

INCLUSIVE EDUCATION CONFERENCE

Achieving Education for All

Resolving challenges of learning difference, learner diversity, and 'at-risk children and youth

Hosted by The School of Education, UWI St. Augustine Campus

Conference Presentation Formats

The following presentation formats will be available:

Individual Papers

A paper session includes research reports and theoretical papers. Up to three papers will comprise a session. Presenters will have no more than 20 minutes to deliver their papers. Following the presentations, 15 minutes will be reserved for open discussion on the papers presented.

Round Table

Round tables permit close and informal interactions among presenters and their audience. These sessions will afford researchers the opportunity to discuss working papers in a small-group setting. One presenter will be scheduled per table, with a prospective audience of 5-6 persons. Presentation time is 20 minutes, followed by 20 minutes of discussion. Presenters are also expected to provide table participants with a 1-2 page summary of their research presentation. This summary should include the presenter's name, institutional affiliation, topic of the research, research questions, key findings, conclusions, and main references cited.

Symposium

The symposium focuses on one significant issue tied directly to the conference theme. It consists of a session chair, 3-4 presenters, and a discussant speaking to a unified theme. Sixty minutes will be allocated for each symposium, of which 15 minutes must be reserved for interaction with the audience. Symposium proposers are responsible for providing their own session chair and discussant.

Posters

Research posters of size 36"x 24" may be presented. Typically, posters provide graphical summaries of research processes and <u>products</u>, and are accompanied by narration and explanation from a presenter. Individual researchers/single authors are limited to presenting ONE poster; groups/multiple authors may present up to THREE posters. Persons may present posters both as individual and group authors.

Guidelines for Submission and Deadlines

Persons wishing to present individual papers, posters, and round tables at the conference must submit a proposal of not more than 2000 words of their paper/poster clearly identifying the: a) presentation strand in which they wish to be located,



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- b) purpose of the research,
- c) research questions or hypotheses explored/investigated, and
- d) findings, if available.

Proposals must follow APA guidelines.

Materials

Participants will be provided with the use of a multimedia projector and screen, computer, document presenter.