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Symposia Criteria

- Symposia are 90-minutes in duration.
- Sessions should start with a 5-minute introduction of the session's topic/speakers and end with 5-minutes for closing remarks and/or additional Q/A.
- The Session Organizer(s) should indicate session format in their "Overall Objective" response. This includes information like the number of speakers, anticipated duration of individual presentations, use of a panel, timing of audience Q/A, intended audience, anticipated impact etc.
- Session Organizer(s) should review the sessions from the past 2 meetings (*April 2019 and April 2018, PDFs provided*) and try to avoid redundancy in their submission.
- Proposals may NOT contain images, graphics, and/or figures.
- Symposium proposals are limited to 2200 characters or less (including spaces).
- Symposium proposals are to be pasted as plain text into a text box.

IMPORTANT SUBMISSION DEADLINE

Consideration for Symposium Acceptance: **December 19, 2019**

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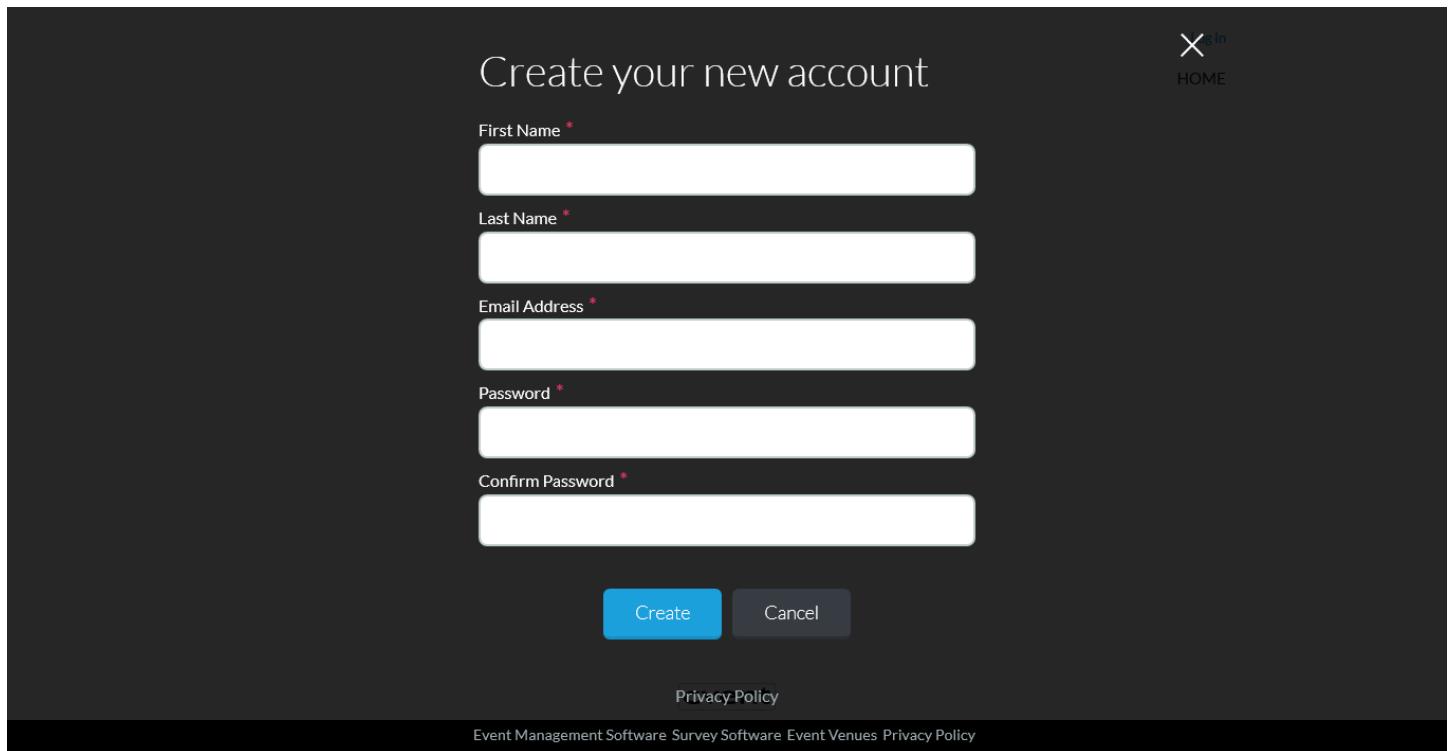
1. Your registration confirmation number.
2. Names of up to TWO (2) session organizers.
3. The title of the symposium session.
4. The overall objective(s) of the symposium session, such as number of speakers, anticipated duration of individual presentations, use of a panel, timing of audience Q/A, intended audience, anticipated impact, etc. (max 1500 characters).
5. A justification of the timeliness of this symposium session (max 500 characters).
6. A BRIEF description for use in the meeting program (max 500 characters).
7. Indication of whether the session includes areas and/or topics relating to the ethical implications of BRAIN-supported emerging neurotechnologies and advancements and their applications.
8. Request for assistance from the 2020 PI Meeting Program Committee and/or federal program staff in identifying additional speakers. **Note: The Program Committee may provide alternate speaker suggestions following consideration of the overall meeting program.**
9. Diversity Statement Acknowledgement (max 500 characters, as needed):
 - a. *In my speaker list, have I included representation of women, minorities, and/or persons with disabilities?*
 - b. *If no appropriate representation is included, can I think of another potential speaker(s) to invite (with equivalent qualifications), whose participation would improve diversity inclusion?*
 - c. *If not, why? Is this an area where we need to plan/perform additional outreach?*
10. The names of suggested moderators/speakers for this session including their email and institution. **Note:** To further enhance panel diversity, please consider career stage and discipline. Moderators/speakers do NOT need to receive federal BRAIN Initiative funding to participate.

