



Call for Abstracts for 2026 CEOS SAR SAR Cal & Val Workshop

Dear CEOS SAR Cal & Val WG Members,

Further to the previous announcement of the next **CEOS SAR Cal & Val 2026** workshop, which will be co-hosted by CSIRO and Geoscience Australia in Perth, Australia, from **30 November to 4 December 2026**, we would like to inform you that we are now ready to **receive your abstract submissions by sending a PDF abstract as an email attachment to ceos-sar-2026@csiro.au**

Location: [CSIRO Australian Resources Research Centre \(ARRC\), Kensington, Perth, Western Australia](#)

We encourage all to support our community with contributions in any of the following topics:

- Calibration of Running SAR Missions
- Calibration of Future SAR Missions
- Calibration of Airborne/UAV/Drone SAR Systems
- Calibration Methodology and Techniques
- Calibration/Validation Targets and Sites
- Calibration Requirements and Definitions
- Innovative SAR Instrument Concepts
- Processing Algorithms (SAR, InSAR, Polarimetry, Tomography)
- InSAR Calibration and Verification
- InSAR Altimetry Calibration and Validation
- Polarimetry/Compact Polarimetry Calibration
- Calibration of Multi-channel and DBF Systems
- Cross-Calibration and Verification
- Space-based and Ground-based RFIs
- Use of AI for Cal/Val and SAR System Monitoring
- SARCALNET
- AIS-based Validation of SAR-based Vessel Detection and Velocity Estimation
- Calibration of SAR System Parameters for Geophysical Applications (e.g., sea surface height, radial ocean current velocity, terrain surface deformation, biomass/forest structure, soil moisture etc)
- Analysis Ready Data Products (ARD)

Please note the following Important Dates:

Initial Announcement:	27 May 2026
Abstract submission open:	1 July 2026
Registration open:	3 August 2026
Deadline for Abstract submissions:	11 September 2026
Notification of Acceptance:	9 October 2026
Registration close:	8 November 2026
Workshop:	30 November – 4 December 2026

Abstract Submission Guidelines:

Those wishing to contribute to the Workshop may do so by submitting an abstract relevant to one or more of the above-mentioned topics. Contributors may select their preferred presentation format as either an oral presentation, or a poster.

Submitted abstracts will be reviewed by the Workshop's Scientific/Technical Committee. Contributors will then be notified of the acceptance of their submission. Abstracts will be used to finalize the Workshop's program.

The abstract should be submitted as PDF considering the following:

- Be written in English;
- Not exceed one page (except for References), in letter (8.5 X 11 inch) or A4 format;
- Include a header with the following:
 - Title;
 - Name(s) of author(s) [Please indicate last name in capital letters];
 - Email address of corresponding author.
 - Institutional affiliation;
 - Complete mailing address;
 - Underline the name of the corresponding author;
 - In bold, indicate the name of the presenting author;
- Include the preferred contribution format, as either: **a)** an oral presentation, or **b)** a poster.
- Include suggested topic(s) of your contribution, from the above-mentioned list.

An MS Word abstract template is provided.

Please submit your PDF abstract as an attachment to an email to the Workshop secretariat at: ceos-sar-2026@csiro.au

Additional information on workshop registration as well as on the venue, accommodation options, and visa support is available at the workshop website:

<https://events.csiro.au/Events/CEOS-SAR-2026>

Best regards,

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