A Guideline for the Preparation of Abstracts

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| Event | Date |
| Online Abstract Submission Open | Aug. 3, 2020 |
| Deadline for Abstract | Nov. 27, 2020 |
| Notification of Acceptance for All Authors | Jan.15, 2021 |
| Deadline for Paper Upload for Student Session Only | Early Feb., 2021 |
| Notification of Presentation Schedule for All Authors | Early Feb., 2021 |
| Online Paper Submission & Registration Open | Early Feb., 2021 |
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Fig. 1. B-Conplaza

**References**

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