

British Inherited Metabolic Diseases Group



BIMDG Annual Symposium 2025 - Poster with Accompanying Flash Presentation Guidelines

Congratulations on being selected for a **flash presentation with accompanying poster** for the BIMDG Annual Symposium 2025 being held on Tuesday 17 - Wednesday 18 June 2025 at the John McIntyre Conference Centre, The University of Edinburgh, please take the time to look at the **poster and oral presentation** guidance below.

The full programme for the symposium is available online, click here to view.

Please ensure that you have registered to attend the symposium, information can be found here.

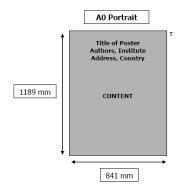
On your arrival at the John McIntyre Conference Centre, please collect your delegate badge from the registration desk. The Event Team will be able to direct you to your poster board.

Timing

Installation time for all posters begins at the start of the Symposium and will stay up for the duration.

Please ensure that you mount your poster by the correct poster board number. Poster headers will be provided for your board as will Velcro.

Poster Specifications



The poster boards provided are 2×1 meters. The ideal display size is an **A0 PORTRAIT** sized poster (84.1 cm (841 mm) $\times 118.9$ cm (1189mm).

Alternatively, you can use A1 landscape or A1 portrait (to fit on an A0 landscape board). For reference, dimensions are: A1: 84.1cm x 59.4cm.

Please note that individual pieces of paper should be pre-mounted onto one large piece of paper or card.

Posters can be viewed during all coffee and lunch breaks. Poster presenters are also requested to stand by their boards during designated display times (as detailed in the programme) to answer any questions.

Don't forget to remove your poster at the end of the Symposium. The Organising Committee will not be responsible for any posters that are not removed at the end of the Symposium.

Posters will also be made available via the Conference App, to be included, please send a PDF of your poster to bimdg@kc-jones.co.uk by Friday 6th June 2025.

Preparing for your flash presentation

The room will include a laptop, a projector and a screen or plasma TV Screen.

Each flash presentation is for a total of **3 minutes**. We know how difficult it is to keep to time, but the session chair will indicate when 3 minutes are up, marking the end of your presentation time.

Slide Size - PowerPoint presentations should use a 'Widescreen (16:9)' format for optimal display at the event (go to Design tab then Slide Size. On the dropdown menu, select 'Widescreen (16:9)'.

Please note, to ensure there are no delays between presentations you will not be able to use your own laptop for your presentation.

To ensure the smooth running of the conference we ask all speakers to submit their presentations ahead of the conference for collation. Please send your presentation to bimdg@kc-jones.co.uk by Friday 6th June 2025.

Quick tip: Please make sure you save your presentation in a file with your name as the title.

> Film or video clips - Please also supply any film or video as separate files in .WMV, .MOV or .MP4 formats.

Copyrighted footage - If film clips that feature copyrighted footage (such as commercial TV productions/adverts, or feature commercial music) are to be used, then the appropriate permissions from the copyright holders should be provided to enable the clips to be played and prevent falling foul or the Performing Rights Society (PRS) and Mechanical Copyright Protection Society (MCPS).

You may also want to bring handouts with your details and a summary of your presentation to give to interested delegates after your talk but please bear in mind that we are promoting a sustainable conference. Unfortunately, the organisers are unable to print anything for you.

Please note that all presentations will be shared, through a download link, after the event automatically. If you do not want your presentation to be shared in this way, please state this to the organisers when you send your presentation.

At the end of your session please make sure you take all your materials with you and leave the room ready for the next presenters.

We look forward to welcoming you in June and hearing more about your research!