

# 2017 STUDENT POSTER SHOWCASE: INSTRUCTIONS

## STEP 1: Choose a Project.

- A project does not need to be complete in order to submit an abstract!
- Poster topics can include:
  - Class projects or papers
  - Research projects or designs
  - Literature/policy reviews
  - Field experience
  - Professional experience
  - Etc.

## STEP 2: Submit an Abstract

**Abstracts are due by April 12<sup>th</sup>.**

- Maximum length: 250 words.
- Additional abstract composition resources:
  - [The Writing Center at UNC](#)
  - [Eidson \(2012\) - Recommendations for Writing Scientific Abstracts](#)
- Submit your abstract online [here!](#)
- The Student Leadership Council will review submissions and offer feedback by **April 19th, 2017.**

## STEP 3: Create & Print Your Poster

- For tips on creating an effective poster, come to a poster workshop!
  - Organizers of [OHSU Research Week](#) are hosting a pre-event skill building workshop, “How to make and present a poster” on Monday, April 10th from 3 to 4 PM in the Biomedical Research Building, room 381
  - OHSU-PSU School of Public Health faculty Dr. Cara Eckhardt will be giving a presentation **Friday, April 14th from 12 to 1 PM in the PSU Urban Center room 311.** You can also [review Dr. Cara Eckhardt’s presentation](#) from last year.
  - Additional poster design resources:
    - [Harvard School of Public Health](#)
    - [University of Pittsburgh School of Public Health](#)
    - [Miller \(2007\) - Preparing and Presenting Effective Research Posters](#)
- Required dimensions are 40” x 30” for posters printed by the School of Public Health
- Export your document (for instance, from PowerPoint) as a PDF that is the size of your poster.

The School of Public Health will pay for, print, and deliver your poster to the poster showcase venue. Posters can be emailed to Sarah Andrea ([andreaasa@ohsu.edu](mailto:andreaasa@ohsu.edu)). **The deadline is Tuesday, May 2nd.**

Alternatively, you are welcome to use a poster that you have already printed to present elsewhere. Simply bring your poster with you on the day of the poster showcase. We'll provide a tripod for display.

## **STEP 4: Present & Enjoy!**

- See you at the poster showcase! Enjoy free lunch and maybe a prize!

**Friday, May 5th, 2017, 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM**

at Oregon Health Authority—Portland State Office Building, 800 NE Oregon St. Room 1A

### ***Directions:***

By MAX: Take the Blue, Red or Green Line to NE 7th & Holladay. Walk 1 1/2 blocks south to the main entrance.

By Streetcar: Take the B loop to NE 7<sup>th</sup> & Oregon. Walk 1 block west to the main entrance.

By Car: [Click here](#) for driving directions. Note that OHA's parking lot and adjacent street parking is metered. There may be parking available in lots at NE 7<sup>th</sup> & Oregon or NE 7<sup>th</sup> & Irving.

### **Questions?**

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