



**Today's Ideas
Tomorrow's Innovators**

The UofC Graduate Conference

University of Calgary, Calgary, Canada, 13-15 May, 2009

Call for Abstracts

The Graduate Student Association (GSA) of the University of Calgary presents a three day multidisciplinary research conference to provide graduate students an opportunity to present their research, share their ideas and hone their skills. The GSA Conference intends to bring together graduate students, researchers and community members to promote collaboration, exchange of ideas and practice and to share experience in a collegial and innovative atmosphere.

The theme of this year's conference, "**Innovation and Sustainability**" speaks to the condition of research in a rapidly changing world, and to the necessity of cross disciplinary dialogues, collaboration and understandings. Sustainability in this context is seen to require consideration of environmental, social, and economic aspects. **The GSA committee invites graduate students from all disciplines to propose presentations for their peers and a non-expert audience.**

Students can choose three different forums to present their work:

- Oral Presentation
- Panel Discussion
- Poster Presentation

And in any of the following topics (**but not limited to**):

- Technology & Society
- Sustainable Policy
- Cultural Perspectives
- Social Relations
- Sustainable Technology
- Historical Perspectives
- Modeling Sustainability
- Economic Systems
- Theoretical Foundations
- Other

2009 Theme :

**Innovation
and
Sustainability**

Abstract Submission

250 word abstracts will be accepted. See the conference website for submission details.

Conference website: www.gradconference.ca

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Important Dates

Abstracts Due: April 9, 2009

Notification: May 1, 2009

Conference: May 13-15, 2009

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