**Session title:** Superconducting machines and energy converters

**Session description (session scope, novelty, goals; 100-200 words):**

This session is intended to bring together specialists in the field of high temperature superconducting motors. Contributions may include simulations and machine designs, and built prototypes with original structures, or other machines under construction. The presentations may also focus on technologies related to the development of superconducting machines, such as pulsed field magnetization techniques, superconducting wires and tapes, cryogenics, rotating joints and energy converters dedicated to superconducting machines.

**Keywords, topics:**
- High Temperature Superconductors;
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