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The Rural Social Work Caucus' 42nd Annual National Institute on Social Work and Human Services in Rural Areas

Rural Social Work Practice in the Information Age: Connecting beyond the Digital Revolution

Call for Proposals

The Rural Social Work Caucus and the Department of Social Work at the University of Memphis invite practitioners, students, and scholars at all levels in social work or related disciplines to submit abstracts for presentations at the Rural Social Work Caucus' 42nd Annual National Institute on Social Work and Human Services in Rural Areas. In keeping with the theme of the Institute, priority will be given to presentations that address the many ways social work and related disciplines connect with rural clients and provide useful knowledge on practice, advocacy, or ethics in rural areas and communities.

Submission Guidelines:

Abstracts including titles must contain no more than 500 words. Submissions must also include three learning objectives (no more than 25 words each) and a 50-word overview. Please submit your abstract <u>and</u> CV or resume for each author in MSWord to Dr. Elena Delavega at mdlavega@memphis.edu

Please indicate your preferred presentation format: long oral presentation (75 minutes including questions/discussion); short oral presentation (35 minutes including questions/discussion); or poster presentation. Note that preferred format is not guaranteed.

Deadline for submission is May 30, 2017. Authors will be notified of accepted abstracts and format by June 15, 2017.

For questions, please contact Dr. Elena Delavega, at mdlavega@memphis.edu

