



The African-American Child in School

Conference on Research Directions

May 7-10, 2017
The Beach House
Hilton Head Island, South Carolina

Preparation of Proposals

Deadline for receipt of proposal September 30, 2016

Please read the Conference Announcement, noting the schedule, types of sessions and the rules of conference participation. All presenters must register and pay registration fee by November 30, 2016 and agree to attend the full conference. All presenters are urged to support the conference by registering for rooms at the Beach House. The conference is under contract to occupy a minimum number of rooms. Be sure your registration is included in our room block. You may submit more than one proposal, but participation will be limited to one panel and/or one poster session only.

Format of Presentation:

- Paper Presentation
- Panel Session
- Roundtable Discussion/Academic Salon (Multiple Presenters)

Type of Presentation:

- Workshop Session
- Empirical
- Conceptual/Theoretical
- Poster Presentation
- Applied Research
- Case Study

For Guidance, refer to the definitions provided on the web site at: [www.africana-children-isaac.org/Conference on Research Directions/ Proposal Descriptions and Guidelines](http://www.africana-children-isaac.org/Conference%20on%20Research%20Directions/Proposal%20Descriptions%20and%20Guidelines)

Proposal:

All proposals must include:

- Title
- A 70-100 word Overview which will appear in the program booklet
- A 200-300 word Abstract that describes the research to be discussed, including design of the studies, findings (if relevant), and issues to be addressed
- Format of presentation, delineating how the 2 hour time block will be allocated
- The plan for allocation of presentation time to allow for discussion by the audience
- Presenter contact information and biographical sketches

Criteria for Selection:

- Proposals address issues related to the African American Learners
- Proposals reflect creative thinking
- Panels are composed of presenters who are on the path to research careers
- Proposals describe sound research ideas
- Proposals that are provocative and have the potential of promoting dialogue
- Proposals that coincide with the Mission of ISAAC and that will attract collaboration

Proposal Submission:

- All proposals should be submitted through the ISAAC website at: www.africana-children-isaac.org by September 30, 2016
- Submit application at: www.africana-children-isaac.org through the conferences Tab on the home page.
- The presenter proposal form must be signed and submitted with the proposal. The proposal will not be read by the Committee if the presenter proposal form is missing.
- Each presenter must register for the conference and pay all registration fees by November 30, 2016. The Presenter Registration form must accompany all online registrations and payments.
- No presentation will be scheduled or listed on the Conference Program if registration fees are not paid as required.

Manuscript Submission:

- If the authors want their presentation to be included in the Conference Proceedings they should submit their manuscript through the website through the Manuscript Submissions Tab on the home page
- Review the Conference Proceedings Guidelines on the website for guidance.

Questions?

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