



Atlantic Conference on EYJAFJALLAJÖKULL AND AVIATION

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Conference Poster Sessions

The Conference Organizing Committee provides registered conference participants with the opportunity to submit abstracts for posters and e-posters for presentation at the Conference. The deadline for the submission of abstracts with expected number of posters or e-posters is 1st September 2010. You will be notified of the Program Committee's decision to accept or decline your abstract by 5th September 2010. Abstracts of the posters and e-posters should be half a page (A4), in times new roman, size 12. All approved abstracts will be distributed to the participants at the start of the conference. Abstracts should be submitted by sending an e-mail to the Conference Chairman for the Poster Sessions, **Dr. Freysteinn Sigmundsson**, Nordic Volcanological Center, Institute of Earth Sciences, University of Iceland, by e-mail to fs@hi.is marked with "Abstracts for posters Eyjafjallajökull and Aviation 2010" and a copy to conferences@keilir.net. Please contact Dr. Sigmundsson by phone + 354 8934607 for further details and information.

- All presentations must be in English - the official language of the Conference.
The posters will be on display in the coffee lounges of the Conference from Wednesday morning September 15 at 08.00 until 17.00 on Thursday 16 September 2010.
- Please note that all the speakers are invited by the program committee and it is not possible to sign up for an oral presentation.

Guidelines for Poster Presentation

Please check in with the Poster Desk upon arrival early Wednesday morning Sept. 15 for information on putting up posters. Posters can also be courier mailed to the Conference Secretary in advance.

Components of the poster: Posters should include a title, names of authors and their addresses, abstract, introduction materials and methods, results, discussion (or a combined results and discussion), conclusion, acknowledgments (if any), references, tables, and figures.

Hints for preparing a good poster: Poster area is: 1,0 meter wide x 1,4 meter high – vertical portrait format. Careful design is needed. Remember: The poster is a visual display. The organization and flow of the poster needs to be very clear. Visually subordinate those things that are less important and draw attention to those of greater importance. Make clear sequence in which the poster is to be viewed. Keep explanatory text close to the figure it is explaining. Group related information together, and make the groupings clear. Show as well as tell the story. Tables and figures should be a main component of a successful poster. Do not use extensive text.

Make the poster accessible to browsers. Use a simple font. A mix of caps and lower case is easier to read than all caps. The title should be legible from 4 meters away. It should be assertive, clear, and catch the eye of the viewer.

Main headings carry the essential content and should provide a complete take-home message and be visible at 1.5 meter. Supporting text follows the main headings and should be visible at 1 meter. Concisely state the main conclusion. Be sure your contact information is placed on your poster. You may bring with you printed copies of the poster to be hung in an envelope below the poster.

Guidelines for E-Posters Presentation

The Electronic Poster is a PowerPoint Slide Show presentation, continuously looping on a TV screen in the poster area of the conference hall. These posters shall consist of no more than 10 pages / slides and have a running time of maximum 120 seconds per poster. Sound effects are not allowed. To ensure the smooth running of the poster sessions, we require the completed e-poster presentation to be handed in or e-mailed as a ppt-file to no later than Tuesday 14 September 2010. Each e-poster must have a title page listing the title, author(s) names and affiliations. The Conference Organizing Committee will provide the continuously looping of few "posters" together per large TV screen.