

2016 National Earthquake Conference Student Poster Program

The National Earthquake Conference (NEC) Executive Planning Committee is now open to submissions for the student abstract and poster program. The goal of this program is provide a setting where students can present their work and interact with experts in their respective fields. This program is open to all students at the Masters and Doctoral levels.

Important Dates:

- April 8, 2016: Electronic abstracts due (200 word limit)
- April 15, 2016: Acceptance notification and poster template provided to students
- April 22, 2016: Poster art due to NEC

Student Abstract and Poster Program Topics:

- Building code research and factors driving/impeding adoption and enforcement of codes
- Earthquake science
- Earthquake engineering
- Financial analysis, investment management or corporate finance research regarding earthquakes and related disasters, e.g. tsunami
- Resilient design and construction materials and/or methods
- Response and recovery planning research
- Social science research on behavior change, societal effects, or other social aspects regarding earthquake mitigation and preparedness
- Tsunami Research and/or Evacuation Planning

Finalist Requirements:

Finalists are required to present their research findings as posters at the <u>2016 National Earthquake Conference</u> at the Hilton Long Beach, CA on Thursday, May 5 at the Student Poster Session Reception.

Upon abstract acceptance, details regarding the Student Poster Session will be sent. At that time, you will be required to commit to attending the Student Poster Session Reception.

Please <u>download the submission form</u> and email to <u>Barbara Harrison</u> by April 8, 2016 to submit your research abstract to the 2016 NEC Student Poster Program for consideration. Selected presenters will be notified by April 15, 2016.