AIAA Regional Student Conference Publication FAQs

Will my paper be published from the Regional Student Conferences?

- Yes, effective February 2023, all university student (undergraduate or masters) papers submitted and presented at the Regional Student Conferences (Regions I-VII) will be published with AIAA. At this time, high school papers will not be published.

How do I publish my paper from the student conferences?

- The primary author of each paper will be required to complete and upload a copyright form as part of their final paper submission. Only one copyright form per paper submission is needed. Once your final paper is submitted online, no alterations to the paper will be accepted.

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When will my paper be published?

- The papers will be published after the conclusion of all seven regional student conferences. The proceeding will be published on or before AIAA’s SciTech Forum proceedings (January of each year). If your paper wins first place at the regional student conference, your paper will be published as part of the SciTech proceedings.

Where can I find my published paper?

- Student papers will be published on AIAA’s Aerospace Research Central (ARC). All student papers will be free to access.

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