Proceedings Publishing Timeline

DEADLINE	TASKS
April	 Make an announcement about the proceedings at the symposium. Have the <u>Call for Papers</u> prepared as part of the symposium program.
April / May	 Select the members of the editorial team. Set a timeline (if not completed in time for the symposium). Determine the guidelines for submissions. (see <u>http://carla.umn.edu/conferences/organizing/index.html</u>) Send out general and personalized invitations to submit papers.
June/July	Send out reminders about the submission deadline and guidelines.Recruit reviewers.
August	 Create a form and guide for reviewing submissions. (see <u>http://carla.umn.edu/conferences/organizing/review_manuscript.html</u>) Deadline for paper submissions (preferably no later than August 15).
September	 Anonymize and distribute submissions as well as the form and guide for reviewing. Add information about proceedings to conference website, if needed.
October	 Deadline for reviews. Send papers that have reviews at opposite ends of the spectrum to a third reviewer.
November	 Send papers and reviews back to authors with instructions for revising, editing, and resubmitting.
January	 Revised papers due. Copy edit all papers. (see <u>http://carla.umn.edu/conferences/organizing/index.html</u> for guidelines) Write the introduction and acknowledgements. Format all materials for print and online versions.
February	 Send all materials to publisher (CARLA) for review (10 weeks before symposium).
March	• Send revised materials to publisher (CARLA) for production (6 weeks before symposium).
April	• Have proceedings available for distribution at the symposium.