

[Poster Title] COMP 411/COMP422/Comp4200/4300 Poster

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Abstract

 An abstract is a paragraph or two which states your hypothesis, discusses how you researched it and your conclusions.

Introduction

- Present any introduction, background, or context necessary for the reader to understand your poster. Start with a general introduction to the field, and indicate the relevance of your work.
- the introduction of a poster is a wonderful place to put a photograph or illustration that communicates some aspect of your research question. [approximately 200 words]

Objectives

- List objectives here
- Objective 1
- Objective 2
- Objective 3

Methodology or Approach

- State briefly your methodology for answering your research question(s) or your approach to crafting your argument
- You do not need to go into great detail here; it is often better to include details in figures or graphics.

A Good Poster Will

- Summarize your work
- Convey a message visually
- Be readable from about 4 feet away
- Be clearly organized

Poster Design Tips

- Use large text (your text should be at least 18-24 pt.)
- Do not use more than 2-3 font styles total
- Use fonts that are easy to read
- Avoid too much text (no more than 800 words max)
- Organize your content with columns, sections, headings, and blocks of text
- Choose a title that illustrates what your poster is about. Your title should be at least twice the size of your regular text.
- Choose colors carefully and pay attention to contrast. If in doubt, dark print on light background is best.
- Selectively incorporate charts, graphs, photographs, and other graphics that support the theme of your poster
- Avoid fuzzy images; make sure all graphics are high-resolution and easily visible
- Include your name on your poster and the UMD logo
- Edit your poster carefully before the final print-out



Conclusions

- Conclusion 1
- Conclusion 2
- Conclusion 3