

CALL FOR ABSTRACT SUBMISSION



Auburn University, on behalf of Universities Fighting World Hunger, will host the fifth annual University Hunger Summit at The Hotel at Auburn University and Dixon Conference Center, on Feb. 26-28 in Auburn, Alabama. The Graduate Forum sub-committee invites paper submissions to be considered for poster presentation at the Summit. Abstracts must be submitted electronically for consideration by Friday, January 8, 2010 at 5pm (CST).

Graduate students are invited to submit abstracts focusing on one or more of the multi-faceted aspects of hunger (domestically and/or globally) including: how hunger relates to individuals and families, nations, the economy, and/or sustainability challenges. Topics for poster presentations may include, but are not limited to the following areas: nutrition, agriculture, architecture, engineering, human development and family studies, journalism, social policy, international relations, logistics, economics, business, social entrepreneurship, ethics, environmental sciences, and health professions. Both theoretical and empirical papers are welcome for submission.

The theme of this year's conference is ***Mobilizing to Feed A Hungry World***. All abstracts should describe research that is related, in some aspect, to this theme.

Submission of abstracts

Abstracts must be written in English and should not exceed 500 words. Please submit electronically to Dr. Peter Stanwick (stanwpa@auburn.edu), College of Business, Auburn University.

Abstract format

The following file formats will be acceptable for submission of the abstract: PDF or MS Word. No graphics should be included. Abstracts relevant to the Hunger Summit should contain the following sections: *Title, Author(s) Name and Affiliation, Abstract, and Five Key Words*. There is no limit to the number of abstracts any author may submit. Submissions will be acknowledged by e-mail to the submitting author. You will receive an email acknowledgement for each abstract submission. All abstracts will be peer reviewed for consideration to be presented at the Summit. Authors of abstracts that have been accepted for presentation will be notified no later than Monday, January 18, 2010.

All presenters are required to register for the conference. Conference details will be available at <http://www.universitiesfightingworldhunger.org/summit.php> in the near future.

For questions regarding abstract submission, please contact Dr. Peter Stanwick at 334-844-6517 or stanwpa@auburn.edu.