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Guidelines for Presentations

Invited presentations:

- Speaking time 20 minutes followed by 10 minutes discussion.
- Time overstep will be deducted from discussion time.
- The final text is due in written form for end of November. The maximum length should be 15 pages including figures, tables and references.
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We are looking forward to welcoming you in Bonn!

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- 2. Please do not submit a paper if you are not sure whether you can attend the conference! Submitting a paper without giving a presentation diminishes the energy and finances of the conference.

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