Call for Posters

The first International Symposium on Digital Inequality and Social Change (ISDISC) will be held at the University of Canberra, Australia in March 2022. ISDISC aims to raise awareness and share knowledge on digital inequality and social change amongst researchers, practitioners and relevant policy makers through a range of exciting activities. The symposium is centered around research and practice that fosters innovative tailored solutions to bridge the existing gaps while also promoting inclusiveness. The symposium will focus on three main themes: Digital Inequality (DI) studies and cases, Societal impact of technology and Real-life stories of DI and social impact. This event will provide a wonderful opportunity for researchers, students, and practitioners from multiple disciplines to exchange innovative ideas, investigate possible research collaboration and exchange experiences on various aspects of DI research. The symposium supports the submission of posters to provide participants with a forum to display and enhance work in progress, and industry presentations of new applications, techniques, technologies, or approaches in the fields of DI, ICT for development and associated social change. Authors can participate in the symposium virtually to avoid any travel related disturbances. Posters will be assessed mainly on the content that stimulates discussion and dialogue, the semiotics used to communicate ideas, and inspiration for research collaboration with symposium participants.

Accepted posters will be published in the symposium proceedings.

Design requirements

- A poster should have a Title, Executive Summary/ Abstract, Background/Introduction/ Motivation, Materials/methods, Results, Key findings, Conclusion and other details such as references, footnotes etc.
- It must clearly state the question or problem that is addressed
- Use schematic diagrams, graphs, tables and other strategies for communicating messages
- Text should be readable from five feet away (when printed). Use a minimum font size of 18 points.
- Make sure that any visual graphs, pictures, tables are properly labelled, integrated and numbered
- Cite and reference any sources following APA 6th format

Deadlines & Format
Due Date**: March 4th, 2022**. Submit as one PDF file. Poster should be emailed to: Maya.Gunawardena@canberra.edu.au or RC-disc@canberra.edu.au.

Dimensions
The one-page academic poster (digital) should maintain the standard resolution for a printed large poster A0 (841x1189 mm) with relevant image (photo, graphs or illustration). Often the easiest way to create a poster is to use a size-customized (e.g., 841x1189 mm) PowerPoint.

Helpful Resources
There are many online resources and guides, such as:
- Creating Effective Poster Presentations http://www.ncsu.edu/project/posters/
- How to make an academic poster http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC5714380/