

68th ANNUAL INSTITUTE ON LAKE SUPERIOR GEOLOGY

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First Circular and Call For Papers

We had been looking forward to holding the 68th Institute on Lake Superior Geology as an inperson meeting in Sudbury, Ontario, from Monday, May 9 to Thursday, May 12, 2022 at Science North (https://www.sciencenorth.ca/home). The proposed in-person meeting would consist of two days of technical session on Tuesday, May 10 and Wednesday, May 11. Field trips would occur on either May 9 before the technical sessions or on May 12. However, uncertainties regarding the COVID-19 situation arising from the current Omicron variant surge has led us to consider polling the membership with respect to their preferences with respect to the 2022 annual meeting. Currently, travel from the United States to Canada requires being fully vaccinated (2 doses) and a negative PCR test completed before arrival at the border. Details on the survey will be posted in the next few days.

A **Second Announcement** will provide additional details about events, accommodation options, requirements for submission of abstracts for oral and posters presentations at the technical sessions, information for student attendees, and meeting/field trip costs. At that time, electronic registration for the meeting and field trips will open. Please direct all questions to Michael Easton mike.easton@ontario.ca

The Co-chairs hope you will be able to attend the 68th ILSG and will consider giving an oral or poster presentation during the technical sessions.

Both oral and poster presentation submissions are encouraged. Live oral presentations are strongly encouraged, but recorded presentations will also be allowed if necessary. Guidelines for creating and submitting abstracts are provided below. Additional information and meeting updates will be provided at a later date and posted on the ILSG website https://www.lakesuperiorgeology.org/.

Abstract Submission Deadline: April 11, 2022.

Submit abstracts to Michael Easton (mike.easton@ontario.ca)

Authors must submit a print-ready abstract in both PDF and MS Word formats. When submitting, please indicate your preference for oral versus poster presentation, or no preference. Those selecting the latter option will be contacted to plan accordingly. Abstracts should follow the ILSG format, using recent Proceedings Volumes available online as a guide. Text should be single-spaced, with a maximum of 2 pages, including text, figures, and references. Use top, left, and right margins of 1," and bottom margin of 1.3." The abstract volume will be printed in black and white, although the PDF available online will appear in color. Thus, authors need to ensure that color figures reasonably reproduce in black and white.