



# CALL FOR ABSTRACT AND SESSION PROPOSALS

Due Date: January 22, 2015

## Now Open: Call for Abstract or Full Session Proposal for the Upcoming 2nd ATC-SEI Conference on Improving the Seismic Performance of Existing Buildings and Other Structures

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The ATC-SEI Conference Program Committee is seeking dynamic sessions and abstracts on new information on the seismic evaluation and seismic retrofit of existing buildings, including:

- \* case studies
- \* new discoveries
- \* innovative use of new technologies
- \* materials
- \* implementation issues
- \* improvements to existing standards
- \* socio-economic issues



The goal of the Conference is to provide an opportunity to advance the understanding of the tools, techniques, and innovations available to assist the attendees in meeting the challenges of seismic evaluation and retrofit.

Visit the [ATC-SEI Conference Website](#) for details about abstract and session proposal submissions.

### Who should submit a session proposal/abstract?

We encourage submissions from practitioners, educators, researchers, code developers, civil engineers, structural engineers, building designers, firm owners, codes and standards developers, and others.

**NOTE:** Final papers are optional; submitted papers will not be peer-reviewed, but will be included in the Conference proceedings.

All Presenters are required to register and attend the Conference.

### EXHIBIT & SPONSORSHIP

For Conference sponsorship and exhibiting opportunities, please contact Sean Scully at [sscully@asce.org](mailto:sscully@asce.org) or phone: 703-295-6276

<b>KEY DATES</b>	
<b>January 22, 2015</b>	Abstracts and session proposals due
<b>April 2, 2015</b>	Notification of acceptance
<b>July 21, 2015</b>	Final publication-ready papers due
<b>Late submittals will not be accepted.</b>	

This Conference is organized by the **Applied Technology Council**, 201 Redwood Shores Parkway, Suite 240, Redwood City, California 94065 and the **Structural Engineering Institute of ASCE**, 1801 Alexander Bell Drive, Reston, Virginia 20191