DIA 2021 ePoster Gallery FAQs

This is a reference guide to DIA's policies and expectations related to ePosters. Any questions related to ePosters may be directed to Jess Warner at Jess.Warner@DIAglobal.org.

What is an ePoster?

Think of your ePoster as an infographic. e-Posters (just like infographics) are graphic visual representations of information, data, or knowledge intended to present information quickly and clearly. They can improve cognition by utilizing graphics to enhance the human visual system's ability to see patterns and trends.

How will ePosters be viewed?

ePosters will be featured in an online gallery within the virtual meeting platform that is hosting DIA 2021. ePoster presenters are required to upload a PDF of their poster prior to the meeting. Attendees will be able to scroll through and search ePosters throughout the duration of virtual meeting. Presenters are also encouraged to upload supplemental materials such as an audio/video file or handout to further showcase their research and promote a dialogue with attendees.

What is my presentation date/time?

ePosters run continuously during the meeting. There are no formal or LIVE ePoster presentations during the DIA 2021 virtual meeting.

I've never created an ePoster before. Where do I start?

Refer to the Professional and Student ePoster Look Book for detailed information and resources on creating your ePoster. This Look Book provides guidelines on formatting, resources and links to create your ePoster, and helpful tips.

Do I have to upload a PDF ePoster?

Yes! ePoster presenters are required to upload a PDF of their poster prior to the meeting. Presenters are also encouraged to upload supplemental materials such as an audio/video file or handout to further showcase their research and promote a dialogue with attendees.

What supplemental materials can I provide?

Presenters are encouraged to upload the following supplemental materials to further showcase their research and promote a dialogue with attendees.

- Audio/Video File
- Handout

Am I required to provide any supplemental materials?

No. You are not required to provide any additional materials. The minimal requirement is having a PDF of your ePoster uploaded into the virtual meeting platform, MeetingPlay.

Where can I find guidelines on the developing supplemental materials?

Check out the Creating Supplemental Materials section of the Professional and Student ePoster Look Book. Here you'll find detailed information on developing supplemental materials.

I want to create a supplemental audio/video file, but I'm not sure what to say.
Think of this as a response to someone asking, "Can you take me through your poster?" This is your chance to provide additional context for your ePoster and guide viewers through your work. This is not a full oral presentation of your work.

How do I upload my ePoster and supplemental materials?
Instructions on uploading your ePoster will be sent to registered presenting authors in May. Only presenting authors who are registered for DIA 2021 will receive upload instructions.

Do I need to register for DIA 2021?
Yes! The presenting author must be registered for the DIA 2021. The designated author/presenter receives a 10% discount off their current applicable registration rate. This discount does not apply to multiple authors or other discounted registration fees. Receive a 25% discount by opting-in to share your contact information with DIA 2021 exhibitors and sponsors before, during, and after the live event. To benefit and opt-in, just enter the code **OPTIN21** at check-out. Discount will be reflected on the last page of the cart.

I have a question not answered here or in the Professional and Student ePoster Look Book. Who do I contact?
If you have any additional questions, please contact Jess Warner at Jess.Warner@DIAglobal.org.