

American Rehabilitation Counseling Association (ARCA)

Call for ARCA Presentations at 2010 ACA Conference

The American Rehabilitation Counseling Association (ARCA) is accepting proposal submissions for ARCA Sponsored presentations at the 2010 ACA Conference in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania (March 18-22, 2010).

TYPES OF PROGRAMS

Presentations (90-minutes; 60- minutes): A workshop/interactive type format or a report on a significant piece of empirical or conceptual research is expected. Demonstrations of counseling techniques and interventions, assessment practices, program design and evaluations, or reactive research presentation would use this

Sessions (30-minutes): Posted materials with summaries of research, practice, or other clinical counseling or pertinent rehabilitation topics are expected. Participants peruse posted materials and engage in discussion with the presenter(s). Informative and referential handouts are offered.

PREFERRED TOPICS

- A. Rehabilitation Counseling Research
- B. Innovative Rehabilitation Technology
- D. Ethics in Rehabilitation
- E. Rehabilitation Education
- F. Other Significant Rehabilitation Topics

SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

Clear and concise 1-2 page proposals will be accepted. Proposals should include a 50-word abstract which will be included in the program. Three to four learning objectives must be clearly stated and the topic relevant to those included above. Convention sponsors will provide electronic hook up and projector screen. However, all other AV equipment needs are the responsibility of the presenter. Proposals are to be submitted electronically in Word format to Dr. Michelle P. Pointer (mpointer@coppin.edu). August 28, 2009 is the deadline for submission. Presenters are responsible for 25 program handouts to include accessible format. Convention attendance will not be subsidized.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: Proposals must be submitted by midnight on **August 28, 2009**

SELECTION PROCESS: Main Proposals will be reviewed by the committee and notification sent to the Main Presenter around September 22, 2009. All presenters must be registered participants at the conference and members of ACA/ARCA

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PROPOSAL FORMAT

Abstract (50 words)

Name of Main Presenter

University/Organization Name

Phone/Electronic Mail

University/Organization Name Address

Professional Organizational Membership(s)

ARCA: Yes ____ No Other(s):

Main Presenter Qualifications to Present Topic

Name of Co-Presenters and University/Organizational Affiliation

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Name of Proposed Program Presentation

Preferred Topic

Rehabilitation Counseling Research _____

Innovative Rehabilitation Technology _____

Ethics in Rehabilitation _____

Rehabilitation Education _____

Other Significant Rehabilitation Topics _____

Type of Program Presentation: 90-Minute ____ 60-Minute ____ 30-Minute ____

Program Description (Include 3-4 Learning Objectives)

Submit proposal as a Word attachment by August 28, 2009, via **electronic mail** to:

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