Presentation Descriptions and Formats

**Categories of Presentations**

**Empirical Presentations** – Submissions into this category should include original research projects integrating information derived from observational experience or experimental data collection, with analyses by the authors.

**Special Interest Presentations** - Projects entered into this category should include concept-motivated information and may be expressed in case studies, unique policy analyses, systematic reviews, reports compiling and analyzing outcomes, teaching methods and learning outcomes as example in this category.

**Quest Project Presentations** – Projects in this category include special projects or programs completed by members of an individual quest class. Presentations may include any number of presenters.

**Creative Visual Art** - This category may include submission such as drawings, paintings, prints, photography, sculpture, ceramics, or crafts. Presenters will display their work and be present during the scheduled session of the Symposium to discuss their works or projects.

**Expressive Performance** - Projects entered into this category may include scholarly presentations of art, film, theatre, vocal performance, or other artistic expression that interpret or create insights. These presentations may be conducted as a 15-minute platform.

**Presentation Format Details**

**A Poster** - Poster presentations are a detailed showcase of completed research including summarized information using brief written statements and graphic materials, such as graphs, charts, figures and photographs mounted on a poster board, the dimensions of which need not go beyond the allocated space per poster. Poster presentations must meet the following requirements:

- Poster size will be 36x48 (landscape only)
- Students can use the provided PowerPoint template or make modifications as long as:
  - The poster size is unaltered
  - The student keeps content in the three column structure
  - The Baker logo/shield remains on the poster where it is found on the template
- The lead author must be in attendance at the conference
- If the Faculty sponsor is included on the poster, it should be in the acknowledgements section.
- Posters must be submitted in JPEG File Interchange Format

Poster workshops will be on Tuesday, March 31st at 11am and Wednesday, April 1 at 2:30pm.
**A Platform Presentation** - Platform presentations are offered as spoken accounts, giving the presenter the opportunity to further explain their project to the audience. This format is generally accompanied by visual information in the form of PowerPoint slides and followed by a period of dialogue.

*Student presenters are encouraged to visit the Baker University Speech Center to aid in the development of their presentation.*