



September 9, 2020

Government of Northwest Territories / Gouvernement des Territoires du Nord-Ouest

Dear Colleague,

Following the cancellation of the [48th Annual Yellowknife Geoscience Forum](#) scheduled for November 2020, the Northwest Territories Geological Survey (NTGS), in association with the NWT & Nunavut Chamber of Mines, is organizing the **2020 NWT & Nunavut Geoscience Symposium**. The symposium will be an online showcase of the latest geoscience-related research in the territories and will encompass the following themes:

- Mineral Exploration;
- Geoscience;
- Energy Geoscience;
- Permafrost Science;
- Environmental Science;
- Engagement and Education;
- Regulatory Updates; and
- Resource Development

Posters and pre-recorded oral presentations will be made available via downloadable PDF files of the posters and YouTube links of the oral presentations. The presentation's title and authors, and a link to the presentation file will be made available to the public online on the NTGS website on November 23, 2020. No registration or fees will be required to present or view the presentations.

You are invited to contribute a poster or pre-recorded presentation to the symposium by submitting an Expression of Interest before October 2, 2020. Notice of presentation acceptance will be sent to the corresponding author by October 9, 2020. Accepted presentations must be submitted by November 6, 2020. Please see the submission instructions below.

We hope you will consider participating in this virtual event and appreciate your interest in NWT and Nunavut geoscience research.

Sincerely,

Gideon Lambiv-Dzemua
Technical Chair, 2020 NWT & Nunavut Geoscience Symposium/
Industrial Minerals Geologist
Northwest Territories Geological Survey



2020 NWT & Nunavut Geoscience Symposium– deadlines and instructions

Expression of Interest Submission

Deadline: October 2, 2020

For your presentation to be considered for the symposium please submit the following information to info@geosympos.ca:

- Email subject line as 'Theme + Last Name of the presenter'
- Corresponding author's name – email – phone number
- Presenter's name
- Theme (Mineral Exploration, Geological Mapping, Energy Geoscience, etc.)
- Presentation type (either poster or oral presentation)
- Title of the presentation/poster
- List of authors (Initials and Last name e.g., 'B. Knox') and their affiliations (e.g., Northwest Territories Geological Survey, Yellowknife, NT)
- Presentation summary (maximum 200 words, no references or figures)

The presentation title and authors and their affiliations will be available online with a link to the presentation file - see email example below for formatting requirements.

Expression of Interest Email Example

Please follow the formatting and organization below when submitting your Expression of Interest.

Email Subject Line: Geological Mapping – Knox

Corresponding author: Bernadette Knox – bknox@abc.com – (867) 555-1234

Presenter: Bernadette Knox

Theme: Geological Mapping

Presentation type: Oral

Title:

Bedrock mapping in the Jolly Lake area: A new look at the >3.0 ga basement granites and their relationships to the central Slave cover group and the northern-most Beaulieu River Volcanic Belt.

Authors:

B. Knox – Northwest Territories Geological Survey, Yellowknife, NT

S.D. Stone – University of Alberta, Edmonton, AB

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Summary:

The Northwest Territories Geological Survey conducted the first year of a multi-year bedrock mapping initiative in the Jolly, Mohawk, and "Dragon" lakes area. The study area is approximately 230 km north-northeast of Yellowknife and west of Courageous Lake. Previously mapped at 1:250 000 scale, this area has been revisited as it sits adjacent to the proposed all-season Slave Geological Province access corridor. Mapping within the northern-most Beaulieu River Volcanic Belt was conducted at 1:10 000: the surrounding granitoid complex warranting mapping at 1:50 000 scale.



Presentation Submission

Deadline: November 6, 2020

Instructions to upload presentation files will be sent to the corresponding author upon acceptance of the Expression of Interest.

Poster Presentations

- Maximum poster size 107 cm x 208 cm (42" x 82")
- Maximum PDF file size 400 MB
- File name 'Theme_Last Name of corresponding author.pdf'

Oral Presentations

- Pre-recorded oral presentation
- Maximum 20 minutes
- Maximum file size: 1000 MB
- Minimum file size: 250 MB (may be smaller if presentation is less than 20 min)
- Video quality: 1080p
- Video file format: .mov or .mp4
- File name 'Theme_Last Name of Presenter.mp4'

Resources

- Newer versions of Microsoft PowerPoint have built-in recording capabilities
- Recording software with free trials include:
 - [Zoom](#)
 - [Camtasia](#)
 - [Ispring](#)
 - [Wondershare Filmora9](#)
- Free software with no downloading needed (not as professional as using the add-ins in powerpoint):
 - [Acethinker Screen Recorder](#)
 - [Apowersoft](#)
 - [Hippo Video](#)
 - [Macdvd Screen Recorder](#) (For Mac users)
- Tips and tutorials on how to record a presentation can be found:
 - <https://support.microsoft.com/en-us/office/record-a-slide-show-with-narration-and-slide-timings-0b9502c6-5f6c-40ae-b1e7-e47d8741161c#OfficeVersion=Windows>
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2wO3OWtFwxU>
 - <https://www.techsmith.com/blog/record-a-presentation/>