

Abstract Instructions

(For oral and poster presentations)

The deadline for abstract submissions is May 14, 2010. You may submit your abstracts beginning now. (*Abstracts will be published on this website as they are received and accepted*)

Registered participants may present at only one session, either an oral or a poster session. Registered participants may be listed as an author on more than one abstract though.

Email your abstract as a word attachment to: **Dave Williams, dave.williams@uni.edu**

To provide for uniformity of the printed Abstracts and reduce publication costs, please follow these formal instructions when submitting your abstract:

- Use Microsoft Word
- Use Times New Roman or similar Font
- Use Font size 10
- First Line enter the title of the abstract in **BOLD CAPITAL LETTERS**
- Then a blank line
- 1st Author line: If the author is presenting the topic, enter an asterisk. Enter the author's name in CAPITALS LETTERS followed by a comma and the postal address of the author in the same format as the title of the abstract.
- Then a blank line
- 2nd Author and additional authors are entered using the same format as for the 1st author.
- Then a blank line
- The abstract itself (250 words or less), beginning with the italicized first word *Abstract:*
- Then a blank line
- Key Words/Search Terms: followed by a list of key words not already mentioned in the title
- Then a blank line
- State whether the paper is an oral or a poster presentation. Whichever applies. We will attempt to honor your presentation type request on a first-submitted = first-served basis. If presentation type fills, you will be notified of remaining alternate presentation type.
- Then a blank line
- Presentation Needs: Followed by a list of what equipment will be needed: slide projector, computer and projector for power point presentations, overhead projector, whiteboard, etc.
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- Appropriate Session: Followed the category or categories most appropriate for your topic:

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Prairie Ecology
Invasive Species Management
Fire Ecology
Prairie Fauna
Cultural Prairie Studies
Seed Ecology and Production
Native Landscaping/Urban Prairies
Prairie Wetlands
Prairie and Energy, Soil Ecology
Education and Outreach
Prairie Communities
Conservation Restoration and Policy
Roadside Prairies
Other

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