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Section 1
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Section 2
Session Presenter Information:

To add presenters, enter their email address to search ASTC's member database (this may take up to 30 seconds).

If the presenter isn't found, that means they are not in our database under that email address. You can add them by clicking "add missing user" and enter the presenter's
accurate contact information (full name, email, and job title). Each concurrent session proposal should have a maximum of five presenters.

If the proposal is accepted, presenters will be required to accept their participation; speakers are generally limited to presenting at up to two Concurrent Sessions.

Affiliation with an ASTC-member organization is not required to submit a session proposal nor to be a presenter.

Session Leader (mandatory field):

Ada Lovelace (Mathematician & Computer Programmer)

Required

Has the session leader presented at the ASTC Annual Conference before? We welcome submissions from those who have not presented or attended an ASTC Annual Conference.

- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No
- [ ] I don't know

Additional Presenter 1:

Nikola Tesla (Scientist) (Suncentric Science Museum)

Additional Presenter 2:

No presenters selected.

Additional Presenter 3:

No presenters selected.

Additional Presenter 4:

No presenters selected.

Section 3
Session Proposal Type

Select a proposal type:
Section 4

Session Information: Share with reviewers the details of your session proposal. We encourage you to look toward where we are going, not just where we have been; proposals that emphasize interactivity and active engagement of the audience will be prioritized.

Conference Track: Please select one conference track.

- Advancement and Partnerships/Fundraising
- DEA, Human Resources, and Organizational Culture
- Exhibits, Experiences, and Technology
- External Groups and Collaborators
- Leadership
- Operations, Marketing, and Business Development
- STEM Learning, Education, and Programs

Required

Title (15 word maximum): A brief and descriptive explanation of your session. This will be the primary way your session is listed in the schedule.

Computer Science - Getting girls more involved

Required

Description (500 word maximum): This is the primary element that reviewers will use to evaluate your session proposal. Provide a detailed description of your session including topics to be covered, what will happen during the session, plans for audience involvement, learning objectives/audience takeaways, and any additional details you wish to share with reviewers. This information will NOT be included in the conference program.


Required

Audience: Who is the primary anticipated audience for your session proposal? This can be job role, years in the field, skill level, etc. (75 words)

Educators, museum leadership, and grant writers

Required

Engagement: How is your session interactive? Describe the ways participants will be engaged in the session. (75 words)


Required

Timeliness: How is the proposed session timely and relevant to our own organizations, our communities, and our world in 2023? (75 words)


Required

If your proposal is NOT accepted as the type of session you submitted, are you open to having your session considered as another type of session (example, a concurrent session considered as a lightning)?

- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

Required
Section 6

Diverse Perspectives: Your session's articulated commitment to diversity will be considered during the review process.

ASTC is committed to incorporating diverse perspectives within each session and across the entire conference. The CPPC will also assess whether presenters are well-positioned to facilitate the session topics.

In the fields below, **describe how your session represents diverse perspectives, individually and organizationally.** It is critical that each session incorporate diverse perspectives and there is no single way to address this requirement, but consider the following dimensions of diversity:

- Range of personal identities (e.g., age, ethnicity, race, gender identity and expression, sexual orientation, ability, nationality)
- Variety of career stages and job roles
- Organizations of all types, sizes, and geographies
- Variety of perspectives and topical viewpoints
- Content explicitly focused on diversity, accessibility, inclusion, and equity

**Individual Perspectives:** Please comment briefly on how your proposal represents diverse INDIVIDUAL perspectives. For example, you may wish to comment on personal identities, career stages, and job roles of presenters. (100 words maximum)


**Organizational Perspectives:** Please comment briefly on how your proposal represents diverse ORGANIZATIONAL perspectives. For example, you may wish to comment on the organizations represented by the presenters including type, size, and location. (100 words maximum)

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Section 7

Topical Tags

Topical Tags: From the dropdown, select up to two tags that best describe the content of your session. A minimum of one tag must be selected.

Science Education

Topical Tags 2: Select an additional tag from the dropdown.

Section 8

Additional Information:

Is your submission part of a grant dissemination plan?

- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

Special session requirements (50 word maximum): Each meeting room will be equipped with a projector, screen, and microphone. Additional equipment, such as flip charts, white board, etc. may incur additional costs at the presenter's expense.

Section 9

Demographic Information - These additional questions are optional and will not be used in the review of your proposal.

ASTC is committed to ensuring that our programs and activities are inclusive and represent the full diversity of our field. The following questions are optional and will NOT be shared with proposal reviewers. They will be used by ASTC, in aggregate, to assess our own performance against our stated values.

These questions were built based upon recommended demographics questions, including the following resources:
As an organization headquartered in the United States, ASTC uses demographic categories drawn from U.S. policies and assessment criteria. As an organization with a global membership, we understand that not all of these categories are relevant outside of the United States, and we encourage respondents to use the self-description option to best describe their identities.

If you have any feedback about this form, please contact us at info@astc.org.

The following questions are optional and will NOT be shared with proposal reviewers. Responses are based on the proposal submitter (person filling out this online form), not the presenters.

Section 10

Thank you

Thank you for submitting a session proposal for the ASTC 2023 Annual Conference. To save a draft of your proposal, click “SAVE DRAFT” in the upper right corner of the online form (near your name). You can then complete your submission at a later time.

To submit your proposal, click "Finish", then scroll through to review your responses, and click "Submit" at the bottom to complete the process.

Proposal acceptance notifications will be sent by April 30, 2023.

If you have any questions about your submission, please contact sessions@astc.org.

- The ASTC Conference Team

Section 11

Signature

Using your cursor/stylus, please sign below to acknowledge that ASTC 2023 is an in-person event and sessions will not be live streamed.
Required