

George Mason University's Annual NeurosymposiumTuesday, April 16th, 10-3pm

Poster Instructions and Guidelines

Poster Guidelines

Adapted from *Displaying your findings: A practical guide for creating figures, posters, and presentations: An educational guide based on the Publication manual of the American Psychological Association*.

- The poster dimensions are as follows: minimum of 2 X 3 inches and maximum of 4 X 6 inches.
- Font type and size must be consistent across all levels of headings. Text should be comfortably legible from at least three feet away.
- Text may be single-spaced, or double-spaced.
- Use a consistent color scheme or black and white print
- Sample poster arrangements, courtesy of the American Psychological Association (APA), are provided at the end of the document (pp. 2)

Required Sections

If you **have** completed data collection and analysis, include, and clearly indicate the following sections on your poster:

1. Study title, authors, department, affiliation or institution, address of affiliation or institution
2. Abstract (100-150 words)
3. Introduction
4. Method
5. Data Analysis
6. Results, containing table(s), figure(s), graph(s), as needed
7. Discussion
8. Key references

If you **have not** completed data collection and analysis, include, and clearly indicate the following sections on your poster:

1. Study title, authors, department, affiliation or institution, address of affiliation or institution
2. Abstract (100-150 words)
3. Introduction
4. Method
5. Proposed Analysis
6. Expected Results, containing table(s), figure(s), graph(s), as needed
7. Proposed Implications
8. Key references

Poster content, including tables, figures, and graphs, must conform to the guidelines of the American Psychological Association (APA) publication manual (6th Ed.). For more information, see

<https://www.apastyle.org/manual>.

Poster Submission and Setup

Please submit a PDF version of your poster to yposhka@gmu.edu **prior** to the Neurosymposium, and **no later than April 8th, 2019**. This document should conform to the aforementioned APA guidelines and required sections need to be complete. File document and subject of the email must contain the author's name, department name, and abbreviated poster title (for example: John Smith_Psychology_Learning and Memory).

If you require any assistance with printing your poster, please see Breanne Kroehler, the Administrative Coordinator in the Psychology Department (9-5pm, David King Hall, 2086).

Please set up your printed poster on Monday, April 15th, 2019, in the Great Hall of the Krasnow Institute of Advanced Study. If you require any assistance, please email yposhka@gmu.edu.

APA Sample Poster Arrangements

Retrieved from APA 2018 Convention Poster Guidelines (<https://www.apa.org/convention/poster-instructions.pdf>)

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