



The 14th Annual Injury Biomechanics SYMPOSIUM

May 20-22, 2018

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

The 14th Annual Injury Biomechanics Symposium will be held to stimulate and reward strong injury biomechanics research among students and recent graduates (must have graduated within one year prior to the symposium). The Symposium Committee invites abstracts of prospective presentations in all areas of traumatic injury biomechanics. Studies of interest include those that quantify human injury tolerance, develop analytical or experimental tools that assess injury risk, or evaluate the effectiveness of safety countermeasures in environments such as automotive crashes, sports injuries or military trauma. Preference will be given to studies that address debilitating or fatal injury mechanisms. All selected podium presenters will prepare a written manuscript to be included in the symposium proceedings. Stipends will be awarded to all selected presenters to assist with travel expenses.

Abstract submissions should include the following information:

1. A title that clearly reflects the objectives and contents of the paper
2. Information required for **each author**:
 - Name
 - Current Affiliation
 - Address
 - Phone
 - Email
- Additional information required for **Primary Author**:
 - University where research was completed
 - The department/program enrolled in (e.g. Mechanical Engineering)
 - Degree sought during work done for Symposium paper (e.g. B.S., M.S., Ph.D.)
 - Student's start/completion date of degree (if in progress list expected graduation)
 - The name of the student's advisor

Note: The work presented must have been completed while the primary author was a student. The presenting author must be studying currently or must have graduated within the year prior to the symposium; additional authors do not need to be students or recent graduates.

3. An abstract of no more than 500 words containing:
 - Clear statement of the study objective(s)
 - Methodology
 - Outline of the problem that the study attempts to solve
 - Data to be included
 - Summary of results and current conclusions of the study
4. State whether you would prefer a poster or an oral presentation slot. The committee reserves the right to alter the presentation type based on the submitted abstracts.

Please contact us (ibrc@osu.edu) if you are uncertain whether your research is within the scope of the symposium.

Abstracts must be submitted by February 5th, 2018 to:

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