

GPhiO National Conference 2025 Program Proposals FAQs

- **Who can submit for a program?**
Any sister/sibling, undergraduate, alumni, community partner that would like to present on any of our themes for the program are welcome to submit a proposal. Presenters do not have to be affiliated to submit and present at our conference.
- **What if I don't have my workshop/presentation fully finalized by April 18th?**
You can still submit your proposal! If you can provide the goals of your workshop or presentation, the themes it aligns with, and other key details, your submission will be considered. If your proposal is selected, we will communicate a separate deadline for finalizing and submitting the full content.
- **How do I determine which theme aligns best with my session?**
Carefully review the provided theme descriptions and select the one(s) that closely align with your session's objectives and content. If your session touches on multiple themes, you can select more than one.
- **Does my workshop or presentation require an interactive piece?**
While it's not mandatory, we highly recommend incorporating an interactive element to make your session more engaging and impactful for the audience.
- **Do I need to be an expert in the topic I'm presenting?**
You do not need to be classified as an expert, but you should be knowledgeable about the topic and willing to research it further to provide accurate and valuable insights to your audience.
- **How much time will I have to present?**
Each presenter will have 45-minutes to present on their topic to allot enough time for session rotation.
- **What is the deadline to submit my proposal?**
All proposals must be submitted by April 18th, 11:59 pm CT.
- **Do I have to add an evaluation part for my workshop?**
No, it's not mandatory but you are welcome to create an evaluation with your own metrics of interest. The program committee will be collecting overall feedback from each session.
- **Can I present more than one workshop?**
You are welcome to submit multiple program submissions and the program selection committee will review each submission accordingly.
- **What information will be shared if my program is selected?**
By mid-May, we will contact selected presenters with detailed information including technology, parking, time slot, and general conference information.

If you have additional questions regarding program proposals, feel free to email Ivette Olave (metis.gphio@gmail.com).