



Call for Juried Panel Proposals

Deadline for proposals: July 15, 2015

Notification of acceptance: September 15, 2015

Proposals are encouraged for panel sessions for the 2016 ALISE Annual Conference, "Radical Change: Inclusion and Innovation." Panels should relate to the concept of the radical changes being experienced in library and information science and how these changes are affecting LIS educators, researchers, and students.

A panel must have a clear focus explicitly related to the conference theme. Panels should be designed to foster interaction between panelists and audience members. Innovative panel formats are encouraged. Panel presentations will be scheduled in 90-minute blocks.

Submission Requirements/Instructions

All submissions must be entered into the ALISE 2016 Submission System at www.conftool.pro/alise2016. First-time users will be required to register and create an account.

When making a submission, be prepared to provide the following information:

- Type of Submission (Juried Paper, Juried Panel, SIG Submission, Works in Progress Poster, Doctoral Student Poster)
- First and Last (Family) name of all authors/participants
- Email address for all authors/participants
- Institution/Organization name of each authors/participants
- Title of Presentation

- Full abstract (this can be copied and pasted into the system using a WYSIWYG editor; limit 1,000 words)
- Short abstract (50-100 word summary of the work for potential use on website and in conference publications)
- Keyword(s)

Please complete page 1 of the submission form, then click on “Proceed” in the lower left corner. On page 2 of the submission form, you will be able to review what you entered on the previous page and can upload a file containing your contribution (this is optional and uploading a file will not increase or decrease chances of acceptance). If you are satisfied with your submission, please click on “Upload File (optional) and Complete Submission.” If you wish to save your work and add a file later, click on “Save Submission.”

Please note: submitting a proposal constitutes your permission for ALISE to publish brief and extended abstracts in the conference program and on the ALISE website, if your proposal is accepted.

Evaluation Criteria

Abstracts will be evaluated by the Juried Panel Proposals Committee according to the following criteria:

1. Congruence with the conference theme
2. Relevance to current and emerging issues in LIS education
3. Qualifications of the proposed presenters
4. Appropriateness of the panel format; innovation is encouraged
5. Opportunity for audience interaction

Conference presentation time slots will be published online and in the conference program. All presenters are required to register for the ALISE 2016 conference.

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Questions?

Please direct any questions regarding the 2016 Call for Juried Panels to the Juried Panel Co-Chairs:

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