



**The NTA 2017 Conference will be held in Baltimore, MD  
September 20-22, 2017  
'91 Years and Still Thriving'**

**Theme: "Multigenerational and Interdisciplinary Approaches for STEM Success"**

**Call for Abstracts, Papers, Oral and Poster Presentations: NTA 2017 Student Symposium**

**Critical Activities and Dates:**

<b>Activities</b>	<b>Start Date</b>	<b>Due Date</b>
Call for Abstracts	February 27, 2017	April 15, 2017
Abstract Review and Notification of Acceptance	-	May 1, 2017
Paper Submissions	-	August 15, 2017
Review Paper: Accept and send Comments to Author Recommend as poster Reject paper and inform author	August 16, 2017	August 25, 2017
Revised paper resubmitted for conference publication	August 26, 2017	August 31, 2017

**Revised papers submitted after the due date will only be presented at the conference, and will not be submitted for publication.**

**Abstracts and papers should be sent to Onjale Scott at [onjale.scott@gmail.com](mailto:onjale.scott@gmail.com).**

All abstract submissions must (1) contain the title of the paper, author's name(s), affiliation(s), author's full postal address(es) and e-mail; (2) contain no more than 200 words; and (3) indicate the category to which the abstract is most relevant (multiple categories acceptable). The categories are: **Science, mathematics, engineering, and technology**. Please indicate any special media requirements at the time of abstract submission. Student presenters must indicate whether or not they are (at the time of the conference) undergraduate or graduate students. Abstracts and full papers should be prepared as PC compatible MS Word in Font-Times New Roman, Size 12. No PDF files. Presentations should be PowerPoint files. Poster sizes should be 3'X5'. Presentation time is 12 minutes.

**See the Guidelines for the Preparation of Abstracts and Full Papers on our website at [http://www.ntaonline.org/images/Guidelines for the Preparation of Abstracts and Full Papers 2017.pdf](http://www.ntaonline.org/images/Guidelines%20for%20the%20Preparation%20of%20Abstracts%20and%20Full%20Papers%202017.pdf)**

**Student Travel:** Funds to support student travel expenses to present at the Conference will be awarded based on the acceptance of an abstract for a poster or paper presentation, and on a first come first

serve basis (based on the date of abstract submission). Accepted papers will be published in the reviewed Student Symposium Proceedings.

*For more information regarding the Student Symposium, contact [onjale.scott@gmail.com](mailto:onjale.scott@gmail.com)*

*All presenters must register for the NTA 2017 conference; for registration information, go to [www.ntaonline.org](http://www.ntaonline.org).*