**IEEE P802.15**

**Wireless Specialty Networks**

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| Abstract | Call for Proposals |
| Purpose | Announce Call for Proposals to develop the IEEE 802.15.6ma standard specification. |
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**Revision History**

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| **Revision** | **Date** | **Notes** |
| 1 |  11/1/2022 |  Minor edits. |
| 2 | 11/17/2022 | Postpone until March 2023. |

TG 802.15.6ma Call for Proposals

The Task Group 15.6ma issues a Call for Proposals for the development of the IEEE 802.15.6ma standard specification.

The scope of proposals is strictly limited to those described in the Project Authorization Request (PAR), document number 15-22-0088-01, and Criteria for Standards Development (CSD), document number 15-22-0087-01 publicly available on the IEEE 802.15 Mentor archive.

Proposers are encouraged to consult the latest revision of the Technical Requirements Document (TRD) document number 15-21-0577 as a guideline for submitting proposals and companion material (simulation, experimental results). Please consult the IEEE Patent Policy and IEEE Copyright Policy (Annex A).

Potential essential patents: if any proposer is holder of any patent claims that are potentially essential to implementation of the 802.15.6ma standard under the submitted proposal that are not already subject of an Accepted Letter of Assurance, please provide the relevant information to the 802.15.6ma TG Chair.

Please submit proposals (and supporting technical material) using the approved IEEE SA document templates to the IEEE 802.15 Mentor archive and send a notification email to the TG Chair, Prof. Ryuji Kohno, and TG Vice-Chair Dr. Marco Hernandez no later than March 10th, 2023, 23:59 UTC.

Presentations and discussion of submitted proposals will start during the November 2022 Plenary meeting, finalizing during the March 2023 Plenary meeting.

Proposers should provide the following information:

1. Proposal document describing the details of the proposal.
2. Proposal presentation, which will be presented to TG6ma members, not longer than 30 minutes.
3. Supporting material such as but not limited to, simulation or experimental results based on the evaluation methodology described in the TRD, if available.

Please note the TG does not expect the submitted proposals to be a definitive version. After discussion and a consensus process with other proposals and TG members, **an agreed** technical version is expected to be specified in the Std.

**Annex A**

**The IEEE SA Copyright Policy**

The IEEE SA Copyright Policy is described in the IEEE SA Standards Board Bylaws and IEEE SA Standards Board Operations Manual.

IEEE SA Copyright Policy, see Clause 7 of the IEEE SA Standards Board Bylaws <https://standards.ieee.org/about/policies/bylaws/sect6-7.html#7>

Clause 6.1 of the IEEE SA Standards Board Operations Manual

 <https://standards.ieee.org/about/policies/opman/sect6.html>

IEEE SA Copyright FAQs

<https://standards.ieee.org/faqs/copyrights/>

**The IEEE SA Patent Policy**

The patent policy and the procedures used to execute that policy are documented in the IEEE SA Standards Board Bylaws:

<https://standards.ieee.org/develop/policies/bylaws/sect6-7.html#6>

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<https://standards.ieee.org/develop/policies/opman/sect6.html#6.3>

Material about the patent policy is available at

<https://standards.ieee.org/about/sasb/patcom/materials.html>

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