

Postdocs at the Forefront–2018

UCI Postdoc Research Symposium
September 28, 2018 2:00pm-8:00pm
UCI Applied Innovation

Eligibility, Selection and Timeline

Only postdoctoral scholars (with the appropriate title code) are eligible to present at the symposium. The application form (talk and/or poster) can be accessed at: <http://pda.grad.uci.edu/uciprs18/>

Talks and posters will be selected for the symposium as follows:

1. Interest of the research to a wide audience
2. Clarity of the abstract. Please create an abstract that is understandable to the general community. Avoid using highly technical language, abbreviations and jargon specific to your field.

Timeline:

Monday, **August 20**: Abstract submission deadline for speaker presentation

Tuesday, **August 28**: Selected speakers will be notified

Thursday, **Sept. 13**: 9:00-10:30am and Friday, **Sept. 14**: 12:00-1:30pm. Speaker workshops. Postdocs participate in one workshops with Bri McWhorter

Friday, **Sept. 14**: Abstract submission deadline for poster presentation

Monday, **Sept. 17**: Final poster acceptances will be send out

Wednesday, **Sept. 26**: Speakers provide final presentation

Details regarding Talks:

You must send ALL screen content by 12:00pm, Wednesday, September 26 to Mary Frances Ypma-Wong (m.ypmawong@uci.edu). This content will be forwarded to The Cove who will upload to the presentation podium.

- PowerPoints must be formatted to widescreen, ratio 16:9
- Acceptable files: JPEG, PNG, PDF, Word, PPT
- Videos must be embedded into the presentation
- Acceptable video files: MP4, WMA, MKV, MOV

The talks are 8 minutes in length with 2 minutes for questions (10 minutes total). Your talk should be understandable and interesting to general academic audience. Staying on schedule is very important. You will be given a 1 minute warning to finish your 8 minutes of speaking. You will be asked to leave the platform after 10 minutes. Postdocs selected for a talk may also create a poster and participate in the poster session. The dual participant is eligible for both a prize as a speaker as well as poster presenter.

First prize, second prize and honorable mentions will be awarded to best talks. As the Symposium is for researchers from all fields, remember to make your work understandable and interesting to everyone.

Please arrive at The Cove at 1:45pm to check that your presentation has been uploaded as expected.

If providing own laptop, connection via Mini DP, VGA or HDMI is available. However, the file(s) must still

sent to Mary Frances Ypma-Wong by 12:00pm on Wednesday, September 26. This content will be forwarded to The Cove.

Details regarding Posters:

The maximum posting area per poster is 4 feet x 4 feet. It is suggested that a standard A0 (2.759 feet x 3.901 feet) will fit comfortably.

Please remember this is for a general audience and posters will be judged according to clarity and interest. First prize, second prize and honorable mentions will be awarded to best posters. **Please put your poster up by 2:00 pm to allow maximum time for viewing and judging.** Posters should be taken down by 7:00pm at the close of the event.

Posters will be allocated a number and assigned a poster stand. Even numbers will stand at their posters and present during the first session (4:15-5:15pm) while odd numbers will stand their posters and present during the second session (5:15- 6:15pm). Poster judges will be circulating at these times; please ensure you are there to present your poster and maximize your chance of a prize.

Note: We would like to remind you that this event is public disclosure from the perspective of any patentable technologies. Records of Invention should be filed with the tech transfer before public disclosure.