

## **Extension of Deadline for Abstract Submission**

“DTDO”-Cumulus 2018, Wuxi, China.

Dear colleagues and friends of Cumulus 2018,

The Cumulus 2018 Wuxi conference committee decided to make extension of deadline for abstract submission to **25 May 2018** due to numerous requests. We would like to draw your attention to the key dates for paper submission as listed below:

### **Key Dates**

Deadline of abstract submission	May 25, 2018
Notification of abstract acceptance	June 15
Deadline of paper submission (academic paper and short paper)	August 10
Notification of paper acceptance	September 10
Deadline of the final submission	Oct 1

### **Late-Breaking Abstracts**

Recognizing that the results of some top-quality research may not be available by the general abstract submission deadline, the Committee offers an option for late-breaking abstracts.

The late-breaking abstracts submission site will open May 26, 2018 and will close June 1, 2018.

During submission, authors of late-breaking abstracts will be asked to explain why their abstract was not ready by the regular deadline (May 25) and deserves to be considered as late-breaking. This information will be available to reviewers.



Diffused Transition & Design Opportunities



International Association of Universities and  
Colleges of Art, Design and Media

**Conference theme: Diffused Transition and Design Opportunities**

**Conference Date: Oct. 31st to Nov. 3rd, 2018**

Today we are experiencing wide and deep transitions locally and globally, creating transitions across multiple perspectives. Current developments in society, economy, technology, culture, environment and politics are bringing increasing challenges and complexities. Consequently, these transitions change our perceptions of what is normal and solid. In these times, we find ourselves asking questions as a society, as a community, as an individual: “who are we, where are we, and where could we go?” Diffused transition generates uncertainty and gaps; while creating confusion, it also opens new possibilities where design can contribute to positive societal change.

As an international platform for design education, the 2018 Cumulus Conference in China aims to investigate where design is now and where it will go in this age of transition. In so doing, we seek to envision new attributes and roles of design by sharing emerging design practices, research and education in response to common challenges of globalization 3.0. We invite you to share your insights with academic papers or professional proposals.

It would be an excellent opportunity to learn about the design in China and to communicate within the international community of design education.

For more information on abstract submission, please check our website below.

<http://cumuluswuxi2018.org/call-for-papers#intro>

Thank you for your attention.

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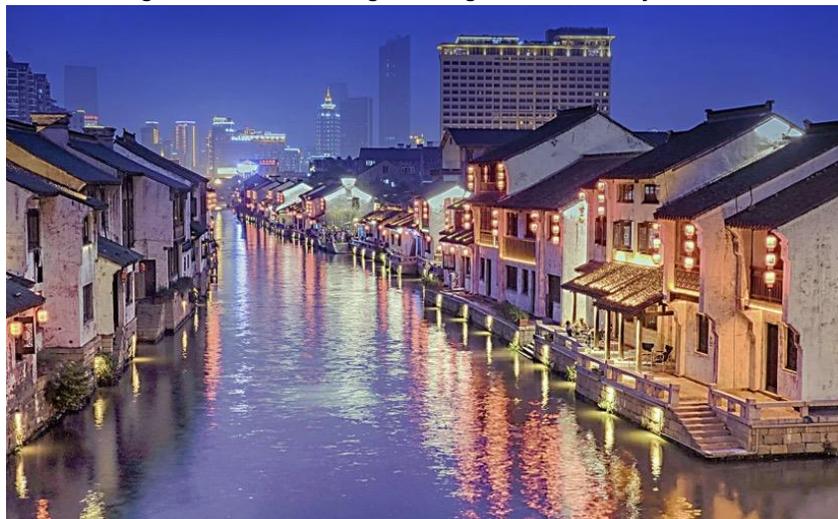


Fig.2 Cultural highlight: Qingming Bridge