



SECOND ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

We invite you to take part in the **First International Workshop on Smallsats for Space Weather Research and Forecasting (SSWRF)**. The event will be held at The Catholic University of America in Washington, DC on 1-4 August 2017.

The **electronic abstract submission** is now open; the submission is free. Submit your abstract at <http://sswrf.cua.edu/abstracts.cfm> until 1 May 2017.

MEETING SCOPE

SSWRF is the first dedicated scientific meeting focusing on specific needs of space weather studies using small space-based platforms, including those utilizing the CubeSat reference design. The four major themes are **Research & Forecasting**, **Mission Concepts**, **Innovation & Technology**, and **Future Opportunities**. The workshop encourages a broad scope of contributions related to the application of small satellites to space weather observations, research, analyses, forecasting, and operations, including: **(1)** Small satellite observations relevant to space weather of interplanetary, solar, and geospace phenomena; **(2)** Investigations of space weather effects on small satellites: degraded capabilities, situational awareness, and satellite-debris collisions; **(3)** Using small satellite data in global space weather simulation and forecasting frameworks; and **(4)** General contributions relevant to the topic.

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