

Call for Posters
The Third Workshop on the Impact of Pen-based Technology on Education

October 15-16, 2008

Purdue University

Conference Web Site: www.purdue.edu/wipte

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Submissions Due: June 16, 2008.

Poster Session

The WIPTe poster session will provide an informal opportunity for participants to present pen-based projects that are works in progress and do not yet have complete evaluations, or are otherwise not suitable for presentation as a full paper. This venue may be most appropriate for students and for K-12 or university teachers whose projects do not meet the criteria of a full paper, perhaps because lack of time has slowed the full development of the project. For example, posters might address software applications or teaching materials that have not yet been formally evaluated in an educational setting. Please note that posters will not be included in the conference proceedings.

Poster authors are encouraged to read the call for papers to further understand the expected WIPTe audience and the types of topics that are likely to be of interest. However, the conference committee will consider poster submissions that deal with pen-based computing topics that fall outside the scope of the call for papers.

Poster Submission

Important Dates:

March 14, 2008 -- Submissions will be accepted starting on this date.

June 16, 2008 -- Deadline for paper submissions.

July 23, 2008 -- Author notification.

September 14, 2008 -- Workshop registration deadline.

October 15 – 16, 2008 -- Workshop convenes at Purdue University.

Poster submissions will be evaluated based on a written proposal. The proposal is limited to a single page. Proposals should be formatted for 8.5x11" paper with 1" margins on all sides. Submissions should use the Times Roman (12 Point) font. The proposal should be fully justified (left and right). The paper should be single spaced. If possible, add a blank line space between each paragraph.

The single-page submission should begin with the title of the proposed poster. This should be followed by the name, affiliation, and email address of each author (format this information in any reasonable way).

Abstract: The abstract is limited to 200 words and should provide a succinct and self-contained summary of the content of the poster.

Content: This is typically the largest section of the proposal and describes the expected poster content. This section should identify the problem addressed, the approach taken, and (when possible) the results obtained.

Significance and Relevance of the Topic: Use this short section to explain why your topic is significant. If relevant, include information about trends that relate to the topic and describe (or cite) supporting evidence if it is available.

References: If your proposal uses references, list them here.

Review Process: Each submission will be reviewed by at least one reviewer selected from the organizing committee and/or the review committee. Due to time constraints we are unable to promise that reviewer feedback will be provided to authors.

Poster Presentation

Information about final poster preparation and presentation will be provided to authors of accepted posters.

Questions: General questions can be addressed to any member of the organizing committee. Questions about local arrangements and the Purdue venue should be addressed to Ed Evans. Questions about submissions and the review process should be addressed to Dave Berque or Jane Prey. Questions about vendors and corporate sponsorship should be addressed to Jane Prey, Rob Reed, or Laura Small.