The SLT Workshop is a biennial flagship event of IEEE Speech and Language Processing Technical Committee. The 8th IEEE Workshop on Spoken Language Technology (SLT) will be held on 13-16 December 2020 in Shenzhen, China. The theme for this year will be “Spoken language technologies: deep learning and beyond”. The program for SLT 2020 will include oral and posters sessions, keynotes, plus invited speakers in the field of spoken language as well as tutorials and multiple special sessions.

### Topics

The special theme for this year will be "Spoken language technologies: deep learning and beyond". All papers related to spoken language technology are welcome (see topics below).

- Speech recognition and synthesis
- Spoken language understanding
- Spoken document retrieval
- Question answering from speech
- Assistive technologies
- Natural language processing
- Human/computer interaction
- Spoken dialog systems
- Speech data mining
- Emotion recognition from speech
- Spoken document summarization
- Spoken language corpora
- Speaker/language recognition
- Evaluation methodologies

### Venue

Shenzhen is a tourist attractive modern city centered in Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area. The emblematic city of prosperous provides for best living quality, world class transport infrastructure and comfortable climate. You can browse all conference information on the website: [www.slt2020.org](http://www.slt2020.org).

### Important Dates

- Challenge session submission: April 10, 2020
- Challenge session notification: April 17, 2020
- Special session proposal due: May 1, 2020
- Special session notification: June 1, 2020
- Paper submission due: July 3, 2020
- Paper notification: September 14, 2020
- Demo submission due: October 9, 2020
- Author and early registration due: October 12, 2020
- Demo selection notification: November 1, 2020
- Workshop Date: December 13-16, 2020

### Submission Details

Authors are invited to prepare a full-length, 4-6 page papers, including figures, plus 1-2 additional pages for references only, to the SLT 2020 website: [www.slt2020.org](http://www.slt2020.org).