

The 19th International Conference on Multi-disciplinary Trends in Artificial Intelligence

MIWAI 2026

Halifax In-Person Program – Official PDF

Welcome

Welcome to the Halifax in-person program of MIWAI 2026, hosted by the Department of Mathematics and Computing Science, Saint Mary's University, Halifax, NS, Canada. Local Organizing Co-chair: **Pawan Lingras**. While the main conference (Oct 10-12) runs online/virtual with Springer LNAI proceedings, this Halifax hub provides networking and community.

Halifax In-Person Program – At a Glance

Item	Details
Asynchronous Papers	All conference papers hosted asynchronously online. Available from Saturday, October 10, 2026 onwards.
Industry Showcase	Asynchronous Industry Showcase – videos, demos, posters. Available from Saturday onwards.
Welcome Reception	Saturday, October 10, 2026 12:00 PM – 2:00 PM ADT (Halifax Time) Venue: TBA (to be announced soon)
In-Person Session	Sunday, October 11, 2026 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM ADT MCDA Learning Suite, Science Building Room S126, Saint Mary's University, Halifax, NS B3H 3C3
Conference Banquet	Sunday, October 11, 2026 12:00 PM – 2:00 PM ADT Venue: TBA

Detailed Schedule – Halifax Time (ADT, UTC-3)

Time (ADT)	Event	Location / Notes
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From Sat Oct 10, 9 AM	Asynchronous Access Opens	Papers + Showcase online
Sat Oct 10, 12-2 PM	Welcome Reception	Venue TBA – light refreshments
Sun Oct 11, 9-11 AM	In-Person Technical Session	MCDA Learning Suite, S126, Science Building, SMU
Sun Oct 11, 12-2 PM	Conference Banquet	Venue TBA

Venue Information

- **MCDA Learning Suite, Room S126** – Science Building, Saint Mary's University, 923 Robie St, Halifax. Accessible via Inglis St entrance. Parking in SMU lots.
- **Reception & Banquet venues:** To be announced soon – will be within walking/transit distance of SMU. Updates at <https://miwai26.miwai.org>
- **Time Zone:** Halifax is on Atlantic Daylight Time (ADT, UTC-3) in October.

Local Chair: Pawan Lingras, SMU | **Website:** <https://miwai26.miwai.org> | *Venues for reception and banquet will be announced soon.*