

STUDENTS

Are you looking for a friendly, local, supportive conference at which to present your latest research? If so, the perfect opportunity exists!



Submit an abstract to the Southern Gerontological Society/Georgia Gerontology Conference “Moving Forward Together: Linking Research, Policy, and Practice” to be held at the beautiful Legacy Lodge & Conference Center, Lake Lanier, Georgia on April 11 to April 14, 2018

The Call for Abstracts will be open from September 1 through December 1, 2017.

Why students should present at the SGS annual meeting.

Why the SGS annual meeting is a good value for students.

- Presenting at this conference, with an expected attendance of 400 people, will make for a great addition to your resume or curriculum vitae.
- Presenting provides networking opportunities with gerontology faculty, practitioners, and students from other local institutions. This meeting will be co-hosted and attended by Georgia Gerontology Society, **many of whose members are direct practitioners and potential employers.**
- Presenting is a wonderful way of getting the word out about your research and to connect with others who share your research interests.

- The SGS Conference Hotel rate is \$169 per night for a lodge room (2-4 people) or \$339 per night for a lake house cabin (up to 8 people). SGS can help students with room sharing partnerships.
- The SGS Conference Registration is also extremely reasonable for student members.
- Students who volunteer for 6 hours will have their registration fees waived.
- The SGS conference program is developed with most meals included for conference attendees. Attendees can anticipate at least one full meal, if not two, during each day of the conference

- There are scholarships for travel assistance available! Be sure to visit the SGS website and submit your application. Students must be SGS Members to be eligible for student scholarships. Be sure to also apply to have your work be considered for one of the many SGS Student Poster or Paper Awards!
- **BECOME A MEMBER OF SGS! Student memberships are \$30 per year and include a year’s subscription to the *Journal of Applied Gerontology*, Enterprise Rental Car Discounts, the *Southern Gerontologist* Newsletter, access to the SGS Membership directory AND MORE.**

For further information please talk to your gerontology professors, or contact the SGS Association Manager, Lee Ann Ferguson at admin@southerngerontologicalsociety.org and be sure to visit the SGS website at www.southerngerontologicalsociety.org

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Come and network with other students during the monthly SGS student committee meetings (held virtually). For more information and scheduled meeting dates & times, please contact Debby Yoder, SGS Student Representative, at debby.yoder@gmail.com.