

**Request for Proposals for Special Sessions  
at the AMS Joint Central and Western Sectional Meeting  
University of Hawaii at Manoa, Honolulu, HI, March 22-24, 2019**

The AMS solicits proposals for Special Sessions at the 2019 Joint AMS Central and Western Sectional Meeting to be held Friday March 22 through Sunday March 24, 2019 at the University of Hawaii at Manoa, Honolulu, Hawaii. Each proposal must include:

1. the name, affiliation, and email address of each organizer, with one organizer designated as the contact person for all communication about the session;
2. the title and a brief description (no longer than one or two paragraphs) of the topic of the proposed Special Session;
3. the primary two-digit MSC (Mathematics Subject Classification) number for the topic — see <http://www.ams.org/mathscinet/msc/msc2010.html>;
4. a sample list of the names of up to 10 speakers and their institutions, whom the organizers plan to invite. (It is not necessary to have received confirmed commitments from these potential speakers.)

Organizers are strongly encouraged to consult the *AMS Manual for Special Session Organizers* at: [www.ams.org/meetings/specialsessionmanual.html](http://www.ams.org/meetings/specialsessionmanual.html).

Proposals for Special Sessions should be sent by e-mail to AMS Associate Secretary, **Michel Lapidus** ([lapidus@math.ucr.edu](mailto:lapidus@math.ucr.edu)), by **May 15, 2018**. The contact organizer of the proposal will be notified whether their proposal has been accepted after the **May 15, 2018** deadline for proposals has passed, but no later than **June 15, 2018**.

Special Sessions will be allotted between 5 and 15 hours in which to schedule speakers. Additional instructions and the session's schedule will be sent to the contact organizer of the accepted sessions by **July 1, 2018**.