

Paper Submission Form - SAIP2025 Proceedings

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Section A: Paper Submission Information

Paper/Abstract ID	259
Paper title	Simulation and Image Reconstruction for a Low-Cost PET Detector Concept
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This study is novel as it contributes to the bigger goal of developing a low-cost PET detector. All of the methods that were described, ranging from GATE based simulation and realistic brain phantom integration to custom image reconstruction and machine learning enhancements, are applied specifically in the context of evaluating and improving the low-cost PET system performance.

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