

VITAL2015 Speaker-Ready Forum

Webinar

May 20, 2015 | 1-2 pm Eastern

AGENDA

- Session Goals and Formats
- Presentation Best Practices and Session Enhancements
 - » Have your cell phone handy for an interactive polling demonstration!
- Submitting A/V Requests, Presentations, and Videos
- Q&A
- Speaker Next Steps

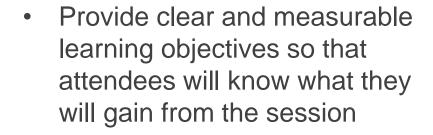


Session Goals and Formats



IT IS IMPORTANT THAT SESSIONS:

Engage attendees, encourage interaction, and solicit participation









WHAT ARE THE VARIOUS VITAL2015 SESSION FORMATS?

Education Breakout Sessions

- » 75 minutes in length
- » Two to four presenters
- » Allow at least 30 minutes for Q&A

Critical Conversations

- » 60 minutes in length
- » One to two presenters
- » Allow at least 30 minutes for Q&A



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Mini-Sessions

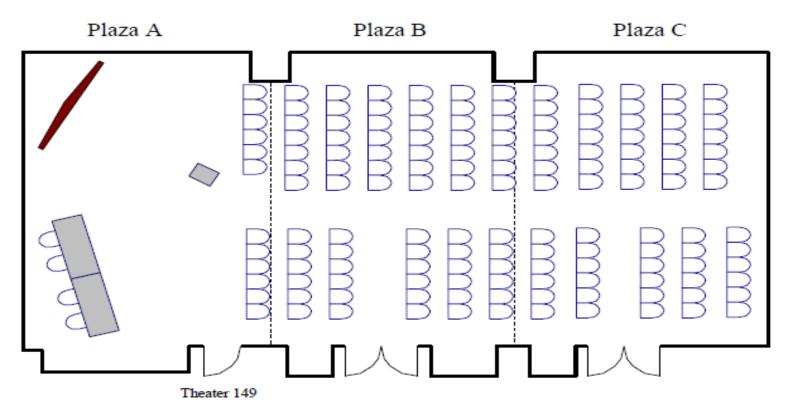
- » 30 minutes in length
- » One to two presenters
- » Allow 10-15 minutes for Q&A

Rapid-Fire Presentations

- » 5 minutes in length
- » One presenter
- » No Q&A



WHAT TO EXPECT WHEN YOU ARRIVE







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- Arrive 10-15 minutes early to your presentation
 - » A speaker-ready room will be available if you'd like to rehearse your presentation, check your slides, or schedule pre-arranged meetings with your fellow presenters further in advance of your presentation
- An association volunteer or a staff member of America's Essential Hospitals will greet you and connect you with our A/V team
- When it is time to begin the session, the volunteer or staff member will welcome attendees and open the session



Presentation Best Practices and Session Enhancements



PRESENTATION BEST PRACTICES

- Use the VITAL2015 PowerPoint template
- Stay within your predetermined time limit
- Keep organizational overviews concise and relevant (one minute)
- Shape presentations around the final approved session content
- Engage the audience through discussion and interaction



ENGAGING YOUR ATTENDEES

- Consider opening your presentation with a story or energizing tagline
- Close with a captivating ending that ties everything together
- Don't fall victim to "death by PowerPoint"
- Encourage live tweeting via Twitter
- Interactive polling (PollEverywhere)



Submitting A/V Requests, Presentations, and Videos



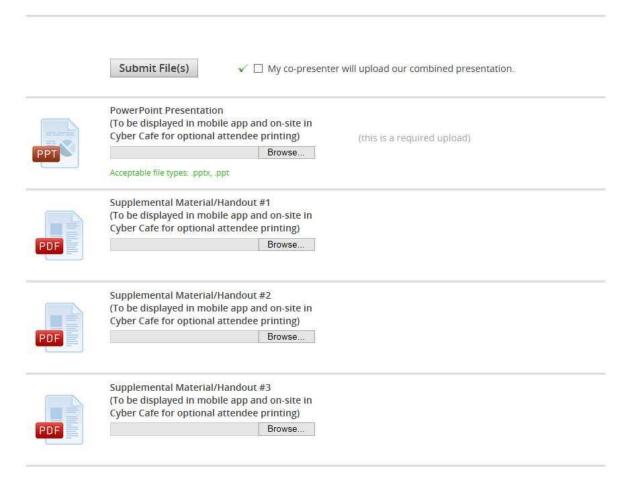
AUDIOVISUAL REQUESTS – DUE MAY 29

An LCD screen and a laptop with a wireless internet connection will be set onsite with your presentation. Please select any additional audiovisual options you need for your presentation: The provided equipment (LCD, laptop, and wireless internet) are fine for my presentation. I require no additional accommodations. Computer Video - my presentation uses video(s) Computer Video - my presentation uses video(s) and requires sound Microphone: Lavaliere Wireless Flip chart with markers Laptop - I will bring my own PC laptop MAC users: Please bring whatever adapters Laptop - I will bring my own MAC laptop and cables you need to ensure Other: I have an A/V request that is not listed above. your presentation runs smoothly



SUBMITTING SLIDES AND HANDOUTS

- >> Due June 5 via VITAL2015 Conference Harvester
 - >> Don't forget to authorize the release of your materials!
- >> The embedding of videos in PowerPoint presentations is discouraged.





DOES YOUR PRESENTATION HAVE A VIDEO?

If you have a video that will supplement your presentation, please log in to the VITAL2015 Conference Harvester to submit it using one of the two options below:



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Any Questions?



Next Steps



UPCOMING SPEAKER DEADLINES

Friday, May 29

- » Book your hotel room at The Westin Gaslamp Quarter Hotel
- » Register to attend VITAL2015
- » Submit A/V Requests (VITAL2015 Conference Harvester)

Friday, June 5

- » Submit presentations, handouts, and videos (Conference Harvester)
- » Authorize release of materials (Conference Harvester)
- » Submit polling questions via email to Alana Mallory (amallory@essentialhospitals.org)



Speaker bio sketches and headshots are now **past due**. Please submit them at your earliest convenience.

QUESTIONS?

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