

Poster Submission Instructions for the ACS GCI Green and Sustainable Chemistry Summer School Application

This poster submission requirement will help you connect with resources, opportunities, and future networking groups via the [Green Chemistry for Sustainability \(GCS\)](#) platform. While it is required as part of the ACS GCI Summer School application, the poster will not play a significant role in the evaluation of applications. It is intended to provide you with an opportunity to share your current area of research interest and encourage you to think about how the principles of Green Chemistry/Engineering apply to your work (if at all).

How to Submit Your Poster to GCS:

- Create and complete your profile on GCS by clicking “Join the Network” on the [homepage](#).
- Once signed in, visit the [Community Publications and Reports](#) page, and click “Submit a Publication.”
- Complete the Publication form:
 - Title (REQUIRED): Add a title for your poster that describes the research topic.
 - Description (REQUIRED): Add an abstract for your poster. Your abstract must include a brief description of the green chemistry component(s) of your research or indicate where green chemistry principles could be integrated in the future to improve the sustainability of the work. You can decide on the level of detail. Research specific to the themes of Green Chemistry and/or Engineering is **not required**, but we want you to explain why your project is or is not in alignment with the principles of green chemistry.
 - Publication Date (REQUIRED): This is simply the date you are submitting your poster to the GCS platform.
 - Source (REQUIRED): Your university or institution where you are currently studying/researching.
 - Link: This field is optional. You may add a link to your research group or, if your research has been published, include a link to the published paper. (NOT REQUIRED)
 - Authors (REQUIRED): If there are multiple poster authors, list your advisor and all authors of the poster and include each author’s university or institution under “Author Organization.”
 - Attachment (REQUIRED): Attach your poster as a PDF, DOC, DOCS, PPT, or PPTX file.
 - Featured Image (REQUIRED): Attach your poster as an image file (PNG, JPG, or JPEG). Please [review this group poster](#) made during the 2024 ACS GCI GSCSS as an example of a high-quality image.

- The size of your poster should adhere to conference presentation standards; there are no specific requirements.
 - All remaining fields are optional.
 - You must hit the blue "Submit" button at the bottom of the page to save your submission.
- Note: If more than one student from the same institution or university is applying to the Summer School, each student must submit a separate poster to meet this requirement.