Please note, you will be able to submit multiple proposals. For more submission information, click [here](#).

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Diversity Statement: A growing body of research focused on the benefits of diversity shows that teams comprised of people from a variety of backgrounds and experiences produce better and more innovative products and ideas than a homogenous team. The National Institutes of Health, along with the other federal and non-federal organizations participating in the U.S. BRAIN Initiative, recognizes the benefits of a diverse workforce on scientific discovery, with a particular focus on enhancing the pool of individuals from backgrounds underrepresented in biomedical research. Accordingly, we seek to nurture appropriate representation of women, underrepresented minorities, and/or persons with disabilities as poster presenters and invited speakers in relation to their participation in the annual BRAIN Initiative Investigators Meeting.

Step 1: Enter the Submitter's Details

* Registration Confirmation
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anavagamuwa@infinityconferences.com

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Step 2: Submission and Speaker Information

1. Please provide the names of up to TWO (2) session organizers:

* Session Organizer #1

Session Organizer #2

* 2. Please provide the title of the symposium session:

* 3. Please provide the overall objective(s) of the symposium session, such as number of speakers, anticipated duration of individual presentations, use of a panel, timing of audience Q/A, intended audience, and anticipated impact (max 1500 characters):

1,500 characters remaining

* 4. Please justify the timeliness of this symposium session (max 500 characters):

500 characters remaining

* 5. Please provide a BRIEF description for use in the meeting program (max 500 characters):

500 characters remaining

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* 6a. This session includes areas and/or topics relating to the ethical implications of BRAIN-supported emerging neurotechnologies and advancements and their applications.

- Yes
- No

6b. If Yes: Do you plan to have one of your speakers discuss these ethical implications, and/or would you like assistance with the integration of information on the ethical implications of your symposium topic(s), as appropriate?

7. I would appreciate assistance from the 2020 PI Meeting Program Committee and/or federal program staff in identifying speakers. Note: The Program Committee may provide alternate speaker suggestions following consideration of the overall meeting program.

- Yes
- No

8. Diversity Statement Acknowledgement (max 500 characters, as needed):

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- Yes
- No

b. If no appropriate representation is included, can I think of another potential speaker(s) to invite (with equivalent qualifications), whose participation would improve diversity inclusion?

500 characters remaining

c. If not, why? Is this an area where we need to plan/perform additional outreach?

500 characters remaining

9. Please provide the names of suggested moderators/speakers for this session. **Note:** To further enhance panel diversity, please consider career stage and discipline. Moderators/speakers do NOT need to receive federal BRAIN Initiative funding to participate:

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STEP 2 – ADD Speaker

9. Please provide the names of suggested moderators/speakers for this session. **Note:** To further enhance panel diversity, please consider career stage and discipline. Moderators/speakers do NOT need to receive federal BRAIN Initiative funding to participate:

* First Name

* Last Name

* Institution

* Email Address

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Spkr1@fakemail.com

Submission Details

Registration Confirmation Number:
12345abcde

Session Organizer #1
Brian Hawkins

Session Organizer #2
John Holdsclaw

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2. Please provide the title of the symposium session:

Symposium Title

3. Please provide the overall objective(s) of the symposium session, such as number of speakers, anticipated duration of individual presentations, use of a panel, timing of audience Q/A, intended audience, and anticipated impact (max 1500 characters):

My objectives

4. Please justify the timeliness of this symposium session (max 500 characters):

my justification

5. Please provide a BRIEF description for use in the meeting program (max 500 characters):

here is a brief desription

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Yes

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Yes

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Yes

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