

Innovations for International Development Symposium

Call for Abstracts

DUE: APRIL 18, 2013 by 5pm

The International Center, IFAS International Programs and the Emerging Pathogens Institute will host the Innovations for International Development mini-symposium on May 2, 2013. The mini-symposium will be held in the Rion Ballroom at the Reitz Union from 9am-12pm. This mini-symposium will be a forum for the exchange of information and ideas between faculty, staff and students about innovations and technologies that can be used to improve the lives of the impoverished in developing countries. This half day symposium will consist of a combination of talks, posters, round table discussions, and brainstorming.

If you are interested in sharing your technology, innovation or development approach in a 5-minute presentation or poster (e.g., technology transfer, capacity building), please submit an abstract using this form. Your abstract should be no more than 250 words, and include name(s) and departments of those involved, as well as a description of your innovation or technology, whether it has been used in developing countries yet, and the impacts you have had or hope to achieve with the innovation or technology. Based on the abstracts received, the review committee will make their selections and determine if a short (5 minute) oral presentation or poster is the best fit, however you are invited to note your preference on the form below and they will take it into consideration. Feel free to forward this call to colleagues who may want to submit an abstract.

Fill in your information in the fields below. Once you are finished, press the Submit button or save the form and email it to kaugustine@ufic.ufl.edu. no later than April 18 at 5pm. You will be notified of the review committee's decision on April 19th.

Name, email address and department for each team member:

Type of Innovation or Technology (choose one):

Click this box if your technology has already been used in a developing country:

Please indicate your preference: Oral presentation preferred Poster presentation preferred

Insert your abstract in the field below.