

CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS

Deadline Extended: March 17, 2017

12th Annual Conference of the Social Sciences:
"From Social Problems to Social Promise"
April 15, 2017

University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida



FLORIDA SOCIETY OF THE SOCIAL SCIENCES

For the past 12 years, the Florida Society of the Social Sciences (F3S) has strived to provide a unique forum for students of the humanistic and social sciences to engage with fellow scholars. The cornerstone of F3S's efforts is the Annual Conference of the Social Sciences, where over one hundred graduate students and several undergraduate students come together to discuss their work with a broad audience that crosses disciplines, professions, origins, and walks of life.

The 12th Annual conference theme, *From Social Problems to Social Promise*, highlights the role of research in addressing social inequalities, cultivating a sense of hope, and providing more equitable solutions for the future. We are excited to announce this year's keynote speaker: [Dr. Carla Shedd](#), Assistant Professor of Sociology and African American Studies at Columbia University.

Please read the information provided below to guide you as you prepare a submission.

TYPES OF SUBMISSIONS:

We welcome papers or poster presentations from graduate students (and advanced undergraduates) in the humanities, social sciences, and interdisciplinary fields. We also welcome workshop proposals from students, faculty, and community leaders.

1. **Formal Paper Sessions:** These formal sessions include 15-minute presentations of forthcoming research. Presentations will be grouped thematically to form a complete session. A question and answer session will follow all presentations.
2. **Poster Sessions:** Posters are appealing visual representations illustrating a research question, methods, and outcomes. Posters will be displayed during scheduled time slots and presenters will have the opportunity to discuss their research with conference attendees. All stages of work welcome.
3. **Workshops:** Workshops are individual sessions with a focus on providing information and hands-on activities to students and early career scholars. We encourage workshop submissions focusing on professional development, community engagement, relevant technologies, etc.

HOW TO SUBMIT:

Please submit a 250-word abstract at: <https://goo.gl/forms/22JArAhh4Ar3xXss2>. Visit our [website](#) to view the full call for abstracts, and for more information on the 12th Annual CSS. Submissions will be reviewed and presenters will be notified on a rolling basis.

Have questions? Email sgolditch@ufl.edu (Sydney Golditch, 16-17 Program Chair) or arroyo@ufl.edu (Julia Arroyo, 16-17 F3S President).

Submit today!