

# MINNESOTA GERONTOLOGICAL SOCIETY

## CALL FOR POSTERS

**MGS 45<sup>th</sup> VIRTUAL ANNUAL CONFERENCE**  
**Research Day Pre-Conference Event with Poster Presentations**  
**Wednesday, April 28, 2021**

**MGS ANNUAL CONFERENCE:**  
**A Two-day, Interactive E-Learning Experience**  
**AGING IN MINNESOTA: Forging a New Narrative**  
**April 29 – 30, 2021**  
**8:30 am – 2:30 pm**

The Minnesota Gerontological Society (MGS) invites you to submit a proposal to present a virtual Poster Presentation at the Research Day Pre-Conference, April 28, 2021. A two-hour virtual presentation session will feature all selected posters with live interactive presentations by presenters. The poster presentations will be the main feature at the Research Day Pre-Conference Event.

10 am – noon  
Noon – 1 pm

Welcome, Poster Presentation Breakout Sessions  
Gerontology Research and Practice Network Session

The virtual poster session will offer each presenter a dedicated time for a live interactive slide presentation of their work. Posters are to feature current research, policy initiatives, resources, or COVID-19 related initiatives focused on gerontology, aging, or health related topics. Research with a diversity, equity and inclusion focus is encouraged. Promotions of specific products or services are prohibited. Specific details for the slide presentations will be sent to all approved presenters.

**To apply, submit the [Online Application](#) – DEADLINE MARCH 5, 2021**

Applicants will be contacted by the Poster Review Committee in late March.

Questions: Contact Tanya Rand, [tjrand@stthomas.edu](mailto:tjrand@stthomas.edu), MGS Poster Lead, Coordinator of Aging Services, School of Social Work, Morrison Family College of Health, University of St. Thomas

For many decades, MGS conferences were held at the Earle Brown Conference Center in Brooklyn Park and typically sold out with 500 attendees. In April 2020 in response to the pandemic, MGS quickly transitioned to a first-ever free virtual conference attended by 1,500+. The April 28, 2021 Research Day Pre-Conference will be free for all to attend. The April 29-30 Annual Conference will have a registration fee. All poster presenters will be invited to participate free of charge. The MGS Zoom Platform accommodates up to 1,000 participants.