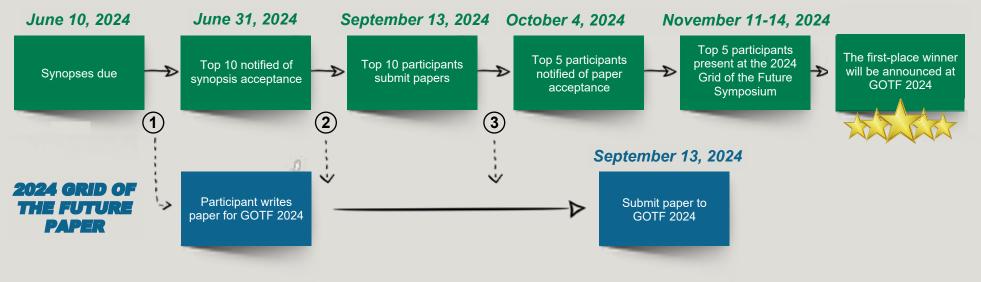
2024 CIGRE US NGN PAPER COMPETITION

CIGRE US National Committee Next Generation Network (NGN) is holding a paper competition to encourage students and early professionals to share their experience and knowledge with others in the industry.



PRIZES

The winning participant will have an option to choose between a **registration to the 2026 Paris Session** or 2025 CIGRE Grid of the Future Symposium. In either case the winner will receive up to the **\$3000 travel stipend** as well as the opportunity to submit for a presentation slot

The top 5 participants will receive complimentary 2024 Grid of the Future Symposium registration

RULES

1) *All synopses must follow the Paper Competition Guidelines* and use the paper competition synopsis and paper templates. Templates can be found at the link below.

2) During the synopsis step, if the participants synopses is not selected to prepare a paper, the participants are encouraged to prepare a paper based on the synopsis and submit it for the Grid of the Future Symposium.

3) If a participants paper is selected as one of the top 5 to present at the 2024 Grid of the Future Symposium, they may submit to the NGN competition *ONLY*. *Do Not* submit for the Grid of the Future Symposium also.

4) If the participants paper is not selected to be in the top 5 papers the participant is encouraged to submit the paper to the 2024 Grid of the Future Symposium. The deadline for submission is August 5, 2024, but will be extended to accommodate NGN paper competition participants.

A full description of the paper competition can be found at https://cigre-usnc.org/paper-competition/ Please contact the NGN at jodie.lupton@powereng.com with any questions or clarifications.

