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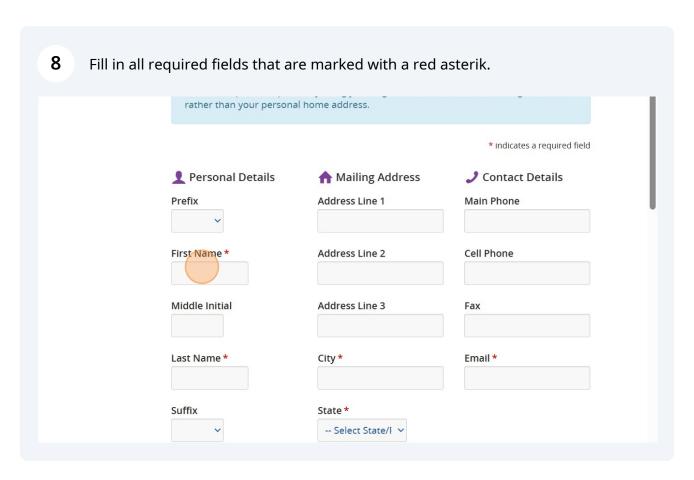
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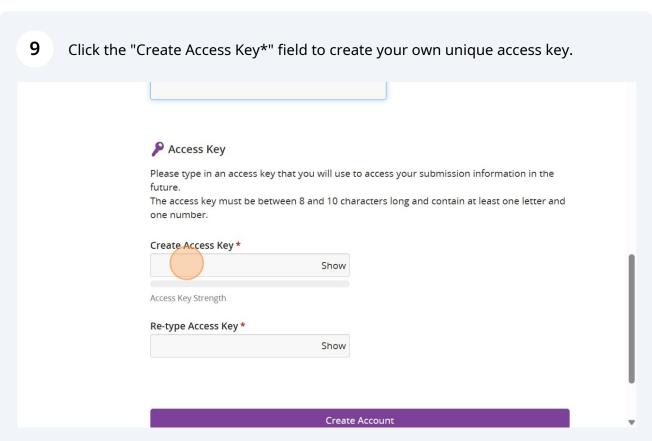
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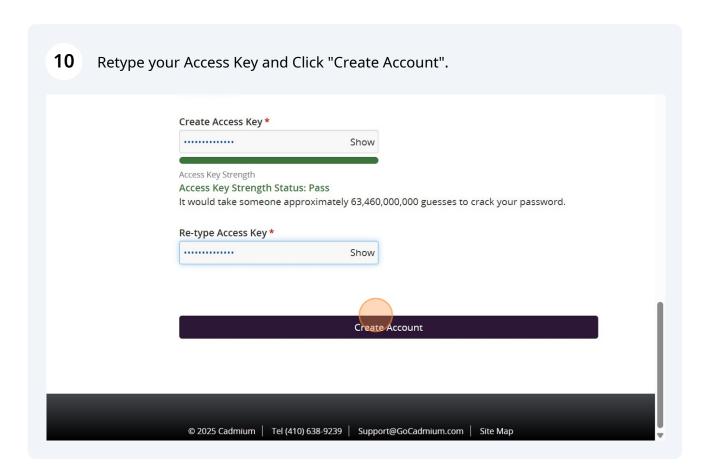
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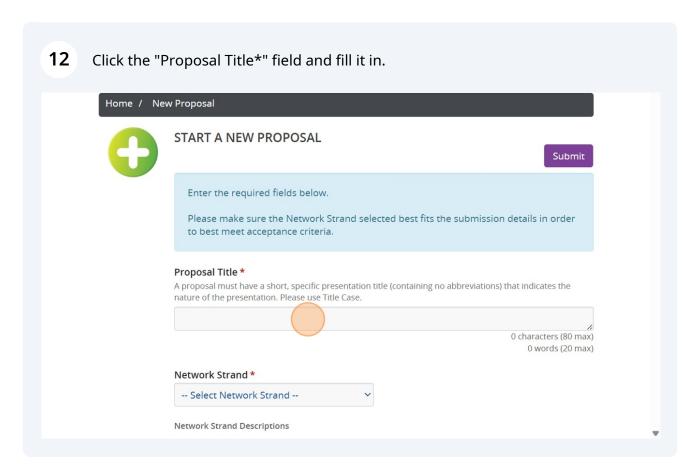
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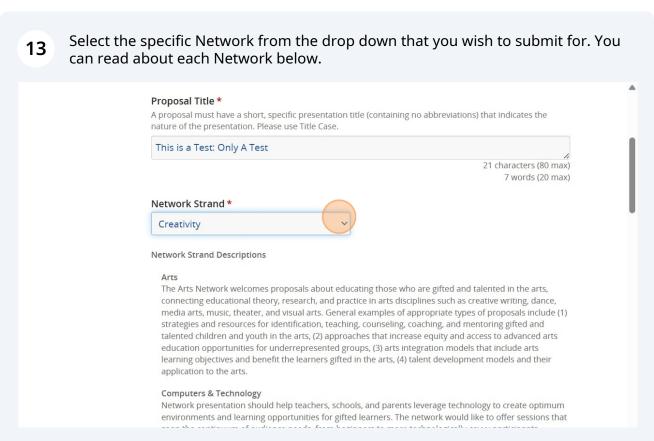
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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS
NAGC 2026 Network Focus Program Descriptions (PDF)
NAGC 2026 Rubric (PDF)
NAGC 2022-2025 Strategic Plan (PDF)





14 Once Selected, Click "Submit"

programs serving gifted and/or talented populations. Review criteria include the theoretical soundness of the concepts presented and significance and applicability of the ideas to promote the mission of the Special Schools and Programs Network.

