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To: Industry Professionals, Academics and Students
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Subject: Invitation for Poster Presentations – International Bison Health Symposium

Do you want to present fundamental research on bison health? Do you have an interest in diseases of bison, bison genetics, bison nutrition and growth, bison welfare, or bison reproduction?

You are invited to present your research findings and ideas as part of the International Bison Health Symposium Poster Session in Brookings, SD June 30 – July 2, 2024. This is an opportunity to introduce your research to bison practitioners and researchers from across the world, learn about other exciting research, and gain feedback from bison experts. Co-hosted by South Dakota State University, and generously supported through NIFA AFRI Conference Grant, this symposium provides attendees with critical bison research to support herd health for our national mammal.

Poster Session Schedule

The poster session is scheduled for Sunday, June 30, from 5pm – 8pm; at the 71 Club on the SDSU Brookings Campus. Authors are expected to be by their posters during the session to answer questions from the attendees.

Posters will be on display for the remainder of the symposium, stationed in the foyer of the SDSU Brookings Student Union, where the conference will be conducted. Posters can be removed after the concluding remarks at noon on July 2, 2024.

Poster Submission Instructions

To reserve your spot for the poster session, please submit your topic and 300 word maximum summary to Lydia Whitman at the National Bison Association at lydia@bisoncentral.com by May 1, 2024. Entries will be reviewed by the Health Symposium technical committee. Notice of acceptance will be communicated via email by May 15, 2024.

Set Up and Presentation of Material

Posters should be brought with you to the symposium or shipped directly to SDSU (please contact lydia@bisoncentral.com for shipping instructions). Easels will be provided. Recommended poster size is 32in x 48in.