Call for 2020 AIG Training Conference Proposals

For the 2020 AIG Training Conference to be held in New Orleans, Louisiana, from October 28 – 30, 2020, we are seeking AIG members interested in making presentations that would be of value to the Inspector General community. AIG is committed to creating and supporting a diverse and inclusive educational training conference that reflects the diversity of the Inspector General community. See commitment statement below. If you would like to be considered as a speaker/presenter or to moderate a panel discussion, we are soliciting proposals.

PROPOSAL FORMAT:

- TITLE
- PRESENTER/MODERATOR
- OBJECTIVE (Max 50 words): What are the overarching outcomes you hope to achieve from your proposal/presentation/panel?
- ABSTRACT (Max 100 words) Important takeaways.
- SPEAKER DIVERSITY (Max 50 words): How will your presentation/panel contribute to the AIG’s commitment to creating and supporting diverse and inclusive training conferences. See commitment statement below.
- PRESENTATION DESCRIPTION (Max 500 words):
  1. Further details to include the relevance or value to the IG community.
  2. If a panel, who would the panel consist?

Include your name, title, organization, phone number, and email address.

Presenters will generally have 60 minutes to give an introduction, give their presentation, do closing remarks, and take questions.

Submit proposal to: OIG-AIGConf2020@nolaoig.gov

TRAVEL AND CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

Presenters, moderators, and panel members are not provided travel or lodging expenses, honoraria, or registration discounts (with rare exceptions).

NONCOMMERCIAL POLICY

Presentations and panels at the annual conference are learning experiences and are noncommercial. Under no circumstances should a presentation or panel be used for direct promotion of a speaker's product, service, or other self-interest. Commercial solicitation is prohibited at all presentations. If the essential purpose of a proposal is to promote books, materials, or services for sale, it will not be accepted.
SUBMISSION DEADLINE

The submission deadline is **March 4, 2020**. No proposals will be accepted after this date. Notification of acceptance will be provided in April 2020. Scheduling information will be sent to all participants during the summer.

Point of Contact: Director of Investigations William A. Bonney, City of New Orleans Office Of Inspector (504) 681-3207, email address wbonney@nolaoig.gov.

Commitment to Diverse and Inclusive Conferences

The AIG is committed to creating and supporting diverse and inclusive training conferences that reflect the diversity of the Inspector General community. As a result, the AIG’s training conferences strive to select a diverse group of speakers with respect to age, color, disability, gender identity, genetic information, national origin, parental status, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation and veteran status.

The AIG’s training conference also strives to select speakers who have different backgrounds, roles in their respective offices and levels of experience, as well as speakers from different geographic locations and levels of government (*e.g.*, local, state, federal and international).