

The DRD3 Speakers Committee

Contact: ulrich.parzefall@cern.ch

drd3-wg8-conveners@cern.ch (not active yet)



- **Basic Mission of a Speakers Committee (SC)**
 - **Generate visibility for collaboration (and review overview papers)**
 - Identify conferences and workshops of interest to collaboration
 - Submit abstracts, communicate with conference organisers, generate invitations
 - Identify suitable speakers
 - Rehearse and review talks (and proceedings/papers)



- **Basic Mission of a Speakers Committee (SC)**
 - Generate visibility for collaboration (and review overview papers)
 - Identify conferences and workshops of interest to collaboration
 - Submit abstracts, communicate with conference organisers, generate invitations
 - Identify suitable speakers
 - Rehearse and review talks (and proceedings/papers)
- **Personal experience**
 - Several years on ATLAS ITK (also as chair) and on RD50 SC
 - SC in a large experiment like ATLAS is major task with diverse bureaucratic and political challenges.
 - RD50 SC was very basic system (mostly PLs, IB Chair plus myself), not systematic, not really a “Speakers Committee”

- **Basic Mission of a Speakers Committee (SC)**
 - **Generate visibility for collaboration (and review overview papers)**
 - Identify conferences and workshops of interest to collaboration
 - Submit abstracts, communicate with conference organisers, generate invitations
 - Identify suitable speakers
 - Rehearse and review talks (and proceedings/papers)
- **Personal experience**
 - Several years on ATLAS ITK (also as chair) and on RD50 SC
 - SC in a large experiment like ATLAS is major task with diverse bureaucratic and political challenges.
 - RD50 SC was very basic system (mostly PLs, IB Chair plus myself), not systematic, not really a “Speakers Committee”
- **Suggested Mandate of DRD3 SC**
 - Conferences: Deal **only** with overview talks (covering DRD3 summaries or at least several WGs)
 - WG-specific talks to be handled **within that WG**
 - Proceedings or publications: Deal **only** with overview proceedings

Setting up a SC in DRD3

- **Composition of DRD3 SC**
 - WGs to be represented (does not mean we need 8 people)
 - Young scientists or early stage researchers should also be represented
 - Nominations and volunteers are welcome – please contact me
 - SC members should be voted upon by the CB in the future
 - SC organised by chair and deputy, mostly by mail, sometimes zoom
 - SC should change regularly: rotating new members in to keep the experience
- **Abstracts**
 - To be compiled by SC. But: SC depends on you! Needs material from WGs (input from WG leaders and individuals)
 - Often abstracts need to be tailored or are conference-specific
 - To be published on CDS
- **Speaker selection**
 - We should expect only a few DRD3 overview talks per year
 - Suggestion: Group leaders nominate speaker candidates
 - Some details needed (e.g. *expertise, tenured or not, reason for nomination*)
 - SC will make a choice of speaker – based on nominations, expertise, career situation, # of talks a group already had, etc ...

- **Draft DRD3 rules:**
 - Regular status reports: full author list (all DRD3 members are authors), review by SC
 - Journal papers (incl. Proceedings) covering the research programme of the whole Collaboration: full author list, review by SC
- “DRD3 promotes the publication of scientific papers in open access mode” ...
- **Author List:** compiled by SC, based on input from CB members / group leaders
 - There is no qualification process, nor a mechanism for removing authors leaving DRD3

Relevant Conferences

- **Pixel 2024 Strasbourg**
 - 18-22 Nov 2024
 - abstract deadline 5 July
- **VCI 2025 Vienna**
 - 17-21 Feb 2025
 - abstract deadline 6 Oct
- „Regulars“ in general:
TIPP, IWORID, IEEE NSS, PISA, PSD, VERTEX ...
- If you are involved in organising a conference that might be of interest to DRD3, please inform the SC

Backup

Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg



**UNI
FREIBURG**

- **Speakers Committee is responsible for:**
 - Sending abstracts.
 - Appointing speakers for public talks.
 - Editing and taking care of the review of the common papers.
 - Maintaining an author list.
 - Proposing publication policies.
 - Awarding DRD3 thesis awards.