Announcement and Call for Papers

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"Trends in Parks and Recreation"

The poster presentation of this year's symposium will provide you with information regarding trends in recreation, parks, and tourism. Regardless of your role in the parks and recreation movement, you'll find numerous topics to meet your needs. Presenters will provide cutting edge information and share best practices in these or other key topic areas:

- Leisure and Aging
- Taboo Recreation
- Leisure and Cultural Diversity
- Recreation in the Technological Age
- Gender and Leisure
- Economics of Leisure
- Leisure and the Environment
- Safety and Risk Management

A poster presentation consists of an exhibit of materials that reports research activities or informational resources in visual and summary form. Poster presentations provide a unique platform that facilitates personal discussion of work with interested colleagues and allows meeting attendees to browse through highlights of current research. Remember that it is unlikely people will view your poster for a long period of time, so make sure the key points are easy to see and well explained. Otherwise, the content is very much up to you. We look forward to seeing them!

Guidelines for Virtual Poster Submissions:

Abstract: Submit one original with cover sheet of an abstract that meets the following specifications:
1. Six pages maximum (stapled, no paper clips) including all discussion, tables, and figures. Abstracts exceeding this page limit will not be reviewed. A reference list is required and may extend onto a seventh page if necessary.
2. The abstract and reference list should follow APA guidelines including subheadings.
3. Use 12 point font and one inch margins on sides, top and bottom of 8 ½ " by 11" paper.
4. Type using double spaced lines.
5. Abstracts should have a clear title above the first line of text, with no information about the author(s).
6. Use high quality print settings on a good printer with adequate ink or toner to assure that the copy is clearly readable.

Cover Sheet: Staple a cover sheet to the original copy of the abstract. This cover sheet should include:
1. Title of the abstract.
2. Author's name, institutional affiliation, mailing address, phone number, and e-mail address.