







SUMMARY

CICASP Seminar in Science Communication #129

Exploring the Online Academic Conference Sphere I: Strategies for effective online presentations

5PM-, Wednesday, May 20, 2020 (online meeting using Zoom)

In the last seminar on exploring the online academic conference sphere we discussed different platforms for online science presentations and had a group discussion on their pros and cons. One of the graduate students demonstrated the use of latest technologies that support effective online live presentations for seminars/conferences. Some of the researchers also shared their experiences on attending and delivering academic presentations online.

OUTLINE

CICASP Seminar in Science Communication #130

Exploring the Online Academic Conference Sphere II: online lightening talks 5PM-, Wednesday, May 27, 2020 (online meeting using Zoom; access details will be provided in email announcements)*

Due to the coronavirus pandemic, scientists are facing numerous challenges, which include the lack of in-person meetings with colleagues, especially in large groups. In this situation, many of our professional interactions are taking place remotely and on digital platforms online.

In the upcoming seminar (5/27) you will have an opportunity to practice a **lightening talk** (<3 minutes with 3 slides) that succinctly introduces yourself as a scientist (similar to 'elevator talks'), using Zoom. This will be a great opportunity for everyone to develop their online digital presentation skills. If you would like to join, please upload your presentation slides to a shared Google Drive folder (see link in the email announcements) by **12:00 noon** on 5/27. And don't hesitate to ask us if you have any questions!

*We would also like to take this opportunity to invite you to take part in a small online survey to understand how CICASP can provide you with better support during this time.