All Brookhaven National Lab (BNL) postdocs and graduate students are invited to submit abstracts for an oral or a poster presentation at the 2015 BNL Young Researcher Symposium. This event will bring together the BNL community to showcase the important research that our young scientists are conducting.

The entire BNL community is encouraged to attend.

Eligibility
All postdocs and graduate students who perform at least a portion of their research at BNL are invited to submit an abstract.

Oral Presentations
Any participant interested in giving an oral presentation must submit an abstract prior to the October 14 deadline. In addition, the participant must provide a CV with publication and presentation record.

Selection Process
The selection of speakers for the oral sessions will be carried out by a committee of BNL scientists with various backgrounds. Presenters will be evaluated by the following criteria:

- Novelty, importance, and impact of the research and its relevance to the Laboratory mission.
- The applicant's publication and presentation record.
- Evidence to support the applicant as a good speaker who will convey his/her research to a general scientific audience.

Participants who are not accepted for an oral presentation are encouraged to present a poster.

Poster Presentations
All poster presentation abstracts submitted by the October 14 deadline will be accepted. Participants may use a poster presented at another conference within the last three months. New posters are also acceptable if they are submitted for on-site printing by November 4.

Prizes for the best talks and posters will be presented on the day.

Important Dates

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For more information and to submit an abstract, visit: www.bnl.gov/bnlyrs2015