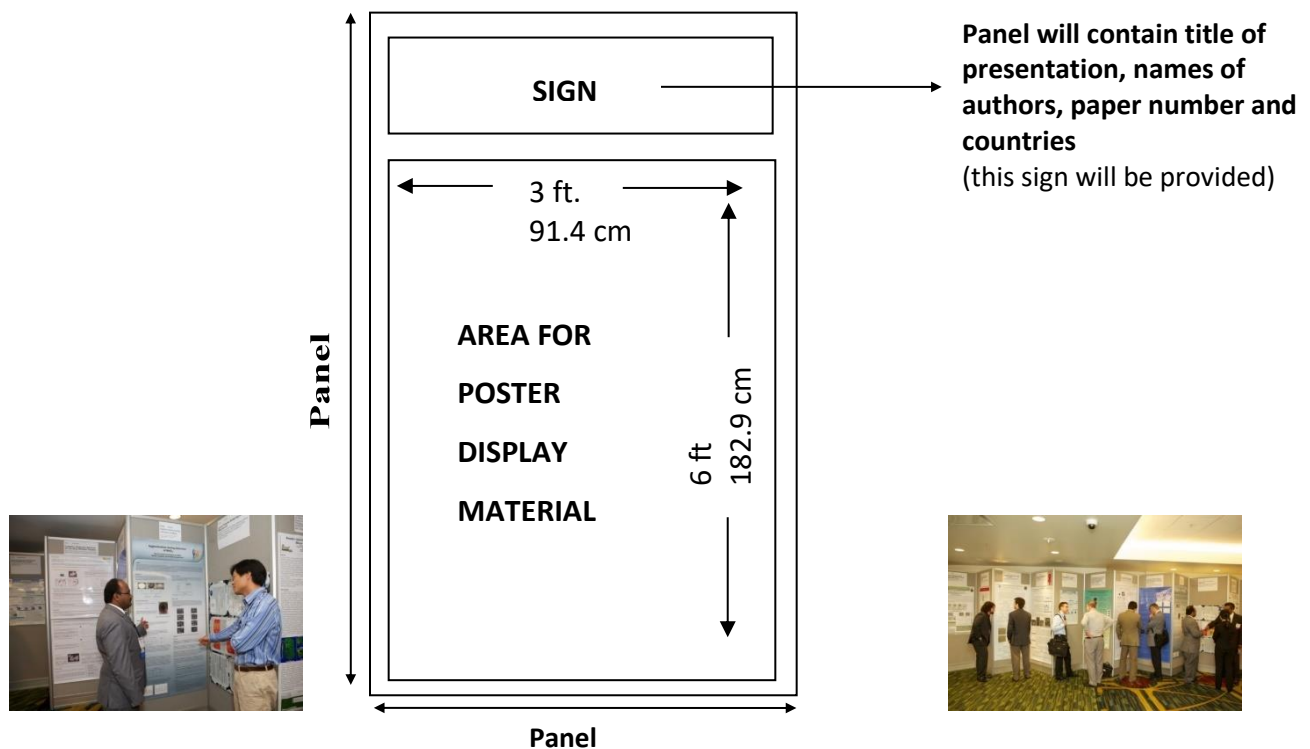


Student Poster Presentation Provisions

Preparation

- Posters must contain authors' names, title of presentation, an abstract and materials such as graphs, charts, tables and photographs that are necessary to convey the research, not copies from the manuscript. The poster should be easy to read from a distance.
- Each presenter will be provided a hard-standing panel with a 3' x 6' (91.4 cm x 182.9 cm) area in which the poster information will be affixed **to panels with Velcro provided by MPIF.**
- A sign for each panel will contain the title of the presentation as submitted, authors' names and countries, poster group name and paper number.
- **It is encouraged that poster be laminated as one sheet (author's responsibility).**
- Manuscripts are optional, but encouraged. See Manuscript Preparation Guidelines for information.



Poster Setup

- MPIF will hang all posters.

Presentation

- Additionally, each poster author will be allotted a 10-minute time slot to present their poster in a meeting room during a scheduled poster session. The poster information should be contained in a PowerPoint presentation as the hard-standing poster panel will not be available for display during the poster session.
- Poster authors shall be at their display during the designated discussion time.
- Posters will be on display Monday & Tuesday.

Removal

- Posters must remain on display until 3:00 p.m. Tuesday.
- Authors are responsible for removing posters on Tuesday from 3:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Posters not removed by this time will be discarded.
- MPIF is not responsible for returning/shipping posters to authors.

Poster Awards

The designation of “Outstanding Poster” and “Poster of Merit” will be awarded by the Poster Program Awards Committee based on the following criteria:

- Technical, scientific, and professional integrity
- Presentation clarity and overall esthetic appearance
- Enhances practical or industrial value for the industry

Ribbons will be affixed to the poster(s) that best meet the above criteria. In order to be eligible for judging, posters must be setup and on display prior to the opening of the conference (exact area and time to be announced).