

Qualitative Methods Research Interest Group

CALL FOR COMPETITIVE SYMPOSIUM ABSTRACTS

SYMPOSIUM TITLE: QUALITATIVE RESEARCH: A FOCUS ON METHODOLOGY

DEADLINE TO SUBMIT ABSTRACTS: JULY 20, 2020 by 11:59 PM EDT

The Qualitative Methods RIG is pleased to offer a call for abstracts for a proposed Competitive Symposium, entitled “**Qualitative Research: A Focus on Methodology.**” Qualitative research has grown in response to various contextual, ethical, financial and methodological challenges. The purpose of this symposium is to present innovative qualitative research methods, focusing on the innovation in methods, challenges and lessons learned in conducting research. There will also be an opportunity for the panel of presenters to answer methodology questions.

Abstracts should present a current study with a focus on innovation, strategies to overcome challenges, and lessons learned. Content should state the qualitative method and respective philosophy, a description of the study, challenges, and lessons learned.

From July 1, 2020 – July 20, 2020, abstracts can be emailed to eburkha@luc.edu by the primary author. Abstracts are to be limited to 350 words and include the following: Method/Philosophy, Description of study, Challenges, and Lessons Learned

Abstracts will be scored by the RIG’s Symposium Committee according to significance, innovation, and fit with the proposed theme. Competitive Symposium of the top four abstracts will be submitted to the Program Planning Committee for a blind peer review. The primary author will be notified of their inclusion status for the submitted symposium by August 4, 2020 and, if included in the submitted symposium, of the final acceptance status of the symposium by September 8, 2020.

PLEASE NOTE: Authors of abstracts which are not selected may submit to the General Call for Competitive Abstracts, which opens August 5, 2020. The deadline to submit Competitive Abstracts is October 22, 2020 at 5:00 PM Eastern.