

Call for Posters



SFI Poster Session & Banquet Oct 16th at the Rozsa

Event Schedule:

Poster setup will begin at 3:30pm

4:00 to 5:00 public viewing of posters

5:00 to 5:45 voting for Poster Awards ends

6:00 Banquet



To celebrate all campus-wide sustainability activities, SFI invites all students, faculty, and staff to enter posters in the 5th Annual SFI Poster Session and Banquet to be held on Friday, October 16th in the Rozsa lobby. The Poster Session starts at 4:00 with banquet to start at 6:00. SFI encourages the campus community engaged in sustainability-related projects to share current research, progress, and successes. This event serves to strengthen the network of scholars interested in this important topic. All poster presenters are also cordially invited to attend the banquet immediately following.

Poster Design Workshop with Dr. Alex Mayer

The Van Pelt Library now makes various kinds of poster making hardware and software available in its Digital Studio. Stop by on the second floor of the library or check it out at

<http://www.lib.mtu.edu/services/DigitalStudio/default.aspx>. Prices for poster printing range from 1.00/sq ft to 1.25/sq ft. To help some first-time poster makers, Dr. Mayer will give a one-hour session about good poster design ideas at **4:00 on Sept 24th in Room 242** of the Library. Please register beforehand with Denise at dmheikin@mtu.edu who will send a template to attendees email accounts that can be accessed from the library classroom computers.

New Awards Offered This Year!

This year there are even more reasons than ever to submit a poster. In addition to a very generous and gracious award of \$150 from the Graduate Student Council for the People's Choice Award for Best Poster, SFI will award a Second and Third prize of \$75 and \$50, respectively. Also NEW this year is the Rick Donovan SFI Operations Manager Inaugural Award for \$200! Rick reserves the right to decide his criteria and announce it on the spot!

To register for the poster session please email your 100 word abstract by October 9 to Denise Heikinen. Please also RSVP to Denise whether you will be able to attend the Banquet as well. The Banquet is open to all SFI members and poster presenters. SFI regrets it cannot accommodate significant others. For more information, please contact Denise at dmheikin@mtu.edu.

To view slides of last year's SFI Banquet and Poster Session, including names of newly inducted SFI Scholars and menu of sustainable food for the event, please go to

<http://www.doe.mtu.edu/news/2008/sfipostersession/index.html>