New Jersey Big Data Alliance Symposium  
*Call for Posters*

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**Summary:**  
The New Jersey Big Data Alliance (NJBDA), a consortium of higher education institutions in the State, is organizing its third annual symposium entitled “Big Data and Innovation.” This symposium will delve into the ways in which Big Data has become integral to innovation across numerous sectors, including the financial and healthcare sectors, and how it is transforming day-to-day life through the emergence of Smart Cities and the Internet of Things. The goal of the poster session is highlight the data-driven research taking place across New Jersey.

The NJBDA invites graduate students to apply to this Call for Posters. **Successful applicants will have their posters displayed during the symposium in the Feliciano School of Business at Montclair State University.**

We are currently soliciting poster proposals. **All posters should contain language that appeals to a broad audience of individuals from industry, government and academia.** Please send a short (up to 1 page) summary of your proposed poster to Dr. Sylvain Jaume at sjaume@saintpeters.edu

**Timeline:**

The NJBDA Symposium will take place at Montclair State University on March 9, 2016. The registration page is accessible [here](#). Short, one page poster topic proposals should be submitted to Dr. Jaume by 02/24/16. Selected topics will be required to prepare a poster prototype in Microsoft PowerPoint or a reasonable substitute, and submit it for review by 03/02/16.

- **02/24/16** – 1 page Poster Topics are due. **Note:** Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis. Consequently, your chances of being accepted are higher if you submit your topic early!
- **03/02/16** – Completed Poster Prototype in MS PowerPoint is due.
- **03/09/16** – New Jersey Big Data Alliance Symposium at Montclair State University

**Poster Requirements:**

**Posters should be 30 inches wide and 40 inches tall.** All students must print their own posters and should be present during the poster session, which will run from 11:45am to 12:45pm, to field questions about their research. Backing and easels will be provided.