REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

Site Host for:

2017 INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON SELF-HEALING MATERIALS
(ICSHM 2017)

The International Conference on Self-Healing Materials (ICSHM) Steering Committee requests proposals for those interested in hosting the 6th ICSHM in 2017. ICSHM is the premier biennial conference focusing on advances in self-healing materials science, engineering, and technological applications. Since its first edition in 2007, the mission of this conference is to provide a high-level international platform for the field of self-healing materials. ICSHM attracts a diverse, multidisciplinary group of scientists and engineers from around the world and provides a venue for reporting and observing the current state of the art and research results in the field. The conference provides a welcome environment for a mixture of academic, government and industrial researchers, managers, and policy makers.

Those wishing to submit a proposal are encouraged to contact members of the ICSHM Steering Committee for advise and/or feedback:

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Also feel free to contact ICSHM 2015 conference chair William Reichert, reichert@duke.edu.

Formal proposals are due by May 22, 2015 to Scott White (swhite@illinois.edu) and should contain the following sections:

a. Executive summary
b. Organizing committee members
c. Planned symposia topics
d. Prospective conference venue
e. Preliminary budget with estimated conference registration fee(s)
f. Conference hotel or associated hotels in vicinity
g. Travel infrastructure and proximity to international airports
h. Pre- and/or post-conference programs envisioned including unique or interesting features of the proposed host city

Selected finalists will be asked to give a formal presentation to members of the ICSHM Steering Committee at ICSHM 2015.