Texas Speech Communication Association

Graduate & Undergraduate Scholarship Research Conference - 2023
CALL FOR PAPERS & PANELS
Submission Deadline: April 30, 2023| 11:59 PM
Conference Dates: Oct. 12-14, 2023
Houston, Texas
Our submission deadline is April 30, 2023
Decision emails go out by July 31,2023

The Texas Speech Communication Association invites submissions of scholarly papers and panel presentations by undergraduate and graduate students for its 2023 annual convention. We invite individuals to submit a variety of projects from the Communication Studies discipline, and also from other intersecting disciplines such as Public Relations, Mass Communication, etc.

This conference is committed to focusing on the following submission types:

Paper Submissions | Must Submit 2 Documents:

Submitted papers must include the following:

Document 1: Name, student level (graduate student or undergraduate student), School affiliation, email and phone number of primary/corresponding author, a paper title, an abstract, and keywords for the paper.

Document 2: The manuscript, which does not exceed 25 pages (excluding abstract, references, tables, charts, and appendices), double-spaced, follows APA style (1-inch margins on all sides, Times New Roman), and has author identifying information removed from the manuscript.

All papers submitted will be considered for the Top Student Paper Award.

Top Student Paper Award is a cash award. The winning paper will also be included in the upcoming Texas Speech Communication Journal (with guidance and final approval of editor and reviewers).

Email both documents as PDF files to: Justin Blacklock, jblacklock@alamo.edu

Panel Submission:

Submitted panels must include the following:

(1) a title for the panel, (2) a one-page rationale justifying the significance of the proposed panel, (3) a brief (75-word) description for the conference program, which includes the panel type: paper, class project, poster panel, etc. (4) a list of all participants including names, affiliations and contact information (e-mail and phone number), and (5) a faculty level chair for the panel, including their name, school affiliation, and email and phone number.

Proposed panels can include, but are not limited to, papers, class projects, poster panels, etc.

*Student Panels which include participants from the same institution are acceptable

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Respondents, Chairs, and Reviewers: We invite faculty members who would like to serve as respondents, paper reviewers, and chairs to participate regardless of whether they have a student participating in the conference. Faculty who are willing to serve as respondents, reviewers, or chairs should contact the conference planner, **Randy Cox, mrcox@austin.utexas.edu** by April 30, 2023 and indicate in what role they are willing to serve (respondent, chair, reviewer).

Acceptance/Rejection Notices: Sent out early to mid-July.

If you have any questions regarding the conference or submission process, please email the Conference Planner: Randy Cox, mrcox@austin.utexas.edu or visit the TSCA website, www.etsca.com.