

## Further Information

### Lightning Talks with Posters - Abstract Call

Applications to present a lightning talk with a poster are open to PhD students and Early Career Researchers, from across all the University Schools. We particularly welcome applications from the School of Arts and Humanities, and the School of Humanities and Social Sciences.

We are looking for talks that showcase the depth and breadth of data science applications from the University, and research that industry will find interesting and informative. A prize will be awarded to the best lightning talk with poster, assessed by our industry colleagues.

#### Registration

Lightning talks with posters abstract call closing date is **Sunday 1 March 2020**. Registration is on the [main event webpage](#).

#### Lightning Talk selection session – 8 April 2020

- Shortlisted applicants (approx. 10 people) will deliver their talks during the Lightning Talk selection session.
- **All Lightning Talk applicants must be available on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> April, 9.45 am to 1 pm in case you are shortlisted**
- The session will serve as a practice run-through
- The session will comprise of a presentation by Dr Orlando Machado (Aviva) on 'How to give an effective presentation'.
- Orlando and the Symposium organising committee will provide feedback
- Five lightning talks will be selected for the Symposium, and will present their poster

#### Posters

- Posters should be portrait, size A0 or A1
- Posters will need to be put on your allocated poster board during morning registration 9 – 9.35 am, please allow time for this.

#### Further information

- Open to University of Cambridge applicants only
- The talk should be delivered at an accessible scientific level (avoiding jargon).
- Talks will be 5 minutes long, with an additional few minutes set aside for audience questions. During the practice run-through, the talk length will be timed.
- Early Career Researchers is loosely defined as within the first five years of employment after confirmation of PhD, on application closing date for 1 March 2020.
- By submitting a lightning talk with poster abstract, you are registering for the symposium. We welcome attendance even if your abstract is not chosen for a lightning talk and you may still be invited to present your poster.
- If you no longer wish to attend, you will need to inform the symposium organisers. Your space will be offered to someone on the waiting list
- Non-attendees may be charged\*





## Video recording and photography

Please be aware the symposium may be video recorded, and the recording placed on our website. Only the speakers and the chairperson for each session will be recorded; permissions will be sought from individuals prior to recording.

Photos will be taken during the event. If you do not want to be in any photos, please let staff at the registration desk know when you arrive for the day.

## Cancellation of registration and charges

\*Cambridge staff and students registered for the symposium have up until Sunday 5 April 2020 to cancel their registration. After 5 April, cancellations and non-attendees on the day may be charged full Industry delegate rate of £80 to cover venue and catering costs.