

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

New Mexico Academy of Science Research Symposium

05 November 2016
Hyatt Regency, Albuquerque, NM



The New Mexico Academy of Science (NMAAS) and its partners, the New Mexico Experimental Program to Stimulate Competitive Research (NM EPSCoR) and the UNM Center for Water and the Environment, invite abstract submissions for presentation at the NMAAS Research Symposium on 05 November 2016!

ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible to present, you must be [registered for the meeting](#). Abstract submissions for oral and poster presentations are due by **Monday, 10 October 2016**. ***Absolutely no abstracts will be accepted after this date.*** Preference will be given to graduate and undergraduate students (especially NM EPSCoR students) for both oral presentations and poster presentations.

Abstracts will be peer reviewed, and accepted presenters will be notified by **17 October 2016**. All accepted abstracts will be published in the 2016 *New Mexico Journal of Science*. View past *New Mexico Journal of Science* issues at www.nmas.org.

GUIDELINES FOR SUBMISSION

- Abstracts must be uploaded during [registration](#) as a Word document (.doc or .docx).
- Please ensure during registration you submit an abstract for the correct session type (oral, poster, or both).
- Abstracts must describe the presentation's purpose, methods, results, and conclusions
- Carefully review abstract before submission for any spelling, grammatical, and typographical errors.
- Submissions should be no longer than 250 words, with 3-5 keywords.
- Use active voice, and write clearly and concisely. **Avoid jargon.**
- By submitting an abstract, you are granting NMAAS and NM EPSCoR permission to publish it in the abstract compilation and to disseminate it electronically.

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- ORAL PRESENTATIONS:
 - An **oral** presentation provides the problem statement, objectives, methods and data, results and conclusions of your original research using visual presentation software.
 - Each oral presentation is allotted 20 minutes including questions & discussion.
 - Computers and projectors for oral presentations are provided.
- POSTER PRESENTATIONS:
 - A **poster** presentation is a visual presentation of a problem statement, objectives, methods and data, results, and conclusions of your original research.
 - Presenters are expected to print their own posters.
 - Posters are exhibited for informal browsing with opportunities for individual discussion with poster authors.
 - **Posters must be 4' wide x 3' long (48"x36"). Posters that do not meet these size requirements may be subject to disqualification.**
 - Room for poster presentations will be provided at no charge.
 - All student posters will be judged for an opportunity to win prizes!

DISCLAIMER

The 2016 NMAS Research Symposium is an open forum for sharing the results of research and teaching. The contents of presentations by individuals or groups at the symposium are theirs alone. NMAS and its partners neither endorse nor disclaim the conclusions, interpretations or opinions expressed by speakers at this symposium. New Mexico EPSCoR is funded by the National Science Foundation (NSF) award #IIA-1301346. Any opinions, findings, conclusions, or recommendations expressed are those of the author(s) and do not necessarily reflect the views of the National Science Foundation.