FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

• What size should I print my research or creative works poster?
The recommended poster dimensions are 44” x 34”, landscape orientation. Viterbo University students should review the VU Copy Center Poster Printing Guidelines before printing their posters.

• How long are oral presentations?
Oral presenters will be given 10–12 minutes for their presentation, followed by 3–5 minutes for questions. Oral presenters will be asked to upload their presentations to email their presentations in advance to decrease transition time between presenters.

• When will we receive confirmation that we registered?
All registrants—attendees and presenters—will receive an email on Monday, Nov. 4 confirming registration and giving a timeline for next steps.

• When will I know when I present?
Presentation schedules will be finalized the week of Nov. 4 and final presentation schedules will be posted by Friday, Nov. 8. Oral presentations will occur between noon and 2 p.m. and poster presentations will occur between 2–4 p.m.

• Is there a work limit for abstract submissions?
Abstracts should not exceed 300 words. This document provides guidance on how to construct a strong abstract and includes abstracts from past Seven Rivers presentations; this resource from the University of Wisconsin Writing Center provides discipline-specific examples of abstracts.

• My question isn’t listed here.
Read over the information contained on the Seven Rivers Undergraduate Research Symposium website. If you don’t find the answer to your question, contact sevenrivers@viterbo.edu.