



FOPAM 2019 <<http://fopam.org>> brings together the best of industry and academia in process analytics and machine learning. The conference will take place on **August 6–9, 2019 in Raleigh, North Carolina.**

The call for extended abstracts is now open with a deadline of **April 12, 2019**. We look forward to contributions from you and your colleagues that will share insights and strengthen the impact of the conference.

Using a Gordon Conference-like format, the conference features an exciting program of invited speakers on wide-ranging topics that include

- Process Monitoring and Diagnostics
- Process Design/Optimization
- Process Control
- Planning/Scheduling/Supply Chain/Operations
- Products: Computational Materials/Chemistry/Biology
- Applications
- Education

An optional workshop on “Process Data Analytics and Machine Learning” will be held on the two days before the conference that includes the major classes of methods, industrial case studies, and hands-on activities.

Extended abstracts accepted for the meeting will appear as poster presentations. All attendees presenting posters will have the opportunity to submit to a full paper to a special issue of *Computers & Chemical Engineering* (Elsevier).

Please direct any questions on the conference or extended abstract submission to the Conference Manager, Robin Craven at robin@fopam.org. We look forward to seeing you and your colleagues in North Carolina this summer!

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