

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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## **APEC 2026 Committee Soliciting Suggestions for Plenary Session Topics and Speakers**

41<sup>st</sup> annual Applied Power Electronics Conference will take place in San Antonio next March; Conference organizers are now gathering ideas and suggestions for the Plenary Session. Deadline for submissions is July 24, 2025.

San Antonio, Texas – June 26, 2025 – The APEC 2026 organizing committee is open for suggestions for Plenary Session topics and speakers for the 41<sup>st</sup> annual Applied Power Electronics Conference. Each year, the Plenary Session is held on the Monday preceding the opening of the exhibition hall. Following a tradition of featuring a series of cutting-edge, high-level talks from industry notables, the Plenary Session sets the stage for the entire week-long conference program. The deadline for submitting suggestions for the Plenary Session is July 24, 2025.

APEC's exceptionally well-attended plenary presentations bring together thought leaders from industry, government, and academic institutions to explore topics of broad interest to the power electronics community. Anyone wishing to propose a theme, talk title, or speaker can fill out the online APEC 2026 Plenary Suggestion Survey. (We encourage those interested in making suggestions to view the 2025 Plenary Session page to watch a recording of last year's session and see the associated slides to appreciate the high quality of an APEC Plenary.)

"We are reaching out to our worldwide community of power electronics professionals for their ideas to help us create the Plenary Session for next year's conference," said Stephanie Watts Butler, Chair of the APEC Plenary Session committee. "We request our attendees inform us of their desired best themes, topics, and speakers to make APEC 2026 yet another success. The July 24<sup>th</sup> deadline is approaching fast, so we ask those interested to make their suggestions soon."

## About the Applied Power Electronics Conference (APEC)

As "The Premier Event in Applied Power Electronics™," APEC focuses on the practical and applied aspects of the power electronics business. This is not just a designer's conference. APEC has something of interest for anyone involved in power electronics:

- Equipment OEMs that use power supplies and dc-dc converters in their equipment
- Designers of power supplies, dc-dc converters, motor drives, uninterruptable power systems, inverters and any other power electronic circuits, equipment and systems
- Manufacturers and suppliers of components and assemblies used in power electronics
- Manufacturing, quality and test engineers involved with power electronics equipment
- Marketing, sales and anyone involved in the business of power electronics
- Compliance engineers testing and qualifying power electronics equipment or equipment that uses power electronics

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