

## INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARS

### International Scholar Research Exposition Guidelines

The Office of International Affairs and Office of for Research are pleased to announce the 13th Annual International Scholar Research Exposition, and we encourage you to participate. The exposition will showcase in poster format the world-class research undertaken by international scholars at The Ohio State University. This two-month exposition will run from November 6, 2018 – January 1, 2019, and be displayed outside the office of President Michael V. Drake, MD, on the first and second floor lobbies of Bricker Hall. President Drake and Senior Vice President for Research Morley Stone, PhD, will attend the opening reception to recognize those scholars and faculty mentors whose research posters are selected for display in the exposition.

J-1 International Scholars receiving this communication, if interested in participating in the exposition, should secure the approval and support of their primary faculty mentor before submitting a research summary. Faculty mentors are asked to nominate and encourage their J-1 International Scholars to submit research summaries.

#### Eligibility Guidelines

To be eligible to participate in the International Scholar Research Exposition, you must be a J-1 scholar and you must be in the United States and present for the opening reception, which will be held on November 6, 2018, 4:30 – 6 p.m., at Bricker Hall. Only submit a research summary if you will be present on campus during this week since attendance at the reception is mandatory. Preference will be given to first-time participants and scholars from underrepresented countries and/or departments.

#### Guidelines for the Research Summary:

To participate, scholars must have approval and support of their faculty mentor. All authors and co-authors must also agree to the submission.

Please use the [online application](#) to complete your research summary. You will need the following information in order to complete the form:

- Name of J-1 International Scholar author, country of citizenship, e-mail address and local telephone number
- Name of co-authors, if applicable, country(ies) of citizenship, e-mail address, and local telephone number(s) [please indicate if your faculty sponsor is also a co-author]
- Name and contact information for primary faculty sponsor
- Research summary outlined by the following questions in layman's terms (i.e. using simple language that someone outside your area of expertise can understand):
  - What is the issue or problem addressed in your research? (200 words or less)
  - What methodology did you use in your research? (50 words or less)

- What are the purpose/rationale and implications of your research? (50 words or less)

**Submitting the Research Summary:**

Complete the application [online](#) before September 7 at 12 p.m. Scholars whose entries are accepted will be responsible for preparing and professionally printing a poster. Instructions about the format for the posters will be sent to selected participants beginning September 21, and final posters must be submitted to 140 Enarson Classroom Building by October 19. Posters will be available for participants to pick up from Enarson after the exposition has been completed and the posters have been removed from the exhibition frames.

**Deadline for the Research Summary:**

September 7 at 12 p.m. to electronically submit your research summary.

**Opening Reception:**

The opening reception will be on November 6, 4:30 – 6 p.m., on the second floor lobby of Bricker Hall. This reception will be an opportunity for President Drake and Senior Vice President Stone, and other colleagues to publicly and personally recognize our distinguished international scholars and their faculty mentors.

This International Scholar Research Exposition is intended to raise awareness of the outstanding contributions international scholars are making to a variety of academic disciplines, to The Ohio State University, and the world community. The exposition is also an opportunity for us to recognize the guidance and support of some of Ohio State's most outstanding faculty mentors working with international scholars on campus.

We look forward to your participation. Visit our [website](#) to see a slideshow of last year's recognition reception. Questions may be directed to [Gary Schickler](#).

