Call for Presentations

Graduate Women Scotland (GWS) is holding its annual Research Presentation Day.

Each year we invite women postgraduate researchers, who are attached to a Scottish University, to speak to a non-specialist audience about their current projects. This year's Research Presentation Day will be on 4 December and will be held virtually.

The event is an opportunity for the speakers to reach out to the public about their work in a friendly and supportive environment. Each selected student will give a 15-minute presentation on their research (in any field) with 5 minutes at the end for questions. A diverse panel of academics will be in attendance, as well as members of the public, to provide feedback to the speakers.

There will also be an opportunity for some students to present a poster instead of giving a presentation.

Abstracts are due by 22 October, and all shortlisted speakers will be notified by 4 November via the email submitted. The selection process for invited speakers will be by peer review.

Graduate Women Scotland works to promote the advancement of women and girls worldwide through education. GWS is a part of GWI which has consultative status with the UN.

Best regards,
Dr Rachel Marsh – President GWS
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Summary of Event Information
Event: Research Presentation Day
Date: Saturday 4 December 2021, 10am for 10.30am (estimated finish 3pm with a lunch break included)
Location: Zoom
Deadline for abstracts: 22 October 2021
All shortlisted speakers will be notified by 4 November via the email submitted.

To apply, please submit the following to contact@gwseast.org:
Name:
University Email:
Telephone:
University and School/Department:
Field of Study:
Qualification currently being pursued, and year of study:
Abstract (350 words) or Summary (350 words) – see below

For those wishing to give a presentation:
- Please note time preference, if any (morning or afternoon)
- Please submit a 350-word abstract

For those wishing to present a poster:
- Please submit a 350-word summary of your work

If you are not shortlisted to give a presentation, would you be interested in presenting a poster instead?

Information for presentations:
- Each presentation is to be 15 minutes in length
- 5 minutes at the end will be allotted for question and answer
- All slides must be in the form of Power Point (PPT)
- PPTs must be emailed at least two days in advance of the presentation

Information for poster presenters:
- Posters should be a single PPT slide
- Posters should be submitted two days before the event
- The poster presentation will occur during the lunch break, with an opportunity for the audience to ask questions over the break