



Research Integrity Southeast '21:
in the Wake of a Global Pandemic

February 19-20, 2021

UMMC Conference Center at the Jackson Medical Mall

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CALL FOR PAPERS and POSTERS

The COVID-19 pandemic has transformed the world in significant ways: not least in the way scientific research is being done. The urgent need for scientific answers has brought various changes to prevailing research practices, and these changes have had important implications for Research Integrity. For example: COVID has raised pressing new questions for Institutional Reviews Boards, modified the way scientific results are vetted and communicated, and it has posed new issues regarding data transparency and sharing.

The Conference Planning Committee of *Research Integrity Southeast '21* (RIS '21) cordially invites submissions for individual presentations (papers) and posters on the topic of Research Integrity in the Wake of a Global Pandemic: Implications, Reflections, and Effects.

SUBMISSION CATEGORIES

The RIS '21 Conference Planning Committee welcomes two types of submissions: individual presentations (papers) and posters. Submissions of both kinds should include a) a title page including your name, institutional affiliation, contact information, and submission category); b) an abstract of no more than 350 words suitable for blind review. Additional materials welcome but not necessary. Submissions of both kinds should be made by Dec. 1 to Lida B. Gibson (lbjgibson@umc.edu) (Subject line: RIS Submission; your last name; paper/poster). Pre-submission inquiries should be directed to Samuel.Bruton@usm.edu.

1. Individual Presentation/Papers

Description:

Individual program sessions are for the presentation of original work and will be no more than 30 minutes in length including the presentation, questions and answers, and discussion.

2. Poster Presentations

Description:

Posters will be on display throughout the conference. Poster presenters will present their work during a designated hour in the conference program.

Submission Deadline: **Tuesday, December 1, 2020.**

Review and Notification

All submissions will be blind reviewed by the interdisciplinary 'RIS Conference Planning Committee. Review criteria will focus on relevance to the conference topic and applicability of topic to a wide variety of disciplines. Interdisciplinary and joint submissions representing more than one institution are highly encouraged

Review decision notifications will be sent by December 15, 2020.