



## **Emerging and Evolving Technologies Session Thursday, January 18, 2024 2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.**

All NAICC Sustaining and Voting Members and AG PRO EXPO Exhibitors are invited to participate in the **Emerging and Evolving Technologies Session** in San Antonio, TX, Thursday, January 18, 2024. This will be the “must-attend” session for the premier ag professionals in attendance.

### **PREQUALIFICATIONS:**

- Submitting company or person must be either a Sustaining or Voting member of NAICC, or an exhibitor at the AG PRO EXPO, January 15-20, 2024, at the Marriott Rivercenter in San Antonio, TX.
- Submissions must have broad appeal to members attending the NAICC Annual Meeting.
- Submissions must represent emerging or evolving ag technologies not previously presented at an NAICC meeting.
- Novel and innovative technologies will be given first priorities.
- New uses for an existing product will be considered if space is available.

### **SPECIFICATIONS:**

- Submissions must consist of an abstract of 100 words or less describing the new, emerging or evolving technology by the due date of Wednesday, October 18, 2023.
- A maximum of five (5) submissions per company or person is permitted.
- A maximum of three (3) oral presentations per company or person **may be granted**.
- Oral presentations will be limited to five (5) minutes in length.
- A PowerPoint of a maximum of one title slide (title, company, presenter) plus five (5) content slides may be submitted for each oral presentation.
- The Allied Industry Committee will review all submissions to determine whether this is a new/emerging or an evolving technology. All presentations selected will be available to the audience on flash drive (if sponsorship is secured). Submissions not chosen as an oral presentation will have the 100-word abstract included on the flash drive.

**ABSTRACT:** Due by end of day Wednesday, October 18, 2023

- Abstracts **MUST** be submitted in the following **FORMAT** to be considered.
  - ✓ Abstracts should be submitted as a Word document.
  - ✓ Line 1, Title of the presentation:
    - Used as the abstract heading
    - Centered at the top of the document
    - Typed in Times New Roman 14-point bold font
  - ✓ Line 2, Author/presenter
    - Centered

- Typed in Times New Roman 12-point font
- ✓ Line 3, Company name/address
  - Centered
  - Typed in Times New Roman 12-point font
- ✓ Line 4, Indicate whether this is an EMERGING or EVOLVING Technology
- ✓ Lines 5+, Body of the abstract
  - Left justified
  - Limited to a 100-word maximum
  - Typed using single spacing with Times New Roman 12-point font

- Abstract MUST contain language explaining how or why the product/service is an emerging or evolving technology.

**VISUAL PRESENTATION** (if accepted): Due by end of day Friday, December 8, 2023.

- A PowerPoint of a maximum of one title slide (title, company, presenter) plus five (5) content slides may be submitted for *each* oral presentation. If more than the requested slides are submitted, the last slide(s) will be automatically deleted to reach the correct total.
- Slides should be designed in the widescreen format with a crisp clean font on a contrasting background for easy visibility. Do not use “master” slides.
- Slides will be considered final after the deadline of Friday, December 8, 2023. There will be absolutely NO EDITING of slides on site. All presentations selected will be available to the audience on flash drive (if sponsorship is secured). Submissions not chosen as an oral presentation will have the 100-word abstract included on the flash drive.
- Final slides are not due at time of abstract but may be included.
- Slides must be sent electronically to [AllisonJones@naicc.org](mailto:AllisonJones@naicc.org) or [click here](#) to upload to Dropbox.

**FEES:**

- Each NAICC Sustaining or Voting member will be granted one (1) submission at no charge.
- A \$500 fee will be charged for each additional submission.
- A \$500 fee will be charged for ALL submissions made by non-members.

**DEADLINES:**

<b>October 18</b>	100 word abstracts due to NAICC via email to <a href="mailto:AllisonJones@naicc.org">AllisonJones@naicc.org</a>
<b>October 23</b>	Committee meeting to select papers
<b>By October 27</b>	Companies notified of acceptance
<b>December 8</b>	PowerPoint slides due to NAICC via email to <a href="mailto:AllisonJones@naicc.org">AllisonJones@naicc.org</a> or <a href="#">click here</a> to upload to Dropbox.

**PRESENTATION SUBMISSION FORM**  
**NAICC EMERGING and EVOLVING TECHNOLOGIES - 2024**



**NOTE:** An abstract of 100-words or less must be submitted. A total of six slides **maximum** (including introductory slide with presenter's name, company, logo, and topic) will be accepted for final presentation.

**Please complete one form for each submission and make additional copies as needed.**

Title of Presentation: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Address \_\_\_\_\_

Contact City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Email \_\_\_\_\_

Presenter Name \_\_\_\_\_

Presenter's Email (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

**SUBMISSION FEES**

- First submission from **NAICC Sustaining, Voting Member or Exhibitor** FREE
- Additional submissions from NAICC Sustaining or Voting Member \$500/per submission  
\_\_\_\_\_ # of additional submissions **after the first** (no more than 5 allowed) x \$500
- Submissions from non-NAICC Member \$500/per submission

**TOTAL ENCLOSED** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**PAYMENT**—required for consideration of presentation

Paid by **CHECK** made payable and mailed to NAICC on \_\_\_\_\_ (payment must be received by deadline for submission to be considered)

Please charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to the following credit card: if preferred call 423-884-3580 with card information.

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