

51<sup>st</sup> North American Power Symposium  
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## Call for bids to host NAPS 2022

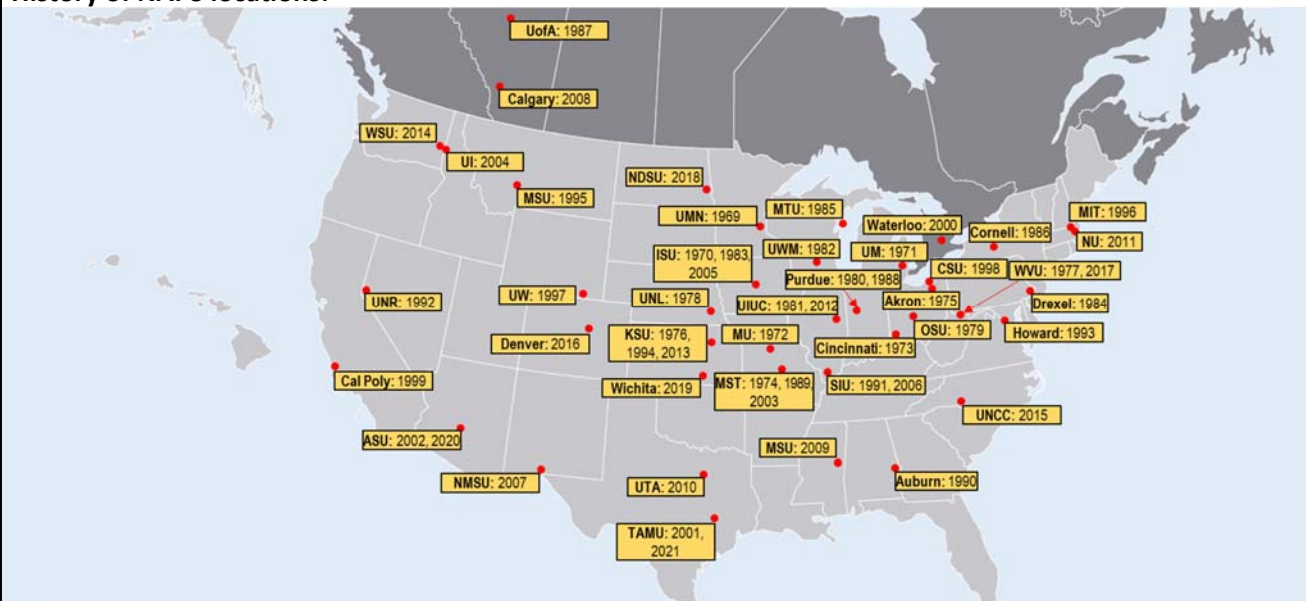
The North American Power Symposium (NAPS) steering committee invites proposals to host NAPS 2022. This is a two step process where the application needs to be submitted to the NAPS 2022 site selection committee via email to [visvakumar.aravinthan@wichita.edu](mailto:visvakumar.aravinthan@wichita.edu) by August 1, 2019. The site selection committee will do a preliminary selection and will invite NAPS 2022 hosting candidates to present their proposal at the NAPS steering committee meeting on Sunday, October 13, 2019, during NAPS 2019 in Wichita, Kansas

NAPS has been a very active symposium since its inception in 1969 as the Midwest Power Symposium and later renamed as North American Power Symposium in 1986. NAPS has been held annually at one of the universities in North America to provide an international open forum for participants from academia and industry. Student participation is the gem of this symposium leading to graduate and undergraduate student interactions with their peers in other universities as well as exchange of knowledge with faculty and industry. Since students are at the core of any research, their development and interaction enhances opportunities for novel research ideas, which is encouraged in the symposium through the student paper competition awards.

### The following criteria will be used for selection:

- ◆ Sustained participation in previous NAPS
- ◆ Time since last hosting NAPS
- ◆ Plans to maintain low registration costs
- ◆ Plans to support student participation
- ◆ Evidence of long-term interest in power
- ◆ Need for exposure
- ◆ Quality of facilities

### History of NAPS locations:



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