



24<sup>th</sup> Workshop on Requirements  
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## CALL FOR MASTER'S AND DOCTORAL TRACK (WER-MDT)



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The Workshop on Requirements Engineering 2021 is now in its twentieth-fourth edition. This series of workshops on the area started in 1998 as a meeting of the Ibero-American requirements engineering community. However, since then, it has attracted attention from researchers and practitioners from other parts of the world. The WER format promotes discussion and knowledge exchange between the academy and industry members. As in the last editions, this one will also feature invited lectures from well-known researchers and practitioners, and tutorials. This edition will introduce a track for tool presentations related to the state-of-the-practice in Requirements Engineering and a session for doctoral and master's thesis presentations. WER 2021 invites submission of in-progress Master's or Doctoral works in the field of Requirements Engineering as part of the Master's and Doctoral Track (WER-MDT).

### ELIGIBILITY AND EVALUATION

Master's or Doctoral works are eligible for submissions:

- Master's and Doctoral work with a defined proposal (not necessarily approved);
- Master's work with an expected deadline after December 2021;
- Doctoral work with an expected deadline after June 2022.

The works will receive feedback from the Program Committee with questions and suggestions about its content. The author should use these comments in the preparation of the paper's final version. Selected papers will be presented and discussed during WER 2021 with Program Committee members and invited researchers. Acceptance of the work implies the author's registration at WER 2021 and his/her presentation of the work. The primary author is assumed to be the graduate student responsible for developing the thesis or dissertation. All accepted papers will be published with Open Access through the [WERpapers](#) repository.

### WER-MDT SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

Submissions must be written in Portuguese, Spanish or English. The paper should not exceed 7 pages of contents for Master's work and 10 pages of contents for Doctoral work, according to the [LNCS page format](#). The paper should contain:

- Problem characterization;
- Background;
- Methodology;
- Method to evaluate results;
- Current state of the work (existing results);
- Expected contributions;
- Comparison with related work; and
- Additional considerations, including:
  - Entry year in the Program; and
  - Expected date for final presentation.

### IMPORTANT NOTE

Prior to the title, please include **[WER-MDT]**.

### SUBMISSION DATES

Please submit your work in PDF format via **EasyChair**.

<https://easychair.org/conferences/?conf=wer2021>

Important dates:

Abstract submission	<b>March 26, 2021</b>
Paper submission	<b>April 2, 2021</b>
Notification	<b>May 28, 2021</b>
Final Version	<b>June 18, 2021</b>

For further questions about the Master's or Doctoral submission process and its presentation, please contact [contact@wer.bsb.br](mailto:contact@wer.bsb.br).

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