Formatting Instructions for Submissions to the Human–AI Interaction Conference (HAIC 2027)

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Abstract

The abstract paragraph should be indented 1/2 inch (3 picas) on both left and right-hand margins. Use 10 point type, with a vertical spacing of 11 points. The word *Abstract* must be centered and in point size 12. Two line spaces precede the abstract. The abstract must be limited to one paragraph of at most 150 words.

1 Submission of papers to HAIC 2027

The 1st Human–AI Interaction Conference (HAIC 2027) will be held June 27–30, 2027 in Washington, DC. HAIC accepts papers, practice & deployment reports, demos, and doctoral consortium applications. See the conference website for the call for papers, important dates, and submission instructions:

https://haic.cc/

The format for submissions is a variant of the COLM formats. Please read the instructions below carefully and follow them faithfully.

1.1 Style

Papers submitted to HAIC 2027 must be prepared according to the instructions presented here.

Authors are required to use the HAIC LaTeX style files obtainable from the HAIC website. Please make sure you use the current files and not previous versions. Tweaking the style files may be grounds for rejection.

1.1.1 Copy options

The `submission` option is the default and is to be used for all submissions during the review process. It anonymizes the authors and turns on line numbers. If your paper is accepted, set the option `final` in the `\usepackage[submission]{haic2027_conference}` command for the camera-ready version. To post a preprint, use the option `preprint`.

1.2 Retrieval of style files

The style files for HAIC and other conference information are available online at `https://haic.cc/`. The file `haic2027_conference.pdf` contains these instructions and illustrates the various formatting requirements your HAIC paper must satisfy. Submissions must be made using LaTeX and the style files `haic2027_conference.sty` and `haic2027_conference.bst` (to be used with LaTeX2e). The file `haic2027_conference.tex` may be used as a "shell" for writing your paper. All you have to do is replace the author, title, abstract, and text of the paper with your own.

The formatting instructions contained in these style files are summarized in sections 2, 3, and 4 below.

2 General formatting instructions

The text must be confined within a rectangle 5.5 inches (33 picas) wide and 9 inches (54 picas) long. The left margin is 1.5 inch (9 picas). Use 10 point type with a vertical spacing of 11 points. Palatino is the preferred typeface throughout, and is mandatory for the main text. Paragraphs are separated by 1/2 line space, with no indentation.

Paper title is 17 point and left-aligned. All pages should start at 1 inch (6 picas) from the top of the page.

Please verify that any custom header information you may add does not override the style defined in this document. This has been known to occur especially when submissions are converted to a new template from a previous one (i.e., for re-submission from a different venue).

Authors' names are set in boldface, and each name is placed above its corresponding address. The lead author's name is to be listed first, and the co-authors' names are set to follow. Authors sharing the same address can be on the same line.

Please pay special attention to the instructions in section 4 regarding figures, tables, acknowledgments, and references.

There will be a strict upper limit of 15 pages for the main text of the submission, with unlimited additional pages for citations.

We strongly recommend following arXiv's guidelines for making your paper friendly for HTML conversion: `https://info.arxiv.org/help/submit_latex_best_practices.html`.

3 Headings: first level

First level headings are in lower case (except for first word and proper nouns), bold face, flush left and in point size 12. One line space before the first level heading and 1/2 line space after the first level heading.

3.1 Headings: second level

Second level headings are in lower case (except for first word and proper nouns), bold face, flush left and in point size 10. One line space before the second level heading and 1/2 line space after the second level heading.

3.1.1 Headings: third level

Third level headings are in lower case (except for first word and proper nouns), bold face, italics, flush left and in point size 10. One line space before the third level heading and 1/2 line space after the third level heading.

4 Citations, figures, tables, references

These instructions apply to everyone, regardless of the formatter being used.

4.1 Citations within the text

Citations within the text should be based on the `natbib` package and include the authors' last names and year (with the "et al." construct for more than two authors). When the authors or the publication are included in the sentence, the citation should not be in parentheses; use `\citet{}` (as in "See Doe & Smith (2025) for more information."). Otherwise, the citation should be in parentheses using `\citep{}` (as in "Human-centered design is a key consideration for AI systems (Lee & Patel, 2024).").

