## The 69<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Florida Educational Research Association (FERA)

## Fort Myers, FL, November 19-21, 2025 GRADUATE STUDENT POSTER SESSION CALL FOR POSTER SESSION PROPOSALS Deadline for Receipt is 11:59 p.m. August 31, 2025

FERA is now accepting graduate student poster proposals for the 69<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the FERA conference to be held from **November 19-21**, 2025, at **The Luminary Hotel & Co. and Caloosa Sound Convention Center (2200 Edwards Drive, Fort Myers)** as well as The Collaboratory (2031 Jackson Street, Fort Myers).

This poster session offers graduate students the opportunity to share/discuss their research ideas in an interactive setting, thereby expanding their academic, social, and professional networks. The purpose of the FERA graduate student poster session is to support innovations and creative research ideas in the field of education. Additionally, graduate students will have the opportunity to receive feedback from professionals and fellow graduate students in a supportive and friendly atmosphere.

In order to have consistency across proposals, submissions should adhere to these guidelines:

- Write no more than five double-spaced pages, excluding tables and references, in Microsoft Word format.
- Address the following eight elements: 1) title of the paper, 2) objectives or purposes, 3) theoretical framework or perspective(s), 4) methods, techniques, or modes of inquiry, 5) data sources, evidence, objects, or materials, 6) results and/or substantiated conclusions, 7) limitations, and 8) implications.
- Do not identify author's name or institutional affiliation in the proposal.
- Put your name and your institutional affiliation in the email body (not within the proposal document).
- Submit your proposal using the online submission system: <u>Graduate Student Poster</u> <u>Submission Link</u>

## The deadline for submission of 2025 FERA graduate student poster session proposals is 11:59 p.m. Sunday, August 31, 2025.

The evaluation of proposal submissions will be based on the eight elements mentioned above and the quality of writing. Applicants will be notified of the decisions via email on Friday, September 15, 2025. Following the poster session, an award will be given for the best poster.

Keep in mind that you are required to register for the conference and pay the FERA membership fee if your poster proposal is accepted. For graduate students, the registration fee and FERA membership together is \$80. Graduate students also have the option to volunteer to assist at the conference. The registration fee will be waived for confirmed volunteers; however, they are still responsible for the \$15 membership fee.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us both at <u>lorujova@usf.edu</u> and <u>jlmizellmarks1350@eagle.fgcu.edu</u>.

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