

Abstract Submission for the 2017 ASEE Annual Conference and Exposition (Columbus, OH) will open **September 6, 2016**. The deadline for submitting abstracts is **October 16, 2016** (23:59 EST).

The **WOMEN IN ENGINEERING DIVISION (WIED)** is seeking papers for the 2017 ASEE annual conference. Popular sessions at recent conferences include the following areas related to women in engineering, computing and/or technology in the United States and/or globally, such as outreach, mentoring and recruitment of K-12 students; mentoring, innovative recruitment and retention programs for women undergraduate and graduate students and their assessment; mentoring, recruitment, retention, leadership and professional development activities for women faculty and administrators (including work/life balance and dual-career issues); listening and negotiation; workplace climate; innovative women's programs; universities' programs, policies or reviews (including Title IX and recent proposed legislation on campus compliance with prevention of sexual violence); and transformative research especially in the social sciences or cognitive sciences that informs the development of impactful and forward-thinking programs and policies in these areas. Popular sessions at recent conferences have included panels such as improving the experience of marginalized students on engineering design teams, perspectives and practical skills for men as advocates for gender equity, interactive theater to promote difficult dialogues about inequities in engineering education, managing dual careers, work/life integration issues, and academic leadership strategies. If you have ideas for panels and/or would be willing to help organize a panel, please contact the program chair. Panels that could be co-sponsored with other divisions are also welcome.

Authors should submit an abstract of 300 words or less on their paper topic. All ASEE divisions are published to present. Authors of accepted abstracts must submit a full paper for review and acceptance in order to be included in the WIED program at the conference and in the conference proceedings. Panels must also submit an abstract and may submit a full paper.

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