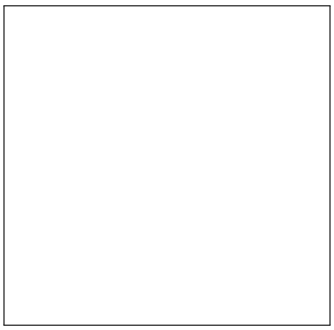


Figure 1: Sample figure caption.

The corresponding references are to be listed in alphabetical order of authors, in the REFERENCES section. As to the format of the references themselves, any style is acceptable as long as it is used consistently.

4.2 Footnotes

Indicate footnotes with a number[1] in the text. Place the footnotes at the bottom of the page on which they appear. Precede the footnote with a horizontal rule of 2 inches (12 picas).[2]

4.3 Figures

All artwork must be neat, clean, and legible. Lines should be dark enough for purposes of reproduction; artwork should not be hand-drawn. Any text within the figure must be readable. We ask that you not use font sizes below `small`. We strongly recommend using vector representations (e.g., pdf or svg) for all diagrams. Screenshots of interfaces should be high-resolution and legible at the printed size. We strongly recommend positioning all figures at the top or bottom of the page.

The figure number and caption always appear below the figure. Place one line space before the figure caption, and one line space after the figure. The figure caption is lower case (except for first word and proper nouns); figures are numbered consecutively. Make sure the figure caption does not get separated from the figure. Leave sufficient space to avoid splitting the figure and figure caption.

You may use color figures. However, it is best for the figure captions and the paper body to make sense if the paper is printed either in black/white or in color. Please also consider readers with color vision deficiencies.

4.4 Tables

All tables must be centered, neat, clean and legible. Do not use hand-drawn tables. The table number and title always appear below the table. See Table 1. Please do not use font sizes below `small` in tables. We recommend using `booktabs` or a similar package to style tables. We strongly recommend positioning all tables at the top or bottom of the page.

Place one line space before the table title, one line space after the table title, and one line space after the table. The table title must be lowercase (except for first word and proper nouns); tables are numbered consecutively.

[1] Sample of the first footnote
[2] Sample of the second footnote

CONDITION	DESCRIPTION
Baseline	Participants complete the task without AI support
AI suggestions	The system proposes options the participant may accept
AI explanations	Suggestions are accompanied by rationales

Table 1: Sample table title

5 Final instructions

Do not change any aspects of the formatting parameters in the style files. In particular, do not modify the width or length of the rectangle the text should fit into, and do not change font sizes (except perhaps in the REFERENCES section; see below). Please note that pages should be numbered.

6 Preparing PDF files

Please prepare PDF files with paper size "US Letter", and not, for example, "A4".

We recommend generating PDF files directly using `pdflatex`, followed by `bibtex` and two more runs of `pdflatex` (or simply `latexmk -pdf`).

6.1 Margins in LaTeX

Most of the margin problems come from figures positioned by hand using `\special` or other commands. We suggest using the command `\includegraphics` from the graphicx package. Always specify the figure width as a multiple of the line width, as in

```
\usepackage{graphicx} ...
\includegraphics[width=0.8\linewidth]{myfile.pdf}
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See section 4.4 in the graphics bundle documentation (http://www.ctan.org/tex-archive/macros/latex/required/graphics/grfguide.ps).

A number of width problems arise when LaTeX cannot properly hyphenate a line. Please give LaTeX hyphenation hints using the `\-` command.

Author Contributions

If you'd like to, you may include a section for author contributions as is done in many journals. This is optional and at the discretion of the authors.

Acknowledgments

Use unnumbered first level headings for the acknowledgments. All acknowledgments, including those to funding agencies and study participants, go at the end of the paper. Follow the HAIC review instructions regarding identifying information during submission.

Artifact Availability

If relevant, describe the availability of code, data, study materials, or other artifacts, subject to participant privacy, research ethics, and the current HAIC submission policies.

References

Alex Doe and Jordan Smith. An illustrative study of human–AI interaction. *Example Journal*, 2025. Placeholder reference: replace before submission.

Taylor Lee and Morgan Patel. Designing human-centered AI systems. In *Example Conference Proceedings*, 2024. Placeholder reference: replace before submission.

A Appendix

You may include other additional sections here.