

Call For Posters Prairie Organics 2022

February 8, 2022 Keystone Centre, Brandon, Manitoba www.prairieorganics.org

Prairie Organics brings leading researchers together with producers because we believe that the best research is inspired by real world problems. If you are a researcher or a farmer with on-farm research results to share, we want to hear from you.

We invite submissions from all disciplines for a scientific poster session to be held in conjunction with Prairie Organics Think Whole Farm 2022 in Brandon, Manitoba. The poster session is an opportunity for scientists working on projects relevant to organic production in the Prairie region to present results to producers and researchers working in this region.

Posters should be relevant to organic grain, oilseed, pulse, vegetable and livestock production in the Prairie region. We also welcome topics on economics and other areas of social science.



Possible topics include (but are not limited to) the following:

- •Organic plant breeding initiatives
- Perennial grains
- Designing optimal crop rotations
- Intercropping
- Seeding rates for organic crop production
- Weed management in an organic system
- Building fertility in an organic system
- Insect management in an organic system
- Disease management in an organic system
- Cultivation, seeding and harvest equipment
- Green energy solutions for farming

- Organic production in a changing climate
- Cover crops
- Soil health
- Improving soil and farm biological diversity
- Livestock grazing
- Livestock health
- Other issues in organic livestock production
- Crop-livestock integration
- Cost of production of organic crops and livestock
- Farm business management
- Other relevant social science topics

All submissions will be reviewed by our committee. Abstracts for approved posters will be included on the website, conference app and digital platform. Abstracts must be original, unpublished work and must not exceed 500 words, including references. Submit your abstract in Microsoft Word format by the deadline below.

Presentations will be in a digital format (no printing required). Presentations should be in PowerPoints. Presenters should ensure that the methods, results and discussion can be presented in 10 min or less. Authors must be available to present their posters to conference attendees between 3:15 and 5:00 PM on February 8th.

Presenters must be prepared to do a 2-minute poster pitch on the main stage during the day of Feb. 8th and be on hand for 1.5 hours to present their posters on a monitor, possibly multiple times, throughout the session. Presenters will have the choice to present in-person or remotely as Prairie Organics will be a hybrid event.

Submit abstracts to **prairieorganicconference@gmail.com**Please include your name, affiliation and phone number with your submission

Posters due January 10, 2022
Acceptance Notification January 20, 2022



