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Call for Abstract - Young Scholar Session 2016 CAPASUS Annual Conference

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Duluth, Georgia

**Hosted by the Chinese-American Academic and Professional Association in
Southeastern United States (CAPASUS)**

Deadline for Submitting an Abstract: May 31, 2016.

This young scholar session at the 2016 CAPASUS annual meeting provides a platform for the Taiwanese young scholars in the Southeastern U.S. to come together to (1) celebrate their research achievements, (2) network with other scholars, as well as to (3) connect with accomplished Taiwanese scholars and professionals living in the Southeastern U.S.

Submission requirements

- Paper Title
- Author's Name, Title, Contact Information and Affiliation
- Abstract (250-300 words)

What should you expect from this conference?

- Present your research findings at a regional conference
- Network with Taiwanese scholars from universities, governments, and industries in the Southeastern U.S.
- Learn practical skills for academic and professional career

Who should submit the abstract?

Any graduate students, postdoctoral and/or medical fellows, academic and/or professional scholars who were from Taiwan or Taiwanese-Americans are strongly encouraged to submit an abstract and attend this significant event.

What is the format of the conference?

Oral presentations in English (preferred). Topics of presentations include (but are not limited to) natural sciences and technology, arts and literature, social sciences (including law and economics), and health / medical science.

Scholarships will be available for selected presenters.

For further questions, contact the Young Scholar Session Coordinators, Dr. Meng-Chang Hsiao at mchsiao@uab.edu & Dr. Shannon Sung at ilaria.huang@gmail.com, or CAPASUS Vice President, Dr. Hsi-Ling Huang at hhuang@ggc.edu.

Young Scholar Workshop ~ “Path to Success”: in order to help young scholars prepare for their future career in academia; there will be a panel discussion as a part of the Young Scholar Session. The panelists are experienced scholars, teaching faculty who would share their experiences as well as advice on various topics, such as preparing an outstanding curriculum vitae, preparing for job search and interviews, understanding academic hiring process, changing your immigration status, etc. Future topics may include pedagogical discussions on bridging cultural gaps and overcoming language barrier in the classroom, how to prepare for evaluation portfolio, promotion, and tenure review, advice on research and publications, immigration Q & A, etc.

This Year’s theme will be “**Cover Letter Workshop**”. A cover letter is a formal introduction to your resume or CV and accompanies it when applying for a job. This workshop will provide a detailed explanation of cover letter objectives as well as the information on each paragraph, and show you steps to write a successful cover letter. If you would like the panelists to give you feedback on your cover letter, please bring a hard copy to the workshop.

Please forward this information to your network! Thanks.