

Research in Progress “RIP” Symposia

What You Need to Know

Research in Progress (RIP) symposia provide a forum for the presentation of information and ideas derived from current or recently completed research and provide opportunities for discussion. **Submit your abstract today**, be recognized for your ideas at AMPP Annual Conference + Expo, and join us in San Antonio, Texas from March 6-10, 2022.

Key Deadlines for CORROSION 2020:

Call for RIP Abstracts Opens: Tuesday, September 7, 2021

Call for RIP Abstracts Closes: Monday, November 29, 2021

Draft PowerPoint Presentation Upload Due: Monday, February 7, 2022

How do I submit a short abstract for consideration in a RIP symposium?

AMPP uses an online system, Paper Trail, through which authors may submit their abstracts. Prospective authors who wish to present a paper should submit a paper title, complete author contact information, a short abstract (300 to 400 words), and key words. You must submit complete contact information for each co-author. The system will not allow you to save and submit incomplete address information. Short abstracts are published at the conference for reference.

What is commercial bias? Can I include trade names in my presentation?

The name given by a manufacturer or merchant to a product, process, or service to distinguish it as made or sold by the concern which may or may not be used or protected as a trademark. Trade name also refers to any name under which the concern does business (e.g., company name, association, organization, etc.)” This definition includes company names in addition to product, process or software names, URL (Web) addresses, and does not exclude names that are not necessarily copyrighted or have a trademark. Commercialism in the presentation (e.g., references to trade names, company names, product names, etc.) must be avoided. No more than one reference may be made to any product or company in the presentation.

If I present in a RIP symposia, do I need to complete a copyright form? Will I be prevented from presenting this work in other publications or at future conferences?

Presentations given in a RIP symposium are not required to complete a copyright agreement. Authors can still submit this work for consideration in other venues (i.e., conferences and journals) without needing authorization from AMPP. Note, tables, figures, and captions should still cite sources, when applicable.

How shall I present my work in a RIP symposium at AMPP Annual Conference + Expo?

PowerPoint is the preferred program for presentation slides. If an author would like to use an alternative delivery method, please contact AMPP staff. All presentations must be submitted through the Paper Trail system prior to arriving on-site at the conference. The default presentation time is 20 minutes. Five minutes at the end of the presentation should be reserved for questions and discussion. AMPP Headquarters will set the starting times and inform authors of the time schedule. The author must present at the time that is printed in the final program. A “speaker timer” is used on the podium to maintain the schedule.

Is my RIP presentation subject to the same rules and guidelines as technical symposia at AMPP Annual Conference + Expo?

No, RIP presentations do *not* follow the same deadlines or rules as technical symposia presentations at AMPP Annual Conference + Expo. While there is valuable guidance found in the technical program manual that is published by the Conference and Exhibition Program Committee (CEPC) that RIP presenters may find useful, the deadlines that apply to RIP presentations are listed at the beginning of this document.

Do you have additional questions? Please contact AMPP staff at papers@ampp.org.