

Deadline to submit abstracts: January 7, 2022

Participate in the IEP's annual workshop as a poster presenter!

The 2022 IEP Workshop Planning Committee is now soliciting abstracts for poster presentations. The IEP Annual Workshop will be held March 22-24, 2022 at the Lake Natoma Inn in Folsom, CA. The poster reception will be held in the evening on Tuesday (March 22) and Wednesday (March 23).

All accepted poster abstracts including an image of the poster will also be posted in the IEP's online Poster Discussion Forum, which will be located on the IEP's website.

Participants <u>MUST</u> register for the workshop to present a poster. Registration will open early January 2022. Posters will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis.

The deadline for poster abstract submission is 5 p.m. January 7, 2022.

Due to spacing considerations at the venue, we are capping the number of accepted posters to 60 and limiting submissions to one poster per primary author. Email poster submissions to Emily Ryznar (Emily.Ryznar@deltacouncil.ca.gov).

Abstract submission format and requirements: Example template attached to email

- 1. Attach a word document with your poster information, which must:
 - a. Be no more than 1-page in length
 - b. Use Arial, size 12 font (font size cannot be less than 12 pt)
 - c. Include a title
 - d. Include author(s) full names and affiliations, including mailing address, phone, and email
 - e. Include an abstract in 300 words or less
 - f. Use the attached abstract template to comply with accessibility standards - review quick guide on creating a <u>web accessible document</u>

- 2. Identify 1-2 categories under which your poster could be classified. Categories are:
 - Delta Smelt/Longfin Smelt
 - Lower Food Web
 - Open Data and Tools
 - Salmon and Sturgeon
 - Water Quality
 - Resident Fishes
 - Invasive Species
 - Potpourri
- 3. Indicate whether you qualify for the student and early career (graduation within 5 years) poster awards and if you are willing to have your poster judged.

Poster setup starts Tuesday at the lunch break and posters should be taken down by the lunch break on Thursday. We will provide more information with accepted presenters once submission closes and registration is confirmed. However, for planning purposes, posters should be **no bigger than** 48 inches tall by 46 inches wide.

Are you adventurous? Consider trying a <u>new poster format</u> that has made news at NPR and elsewhere, which is also explained<u>in this video</u>.

Poetry Slam

Poster presenters are encouraged to entice visitors to come to their poster by participating in the Poetry Slam on Tuesday afternoon. Briefly introduce (30 seconds or less) your poster with a song, poem, skit, dance, puppets...you name it! Have fun, be creative and generate interest in your poster in the process.

Thank you!

IEP Workshop Poster Session Chairs

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