



Silicon Valley PEACE CONFERENCE

"AI's Role in Community Development
and Peacebuilding in Developing Nations"

Call for Papers

The Silicon Valley Peace Conference invites scholars, researchers, technologists, peacebuilders, practitioners, and policymakers to submit original research work and practice-based papers exploring how Artificial Intelligence can support peacebuilding, inclusive development, social justice, community empowerment, environmental sustainability, public health, education, ethics, and spiritual well-being. Research projects conducted in developing nations are especially encouraged.

The conference offers an academic forum for sharing empirical research, case studies, technical innovations, interdisciplinary insights, and policy analyses that highlight AI's potential and challenges in shaping equitable, peaceful, and resilient communities. The conference features no participation or publication fees and will be held in a hybrid format, with options for both in-person and virtual attendance.

SUBTHEME HIGHLIGHTS

- Advancing Peacebuilding Efforts With AI-Based Approaches
- Promoting Ethical, Transparent, and Responsible AI Development and Use
- Promoting Social Justice and Reducing Inequality Through AI
- Preserving Indigenous Cultures, Languages, and Community Heritage
- Assistive AI Technologies for Persons With Disabilities and Caregivers
- Empowering Marginalized Communities With AI-Enabled Tools
- Creating New Forms of Employment Through AI-Driven Technologies
- Supporting and Achieving the UN Sustainable Development Goals With AI Tools
- Climate Action, Conservation, and Environmental Monitoring Enhanced by AI
- Strengthening Education Systems Through AI-Driven Innovations
- Theological and Ethical Reflections on Artificial Intelligence

Submitted abstracts will be reviewed by the Editorial Board, and authors will receive a decision within two weeks, allowing authors with an accepted research abstract to begin conducting research and drafting their manuscripts without waiting for the abstract submission deadline. Full papers will be reviewed within three weeks, enabling authors to receive an early acceptance decision and make timely preparations for participation and travel.

IMPORTANT DATES

- Abstract Submission : **April 30, 2026**
- Full Paper Submission : **June 30, 2026**
- Conference Dates : **September 18-19, 2026**
- San Francisco Bay Area Tours : **September 17 and 20, 2026**

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Palo Alto, California

The conference website provides access to the submission portal, author guidelines, program flow, livestream sessions, and the published proceedings. Authors are encouraged to check the website regularly for the latest updates.

