

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS



McMaster Indigenous Graduate Student Research Symposium

We welcome proposals from current graduate students and fellows whose research critically addresses the interdisciplinary nature of Indigenous Studies.

This year's **McMaster Indigenous Graduate Students' (MIGS) Spring Research Symposium** will be on **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13th** from **10:00 am to 4:00 pm** located in the **L.R. Wilson Hall Room 1811** (Indigenous Studies wing). We invite all graduate students, from all stages of research, to submit an abstract.

All research topics are welcome. In past years we have seen presentations in the areas of Indigenous studies, political science, astronomy, sociology, settler colonial studies, international relations, and philosophy. The symposium is an opportunity for Indigenous and non-Indigenous graduate students to present their ongoing research to their peers, receive constructive feedback, and hone their presentation skills. Non-presenters are also encouraged to attend!

Lunch and other refreshments will be provided.

We welcome two types of presentations:

- 1) 5 minute presentations for those who are starting to develop projects or who want to talk about their ideas (MRP and dissertation proposals, for example).
- 2) 10-15 minute presentations for those who are working on projects (MRPs, MA theses, dissertations, very involved papers for methods seminars, side projects, etc.) or who are practicing for another conference.

Deadline for abstracts: February 22nd

When you submit, please include 4 pieces of information in the document:

- 1) Your name
- 2) The title of your presentation
- 3) A 100-200 word abstract
- 4) Your preference for a 10-15 or 5 minute presentation

Please e-mail the above as a Word document to:

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Contact us if you have any questions. We look forward to receiving your abstracts.