

## CBIE'S ONTARIO REGIONAL MEETING / OAIE CONFERENCE 2017 CALL FOR PROPOSALS

### SESSION PROPOSAL GUIDELINES

Mohawk College in partnership with McMaster University is pleased to be hosting the 2017 CBIE Regional Meeting/OAIE Conference in Hamilton at both campuses on June 19 and 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017. The conference theme is *Education City: Welcoming Communities and Lifelong Learning*. The Planning Committee is distributing this call for session presentations to individuals and Ontario institutions involved in international education. Sessions should reflect the vision of the conference *Education City* but can also relate to different areas of interest or challenges within the International Education community.

Sessions will be organized in 3 main sub-themes to the overall conference theme:

1. Welcoming Communities (Global Engagement & Community Development)
  - Educational institutions as learning hubs for global and local communities;
  - Success stories of effective multi-sectoral programs or services (education, private and government sectors complementing each other's goals.)
2. Successful Transitions (Inter-institutional and Campus Programming & Support)
  - Exploration of transitional programs across institutions, sharing of best practices in supporting applicants and students, peer mentorships and other strategies to promote innovative learning environments, creativity and learner engagement.
3. Partnerships, Collaborations & Mobility
  - International internships and skills development, long-term programs and research experience.

Proposal submissions should be received **by April 1, 2017**. Sessions will be 75 minutes in duration, with some shorter sessions at 60 minutes in length. Please identify audio visual needs in your proposal so that the planning committee accommodates your presentation requirements. Collaboration between institutions is encouraged and the planning committee is looking for a variety of presentation styles (i.e. lectures, group collaboration, panels, workshops, etc.) Presenters are expected to register for the conference.

Each proposal should outline the context and goals of the presentation and how it relates to the conference theme and/or discussions currently happening with the international education community. Be sure to include time for questions when planning the content for your session. Proposals will be reviewed by the conference planning committee and speakers will be notified by mid-April if their proposal is accepted for the programme.

Follow the link below to make your submission: [www.mohawkcollege.ca/OAIE2017/presenters](http://www.mohawkcollege.ca/OAIE2017/presenters)