



*Facts and Opportunities*  
**INTERACTIVE PRESENTATION GALLERY**  
**Deadline for AERA 2020 Annual Meeting Authors:**  
**November 18, 2020**



**What is the AERA Interactive Gallery and who can participate?**

The AERA Interactive Presentation Gallery is an exciting new way of sharing work in progress throughout the year. Complementing AERA's Online Paper Repository, the gallery is a web-based platform for sharing presentations from meetings. It expands authors' worldwide access to users and makes meeting presentations a living asset for authors. Authors will receive a unique citation for their interactive presentation located in the gallery.

AERA is launching the gallery in fall 2020 with a focus on papers accepted for the cancelled 2020 AERA Annual Meeting. Presentations for all 2020 Annual Meeting papers accepted for paper sessions, roundtables, or poster sessions, or planned for accepted or invited session submissions, are encouraged to be part of the gallery.

All authors of accepted or invited papers may create and place a presentation in this gallery, using any of nine template options equivalent to PowerPoint. This contribution may take the form of a paper presentation at a paper or symposium session, a handout at a roundtable session, or a poster at a poster session. Authors can narrate each slide or the overall presentation and users will be able to listen to the narrations or read transcriptions.

The gallery uses the iPoster platform. Detailed guidance is provided to all authors seeking to place their presentations in the gallery.

**What is the timeline and process for participating authors?**

AERA 2020 Annual Meeting authors have until **November 18, 2020**, to create presentations for the new AERA Interactive Gallery.

Authors may schedule live chat sessions or activate a Q&A function, or both, on their own timetable to communicate with users beginning on **November 20, 2020 through mid-January 2021**. This schedule will be posted prominently to cultivate user interaction with authors interested in such communication. Thereafter, interested users may contact authors via contact information in the gallery.

The first authors of papers for paper sessions, roundtables, or poster sessions accepted for presentation at the 2020 Annual Meeting received a reminder invite the week of **August 31, 2020**, to create an account. First authors of session papers accepted for symposia received their initial invite the same week. Once first authors have an account, they may turn over the creation of an interactive poster to another author; however, first-listed authors need to begin the process.

### **Who can use the gallery?**

The AERA Interactive Presentation Gallery is an open access product that allows users to enter from around the world without fee.

Users may take as long as they wish to view the presentation and return as often as they like. The gallery will be maintained from year to year and new content will be added each year, with continuing access to paper presentations and references to them with appropriate citations.

### **Are there any fees associated with participating in or accessing the gallery?**

There are no charges for authors to create presentations or for users to access the gallery.

### **What is the difference between the Interactive Presentation Gallery and the Online Paper Repository?**

These are companion products—the repository is for the final paper and the gallery is for the presentation. For authors who decided to participate in both, these products will be linked, so that the presentation and paper can be viewed hand-in-hand and so that the reach of authors' work is wider than if either product were used alone. In the gallery, authors will be able to schedule chats or respond to Q&A, or both. For 2020 Annual Meeting papers, the deadline for participating in the repository has passed.

### **If I participate in the Interactive Presentation Gallery, can I still submit my paper to meetings of other associations?**

Authors considering submissions to meetings of other associations should check

with those associations as to their policies for receiving papers accepted and scheduled for the AERA cancelled meeting. Authors may wish to indicate whether their presentations are otherwise available through the AERA Interactive Presentation Gallery. Decisions regarding eligibility rest with the other associations and not with AERA.