



OR59 Annual Conference
Loughborough University
12-14 September 2017

Call for Posters for the Academic-Practitioner Bazaar

The OR59 Academic-Practitioner Bazaar is a great opportunity to present your work visually. This session invites academics and industry practitioners to display posters and to give a 1-minute pitch highlighting their research and practice contributions.

The Academic-Practitioner Bazaar will be held on Wednesday 13 September 2017 and aims to provide a forum for academia and industry to exchange ideas. It can help deliver your work to a wide audience, enabling you to gain valuable feedback from industry and academic audiences. It is also a good chance for participants to start conversations and build networks for future collaborations.

The content of posters is expected to be beyond the idea or proposal stage and objective. The methodology and preliminary/expected results should also be included. Posters arriving in time, will be displayed over all 3 days of the conference.

Submission Requirements:

- Please submit a title and abstract (x300 words max.) through the OR Society website to the Posters stream. **Submission deadline – 21 July 2017**
<http://www.theorsociety.com/Pages/Conferences/OR59/OR59Abstract.aspx>.
- There is no requirement to submit a paper in order to present your poster.
- Posters should be A0 size in Portrait style i.e. 841mm across x 1189mm down
- Select text size and pictures/charts readable from a distance of 3 feet.
- Prepare a 1-minute pitch with slides, to present in the poster session.
- Presenters must register and pay to attend the conference, should bring fasteners (such as Velcro or similar) with them and bring something to carry them home in.

Printing of Posters:

- If you would like your poster printed for you, please send an Adobe Acrobat .pdf file to Hanjing Zhang and Tatiana Gherman by **no later than 31st August 2017**. No other type of file will be acceptable. The poster (1 copy only), will be printed on normal photocopy paper (laminated copies are not available). There will be no charge for this printing.

Please contact Miss Hanjing Zhang (H.Zhang@lboro.ac.uk) and Miss Tatiana Gherman (t.i.gherman@lboro.ac.uk) for further information.