CALL FOR POSTERS
to be considered for presentation at the
2014 North-Central American Association for Agricultural Education Conference
October 9-11, 2014
Morgantown, West Virginia

Poster abstracts which report a *completed* idea, research, concept, or innovation that **have not been previously reported** at the National AAAE Research Conference will be considered for acceptance. All abstract submissions will be peer reviewed.

Poster abstracts must be authored or co-authored by AAAE members. Please note you will be unable to login the poster submission system if you are not an AAAE member. Membership is verified using the Membership Directory on the AAAE site. Please check your membership status several weeks in advance of the submission deadline.

Two poster session categories (types) will be accepted -- Innovative Idea (teaching, process and products) and Research. Innovative Idea posters must be a new idea or the creative modification of an existing idea. Research posters must be related to a problem, demonstrate a need for research, and address the national agricultural education research agenda. The innovative idea must be implemented or research must be completed prior to submission.

Poster narratives in each category must be of potential regional or national significance focusing in the areas of teaching, communications, extension and/or leadership. A peer review evaluation process will be used based on the established evaluation forms.

Once accepted, authors will be notified and posters will be presented at the North Central AAAE Conference in Morgantown, WV. Evaluation of both poster types – innovative and research – will be completed using a "People's Choice" format.

Format
The poster abstract should have these heading/sections when appropriate:

INNOVATIVE IDEA	RESEARCH
• Introduction/need for innovation or idea • How it works/methodology/program phases/steps • Results to date/implications • Future plans/advice to others • Costs/resources needed • References	• Introduction/need for research • Conceptual or theoretical framework • Methodology • Results/findings • Conclusions • Implications/recommendations/ impact on profession • References

Abstract Format

- Include a separate cover page with the following information centered on the page – poster abstract title, author(s) name, mailing address, phone number, and e-mail address(es). Poster submission type (innovative or research) should be printed in the upper right hand corner of the cover page.
- Poster abstract must be a maximum of two pages long, with one additional page of references. Include the poster title on the first page of the abstract (first line of page 2). Total maximum submission length is 4 pages (1 cover page, 2 page abstract, 1 page references).
- Document must be formatted in 12 point font (ex. Times), single spaced, with 1" margins. A word template is available on the website.
- To facilitate blind review, the author's name and other identifying information should be removed from the two page abstract narrative and from the document's "Properties" menu.
- Submissions should adhere to APA 6th ed., guidelines except as modified here:
    - Italicize the names of journals, statistical symbols, titles of tables, etc., per APA guidelines but do not use the underline feature on these items.
- Submissions that do not conform to the stated guidelines and formatting may be rejected prior to the review process.

Evaluation

Abstract and poster evaluation forms are available on the web site. Authors are encouraged to review evaluation criteria before submission.

Deadline

Poster narrative proposals are due **Monday, July 28 at 11:59 p.m. EST**, and must be submitted using the online submission system.

Publication

Accepted posters will have their narrative abstracts included in the Conference proceedings.

Submission
Submissions are entirely online. See: http://www.agedweb.org/AAAE Submit the abstract in MS- Word (.doc or. docx) only.

Additional information regarding formatting, abstract submission and review, and poster evaluation can be found on the AAAE website, http://aaaeonline.org/posters/index.php.

Questions regarding submission can be addressed to: Karen Cannon, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, kcannon2@unl.edu