

The Engineering Libraries Division (ELD) seeks papers for the 2016 Annual Conference and Exposition to be held in New Orleans, LA, June 26 to June 29. Librarians and educators from around the world are encouraged to submit papers. Topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

- Data literacy for undergraduates through faculty
- Recruiting, training, and retaining new engineering librarians
- Basics of engineering librarianship for new librarians
- Mid-career development for librarians
- Evaluating new resources for librarians and engineering faculty
- Marketing and outreach activities (to students, faculty, and other constituencies)
- Impact of the ACRL Framework
- Impact of changes in ABET criteria
- Planning STEM libraries
- Maker spaces (more to be said)

If you are involved in innovative services or research outside these areas, please submit an abstract.

Abstracts and draft papers are reviewed using a double-blind process, and thus are to be submitted with **no information identifying author(s) or institutional affiliation(s)**. Abstracts and papers will be judged on the basis of relevance to the division, quality of research and writing, and potential to engage conference participants.

Author's Kit (including abstract and paper formatting guidelines), Plagiarism Guidelines, and Deadlines are available on the ASEE Annual Conference website (<http://www.asee.org/conferences-and-events/conferences/annual-conference/2016/papers-management/for-authors>). All submissions are expected to meet deadlines and adhere to specified requirements.

For updates on deadlines and the submission process, check Annual Conference Information on the ELD website (<http://depts.washington.edu/englib/eld/>).

Some important dates for authors to keep in mind are:

- September 1: abstract submission open
- October 19: abstract submission closed
- November 9: acceptance or rejection of abstracts
- February 1: draft paper submission closed
- March 7: requested revisions to authors
- March 21: requested revisions deadline
- March 28: acceptance or rejection of papers
- May 2: final paper upload (with blind indicators replaced by author or affiliation information)

Questions? Contact me at [cwb@uab.edu](mailto:cwb@uab.edu).

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