

March 2013 Newsletter

Conference

Abstracts

Please be reminded that the deadline for submission of Abstracts, approved by your Supervision Team, is Friday 8th March. Please submit a Word file to Kathleen and avoid the use of colour if at all possible.

Posters

The deadline for submission of your Poster to Nathan Burrill is Monday 18th March. Please include the 4 logos on your poster, UB, EPSRC, Queens Award and your Sponsor and contact Kathleen or Nathan if you have any queries regarding logos. You must also include the Confidentiality Statement sent by Kathleen last week on your poster.

Each student presenting a poster will do a 2 minute elevator pitch with a couple of slides to introduce your poster. This will take place on the Tuesday afternoon of the Conference.

Presentations

Those with a 15 minute time slot for their presentation should speak for 12 minutes and then allow 3 minutes for questions. Those with a 25 minute time slot will speak for 20 minutes and then allow 5 minutes for questions. Please do not run over (or under) time. Presentations should be uploaded onto the computer in the meeting room before your session starts.

Please ensure that you have the 4 logos on your presentation and include the Confidentiality Statement on your first slide.

Prizes

There are several prizes awarded at the end of the Conference:

- Quality/quantity of Questions. Prize – Bottle of Champagne
- Contribution to Outreach Activities. Prize - £100 (several prizes awarded)
- Best Poster. Prize – Bottle of Champagne and £100

- Peter Bongers Prize for Best Presentation – Bottle of Champagne + £300
- Module Marks Prize - £500

As of last year's Conference we have awarded a Prize for Students with excellent marks in the Modules. To clarify, there are two criteria which apply:

Either 70% or greater in all Modules

Or an average of at least 75% over all Modules and only two Modules in the 65-70% range.