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Over the last fifty years, computational intelligence has evolved from artificial intelligence, nature-inspired computing, and social-oriented technology to cyber-physical integrated ubiquitous intelligence towards Pervasive Intelligence (PI). The IEEE International Conference on Pervasive Intelligence and Computing is intended to cover all kinds of these intelligent paradigms as well as their applications in various pervasive computing domains. PICom 2026 is the conference on Pervasive Intelligence and Computing, previously held as PCC (Las Vegas, USA, 2003 and 2004), PSC (Las Vegas, USA, 2005), PCAC (Vienna, Austria, 2006, and Niagara Falls, Canada, 2007), IPC-2007 (Jeju, Korea, December 2007), IPC-2008 (Sydney, Australia, December 2008), and since 2009 as the name PICom. It aims to bring together computer scientists and engineers, providing a platform for vibrant discussions and exchanges on experimental and theoretical results, ongoing work, cutting-edge designs, and innovative test-environments or testbeds, while also delving into the latest advancements and novel trends in Intelligence and Machine Learning within the realms of Pervasive Intelligence and Computing.

Tracks and Topics

Track 1: Next Gen Pervasive AI and Generative AI

- GenAI for wireless sensing
- Machine-to-machine GenAI
- Generative IoT
- GenAI for semantic communications
- Multi-agent network powered by GenAI
- Big Data and Smart Data
- Brain-inspired Computing
- Mobile Data Mining
- Ubiquitous Data Mining

Track 2: Intelligent Networks, Middleware and Applications

- 5G networks and Technologies
- AI/ML for smart wireless networks
- AI and machine learning-based applications for ad hoc networks
- Cooperative and cognitive communication
- Middleware for the IoT
- Adaptive Middleware for Pervasive Systems
- Context-aware applications
- Intelligent/Smart IoT
- Programming Abstractions for IoT

Track 3: Pervasive Computing and Activity/Affect Recognition

- Crowdsourcing and Social Computing
- Collective Intelligence
- Agent-based Computing
- Pervasive Devices and RFIDs
- Wearable Devices and Applications
- Activity Recognition
- Intelligent Social Networking
- Pervasive Technologies for ITS
- HCI for Pervasive Computing

Track 4: Next Gen Smart Systems and Environments

- Smart grid, Healthcare, Transportation Applications
- Wearable and Human-centric Devices and Networks
- Device Virtualization
- Intelligent Cloud Computing
- Services for Pervasive Computing
- Smart Cities and Smart Homes
- Privacy, Security and Trust in Smart Environments
- Autonomous Pervasive Systems
- Autonomous IoT & Digital Twins

Track 5: Edge Intelligence Applications

- ML for resource allocation at the Edge
- NFV-Edge
- 5G-Edge
- Edge-assisted IoT
- Integration of Edge Computing and Blockchain
- Edge-Cloud Continuum
- Edge AI

Track 6: Work-in-Progress & Late Breaking Innovation

- The track covers all the topics but it is aimed at either papers that have an original but not fully validated proposal (WiP) or present a breakthrough, a new vision or an out of the box idea on the field to be discussed at the conference (LBI).

Submission Instructions

Authors are invited to submit their original research work that has not previously been submitted or published in any other venue. Regular, work-in-progress (WiP), and workshop/special session papers need to be submitted via EDAS (link to be provided) in the IEEE CS Proceedings format (http://www.ieee.org/conferences_events/conferences/publishing/templates.html). All the accepted papers will be published by IEEE in the Conference Proceedings (IEEE-DL and EI indexed). Best Paper Awards will be granted to high-quality papers. Some papers, originally submitted as full papers and based on review results, can be accepted as short papers or poster papers. In such cases, the authors will need to reduce the number of pages of the paper accordingly when preparing the camera-ready version. Authors of accepted poster papers will be required (i) to prepare and submit the CR version of the paper for inclusion in the conference proceedings and (ii) to produce the poster (format will be announced) for its presentation at the conference. At least one of the authors of any accepted paper is requested to register and present the paper at the conference. Full Papers: 6-8 pages - WiP/WS/SS/Short Papers: 4-6 pages - Poster Papers: 2-4 pages - LBI Papers: 4-8 pages

Important Dates

Regular Paper Due: **15 Jul 2026**
WS/SS Proposals Due: **10 Jul 2026**
LBI Paper Due: **20 Aug 2026**
Authors Notification: 1 Sep 2026
Paper Registration Due: 24 Sep 2026
Camera-ready Submission: 1 Oct 2026

