

## **Student Poster Presentation**

The GAIAI encourages students who are conducting new research, expanding on existing scientific idea, or supporting the foundation of the identification sciences to present their scientific results or literature reviews. This contest is the perfect opportunity to educate others on work currently being conducted in forensic science. This presentation contest is held at the GAIAI's Annual Education Conference. Participants should be prepared to answer questions from conference attendees and judges.

## **Instructions for Submission**

Complete applications must be submitted via email to Daniella Stuart at <u>Daniella.stuart@gbi.ga.gov</u>. Posters are selected through a peer review process and will be displayed on Thursday evening.

Presentations in the forensic fields listed on page two are welcome. Other topics will be evaluated on a case-bycase basis. Presentations may also demonstrate a process, present an unusual case, or include items of historical interest.

### **Rules and Guidelines**

- Individuals interested in presenting posters at the conference must submit their proposal via email, no later than July 1<sup>st</sup>. Poster presenters will be notified of acceptance as soon as possible, but no later than August 31<sup>st</sup>.
- The GAIAI reserves the right and final authority to determine if a presentation meets the interests of the exposition and conference attendees and the group as a whole.
- Presenters are required to attend the Poster Presentation Session on Thursday afternoon, stand by their poster and answer questions posed by conference attendees and judges. No formal presentation is required.
- If selected for inclusion in the upcoming Educational Conference you will be responsible for printing the poster, mounting it to a foam board, and supplying an easel for display. The finished size of the poster should be no larger than 36 x 48 inches.
- Audio/video equipment and other electrical components will not be provided for poster presentation.
- Posters will be on display through Thursday. It is the responsibility of the presenter to ensure the poster is picked up by the end of day Thursday.
- The GAIAI is not responsible for any and all transportation and/or hotel expenses incurred by the student.
- After receiving acceptance, should a student need to cancel, please notify the GAIAI in writing as soon as possible to the aforementioned email address.

#### Benefits

- Students who participate in this contest gain access to network with Forensic Science professionals across the State of Georgia.
- Students who are accepted to participate in the contest receive FREE conference admission (GAIAI is not responsible for the student's travel and hotel costs). Students who are attending the conference, must additionally complete the "Attendee Registration" form. When completing the form, students must notate in the payment section that they have been selected for a poster presentation.
- At the conclusion of the session, Judges will select one winner who will receive one-year FREE membership for the GAIAI.
  GAIAI Registration Form



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## Student Poster Presentation Application

Please complete and return one form submission for each presentation.

Student Last Name,	First,	Student Email	Student Phone	
University/College		Degree/Program		
Faculty/Advisor	Faculty Em	ail	Faculty Phone	
Poster Title			Target Audience	
Abstract:				
Brief Biography of Presenter:				
Please ind Biometrics Services		your poster (select multiple i Pattern Analysis	f applicable): Crime Scene Investigation	
Digital Evidence Footwear/Tire Impression General Forensics	DNA Forensic A	·	Facial Identification Photography/Electronic Imaging Other:	
I would like my poster pu	blished on the GAIAI Website	if selected.		
Student Signature	Faculty/Ad	visor Signature	Date	

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