

# WESTERN REGIONAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION



## *Call for Papers...* 66<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL MEETING

### **Carlsbad, California (San Diego Metro)**

The Westin Carlsbad Resort & Spa ~ February 14–17, 2027

Our 66<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting will convene on Sunday afternoon, February 14.  
Paper sessions will be held all day Monday, Feb. 15; Tuesday, Feb. 16; and Wednesday, Feb. 17.

- SUBMISSIONS ON ANY TOPIC WITHIN THE REALM OF REGIONAL SCIENCE ARE WELCOMED
- THE PROGRAM COMMITTEE SCREENS PAPERS FOR SUITABILITY BEFORE INVITATIONS ARE SENT

#### **POTENTIAL TOPICS INCLUDE:**

Resource Utilization; Impact Analysis; Regional Modeling; Location of Economic Activity; Housing;  
Regional & Urban Planning; Environmental Quality; Regional Development; Migration and Demographic Analysis;  
Transportation; Locational Criteria for Public Services & Facilities; Tourism & Recreation; Local Public Finance;  
Energy Issues; Regional Science Epistemology & Pedagogy; Urban & Regional Resilience;  
Regional Food System; Sustainable Food

WRSA's collegial "seminar-style" sessions provide the opportunity for authors to receive helpful feedback.  
All accepted papers are allotted 45 minutes of program time, inclusive of the remarks of an assigned discussant

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*For consideration by the Program Committee, submit your paper before the customary*

**Paper Submission Deadline: OCTOBER 15, 2026**

**Acceptances will not be made on the basis of abstracts or presentation slides**

Papers may be in DRAFT form at the time of submission; FINAL versions due: December 31

#### **PAPER SUBMISSION DIRECTIONS:**

- Visit the WRSA website (<https://www.wrsaonline.org/>) and follow the paper submission instructions
- Files must be in PDF format
- Large graphics files should NOT be included at the submittal stage (figures may be sent later, directly to the discussant)
- On multiple-authored papers, the online system will ask to indicate which author(s) will participate at the conference
- Per WRSA Board policy there is a limit of **one paper presentation per paid, registered participant**

***Visit the WRSA website for complete conference information...***

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