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After clicking "Proposal Submission," read the Form Overview for directions.

Note submission deadline, documentation requirements, and formatting requirements.

Click "Create New."

## Form Overview

### Deadline:

Abstracts must be electronically submitted no later than **Friday, March 2nd, 2018 at 11:59 PM PT**. Late submissions will NOT be considered.

### Required Documentation:

All sections must be completed for consideration. Incomplete submissions **will not** be considered. Each author will need to confirm his or her participation by electronically submitting a brief biosketch, registering for the conference and responding to email notification from Conference Organizers.

### Language and Formatting Requirements:

- Submit abstracts in English only.
- Limit abstracts to **500** words (excluding titles, authors). Abstracts that exceed 500 words will not be considered.
- DO NOT use **bold**, *italics*, underlines, tabs, hard returns, or ALL CAPITAL LETTERS in the abstract submission (including authors, titles, and text).
- DO NOT include line graphs, tables, or attachments.

If you are submitting an abstract, workshop, or symposium proposal, please select the button below to proceed to the submission page no later than **March 2, 2018 at 11:59 PM PT**.

Click on "[Create New](#)" below to begin your abstract submission.

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To learn about the different proposal types, please click on the links to view the descriptions.

After deciding which is appropriate for you, please indicate the submission type using the drop-down menu.

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### Submission Type

Below are full descriptions of each session type. Please read carefully, the requirements are different for each.

[Symposia](#)

[Skill-Building Workshop](#)

**Abstracts:** We welcome abstracts for oral and poster presentations for two separate tracks: "Scientific Research and Data" or "Program and Policy." Oral abstracts are combined with 2 or 3 other abstracts, based on topic, to form 90-minute sessions.

Please indicate below what type of submission you are submitting.

Submission Type\*

- Abstract Submission
- Workshop Proposal
- Symposium Proposal

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Note the tabs at the top of the page.

Fill out the form for the session organizer or main contact person for the submission.

After filling in the appropriate information, carefully read the responsibilities and the session material release. Click each box accordingly.

Click "save," then click "next." This automatically moves you to the next tab.

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**RESPONSIBILITIES REGARDING ORAL PRESENTATIONS**  
SESSION MATERIALS I understand that I must bring my PowerPoint presentation to the conference and make it available for archiving  
PARTICIPANT HANDOUTS I understand that the conference will NOT provide printed handouts for my session  
ROOM SET-UP I understand that all breakout sessions will have a classroom set-up. Should I require a different room set-up for my session, I will contact Carol Gilbert ([cgilbert@unmc.edu](mailto:cgilbert@unmc.edu)) prior to the abstract submission deadline.  
AUDIO-VISUAL NEEDS I understand that a laptop and LCD projector will be provided in each session at the Conference. Should I need additional equipment, I will contact Carol Gilbert ([cgilbert@unmc.edu](mailto:cgilbert@unmc.edu)) prior to the abstract submission deadline.

I understand and agree\*

**SESSION MATERIALS RELEASE**  
I grant the conference permission to upload and distribute my presentation and/or session materials.

I grant permission

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You should now see a form for adding authors.

A pop-up will appear with fields for name and contact information.

Once you've added all co-authors or co-presenters, click "save," then "next."

**Additional Authors**

**Additional Author**  
To reorder row, click and drag to new position.

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**Symposium Presenters (SF)**

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First Name\*

Last Name\*

Professional Title\*

Organization\*

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Presentation Title (if applicable)

Characters: 0, Words: 0 of 20 (20 remaining)

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If you are submitting an abstract, you will need to choose the track (research or policy). Then, the appropriate fields for your selection will load.

Please fill out all fields, paying attention to word limits.

**If you are submitting a symposium or a skill-building proposal, please see Step 8.**

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**Abstract Content**

**Track\*** Please indicate if your abstract is focused more on Scientific Research/Data or on Program & Policy.  
Program and Policy ▾

**Abstract Title\***

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If you are submitting a symposium or skill-building proposal, you will need to fill out the different fields for your type of session.

Please pay attention to instructions and word counts.

Once complete, click "save."

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<b>Title*</b>	<input type="text"/>		
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<b>Symposium Objectives*</b>	Give the objectives for the session. Please list objectives in the following format: 1) objective; 2) objective; 3) objective		
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After clicking "save," you will have the opportunity to see your content and make changes.

Click "submit & review changes."

Then you will see your submission. Double check your information and click "edit submission" if necessary.

**If you're finished editing or you don't need to edit, click "finalize."  
It is not officially submitted until you "finalize" your submission.**



**Almost Done!**

[Submit & Review Changes](#)



**Submission Review and Finalize**

All of the required information has been provided. Review your submission content below and if you are satisfied with your entire submission click the "Finalize" button below to complete the submission process. You will still be able to make changes to your submission until the deadline date.

[Finalize](#)

You may edit your submission until the deadline of 3/1/2017 11:59 PM EST.

[Edit Submission](#)

# YOU'RE FINISHED!



You can make changes until the deadline.



Be sure to **finalize** each time.



The system will send a confirmation email.

If you have questions please email Lynne Le ([lynne.le@unmc.edu](mailto:lynne.le@unmc.edu))