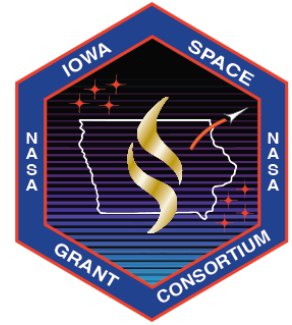


2023 Student Research Symposium
Gateway Hotel & Conference Center
Iowa State University
Garden Room
Ames, Iowa



Poster Session Guidelines – Monday, March 27, 2023

All posters must be set up between 8:30-10:30 a.m. and must remain until the session ends at 1:45 p.m. Materials should be removed promptly, and your area cleaned up. ISGC will not be responsible for remaining materials or posters after the session ends.

The [website description](#) previously provided to the ISGC will be printed and used as the abstract displayed with each poster. If you want to update your abstract, please submit this to isgc@iastate.edu ASAP. Abstracts will have an assigned number and space in alphabetical order by student last name. Logistics assistance will be available on site.

- Poster dimensions **SHALL NOT** exceed: 46” high x 48” wide
- Two-sided display boards will be available which measure 4’ high x 8’ wide
- Four posters will be displayed per board, two per side.
- **Pins will be available for attachment to the cloth covered boards.**
- Space and order will be designated by numbers on the printed abstracts on each board.
- All posters should feature a title, your name, and the name of the institution where the research is performed and should credit the ISGC by stating: **“Research is supported by the Iowa Space Grant under NASA Award No. 80NSSC20M0107.”**
- We encourage use of our ISGC logo. However, other than size adjustments; our logo may not be manipulated or changed in color, ratio, aspect, or appearance.

Poster Design Suggestions

- Allow ample time to prepare your poster. Use a crisp, clean, and strong title. Do not tell the entire research history. Present only enough data to support your conclusions and show the originality of the work. The best posters display a succinct statement of major conclusions at the start, followed by supporting text in later segments and a brief summary at the end.
- The title lettering should be about 2” to 3” (5 cm to 7.5 cm) with subheadings 1/2” to 1’ high (1.25 cm to 2.5 cm).
- All lettering should be legible from about 5 feet (1.5 m) away. Text material should be approximately 24 points (1/4”/.625 cm).
- Convert tabular material to a graphic display, if possible.
- Use color to add emphasis and clarity.
- Make illustrations simple and bold. Enlarge photos to show pertinent details clearly.
- Displayed materials should be self-explanatory, freeing you for discussion.
- Handouts of your abstract should be available for interested viewers.

Students, please consult with your mentor for more specific guidance, as needed.