Guidelines for WCS 2019 – Poster display

GENERAL GUIDELINES

Congratulations on having your abstract selected for poster display! We are keen to raise the design standards of conference posters, so remember: A poster is first and foremost a visual communication.

POSTER DIMENSIONS

Poster maximum size:

- Height: 1.50m
- Width: 0.90m

Please note that the orientation format of your poster is Portrait, see below.

POSTER DESIGN

➢ The title of your poster should be at the top, in large letters to get the viewer's attention.

➢ Posters should then display the abstract number, authors, institutions of origin and contact details (contacts details optional).

➢ Your goal is to convey a clear message and support it with a compelling combination of images and short blocks of text.

➢ All text on the objectives, methods, results and conclusions need to be kept brief.

➢ Every element, including graphs and tables must be easily readable from a distance of 2 metres.

➢ Consider how best to use colour, photos, charts and pictures to enhance the information.

➢ Bring your poster already printed. There will be no printing services available on site.

POSTER DISPLAY AT THE CONFERENCE

➢ Each poster board is numbered, corresponding with your abstract number. A list will be available onsite with the reference number, poster title and list of authors.

➢ Fixation: Adhesive Velcro will be provided on site at the Conference Welcome Desk. Push pins, staples etc are NOT allowed.

➢ Set-up and dismantle: Authors are fully responsible for the set up and dismantling of their poster according to the schedule given.
SET UP AT THE CONFERENCE

Poster selected for presentation in "Group A:
Mantling:  Monday 12th August 2019 from 10:00 to noon
Dismantle: Tuesday 13th August 2019 from 16:00 to 17:00

Poster selected for presentation in "Group B:
Mantling:  Wednesday 14th August 2019 from 10:00 to noon
Dismantle: Thursday 15th August 2019 from 16:00 to 17:00

➢ Posters not removed by their authors by 17:00 on their presentation day, will be taken down by staff and no responsibility can be taken for their safe return.
➢ Authors of accepted posters are requested to stand by their poster to be able to discuss it with participants during the ‘poster viewing time.

Sample Poster Outline:

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