-10:30am	Coffee Break	Marriott & Gleacher Center
10:30am-12:00pm	Technical Sessions (TA)	Marriott & Gleacher Center
12:00pm-1:15pm	Lunch Break (on your own)	
1:15pm-2:45pm	Technical Sessions (TB)	Marriott & Gleacher Center
2:45pm-3:15pm	Coffee Break	Marriott & Gleacher Center
3:15pm-4:45pm	Technical Sessions (TC)	Marriott & Gleacher Center
5:00pm-5:50pm	Semi-Plenary: Martin Skutella	Marriott
5:00pm-5:50pm	Semi-Plenary: Paul Tseng	Marriott
6:15pm-7:15pm	MPS Business Meeting	Marriott

### Wednesday, August 26

8:00am-5:00pm	Registration	Marriott, 5 <sup>th</sup> Floor
8:30am-5:00pm	Exhibits	Marriott, 5 <sup>th</sup> Floor
9:00am-9:50am	Plenary: Matteo Fischetti	Marriott
10:00am-10:30am	Coffee Break	Marriott & Gleacher Center
10:30am-12:00pm	Technical Sessions (WA)	Marriott & Gleacher Center
12:00pm-1:15pm	MP Editorial Luncheon	Gleacher Center
12:00pm-1:15pm	Lunch Break (on your own)	
1:15pm-2:45pm	Technical Sessions (WB)	Marriott & Gleacher Center
2:45pm-3:15pm	Coffee Break	Marriott & Gleacher Center
3:15pm-4:45pm	Technical Sessions (WC)	Marriott & Gleacher Center
5:00pm-5:50pm	Semi-Plenary: Shuzhong Zhang	Marriott
5:00pm-5:50pm	Semi-Plenary: David Shmoys	Marriott
7:00pm-10:00pm	Conference Banquet	Field Museum <i>Busing provided from Marriott.</i>

### Thursday, August 27

8:00am-5:00pm	Registration	Marriott, 5 <sup>th</sup> Floor
9:00am-9:50am	Plenary: Lars Peter Hansen	Marriott

10:00am-10:30am	Coffee Break	Marriott & Gleacher Center
10:30am-12:00pm	Technical Sessions (ThA)	Marriott & Gleacher Center
12:00pm-1:15pm	Lunch Break (on your own)	
1:15pm-2:45pm	Technical Sessions (ThB)	Marriott & Gleacher Center
2:45pm-3:15pm	Coffee Break	Marriott & Gleacher Center
3:15pm-4:45pm	Technical Sessions (ThC)	Marriott & Gleacher Center
5:00pm-5:50pm	Semi-Plenary: Eddie Anderson	Marriott
5:00pm-5:50pm	Semi-Plenary: Jong-Shi Pang	Marriott

**Friday, August 28**

8:00am-1:00pm	Registration	Marriott, 5 <sup>th</sup> Floor
8:30am-9:20am	Plenary: Andrzej Ruszczynski	Marriott
9:30am-10:00am	Coffee Break	Marriott & Gleacher Center
10:00am-11:30am	Technical Sessions (FA)	Marriott & Gleacher Center
11:30am-1:00pm	Lunch Break (on your own)	
1:00pm-1:50pm	Plenary: Pablo Parrilo	Marriott
2:00pm-3:30pm	Technical Sessions (FB)	Marriott & Gleacher Center