If your proposal is concerned with issues relevant to STEM Education, you may choose to submit your proposal for consideration. Proposals that are deeply ensconced in theoretical and pragmatic concerns in STEM and Gifted Education typically receive the highest ratings.

NEW: Growing Talent in the Gen Ed Classroom

Gifted children spend much of their time in general education classrooms where teachers often have little or no specialized training in identifying and serving students of high potential. This strand seeks to extend understanding of gifted education and gifted children to a specific audience: general education classroom $teachers. \ Share \ strategies, \ practices, \ and \ pedagogies \ that \ teachers \ can \ employ \ in \ the \ classroom \ to \ ensure$ positive outcomes for all students.



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You will then be taken to a page with 5 tasks to complete. Each task will ask you 15 for specifics relating to your submission and will be annotated with a green checkmark when complete. Click "Abstract Details - NETWORK" to begin.

New proposal was successfully added.



1. Abstract Details - Creativity

Please provide additional information about the proposal.



2. Abstract Proposal Extended Details

Please answer the following questions related to your submission.



3. Learning Outcomes

Please provide three learning outcomes attendees to your session will come away with.



4. Proposal Presenters

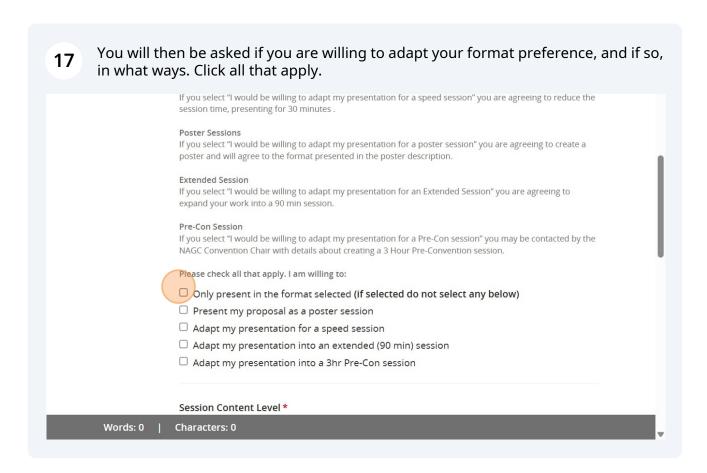
Click here to add presenters to this submission.

Make a selection on the format of your presentation. There are details of each to 16 help you decide. Select an option. Individuals or groups of presenters apply to present their research or practice to the NAGC audience (primarily classroom teachers, gifted coordinators, administrators, researchers and parents; 45% are firsttimers) under an appropriately chosen Network (view the NAGC 2026 Network Program Focus Descriptions). Speed Session A brief 30-minute session. Poster Session Visual representations of a project or idea are displayed on poster boards that are typically 4 feet tall by 4 feet wide. Individual(s) present a brief explanation for 10-15 minutes that summarizes their work. Depending upon the flow of the audience the presenter(s) may need to repeat this summary. Topics that lend themselves to this format include research projects or innovative teaching strategies. Concurrent Session Adapting of submitted sessions * The Program Chair for each network will make decisions regarding accepted submissions. You can indicate that you are only interested in presenting in the format you selected above or offer options for adapting. The choices are: Speed Session

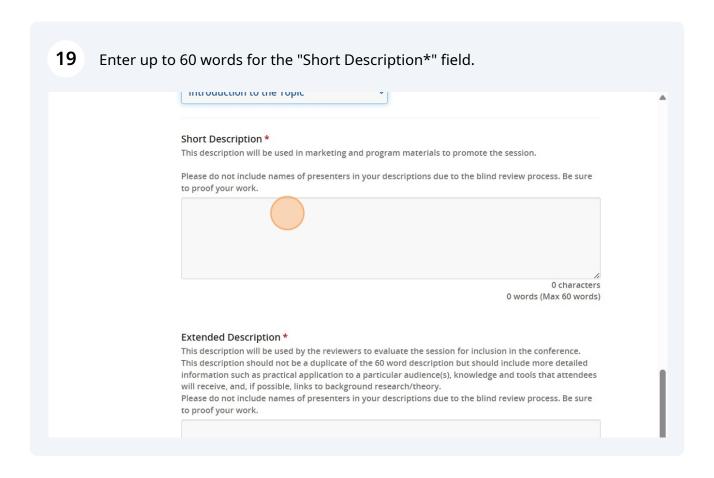
If you select "I would be willing to adapt my presentation for a speed session" you are agreeing to reduce the

session time, presenting for 30 minutes

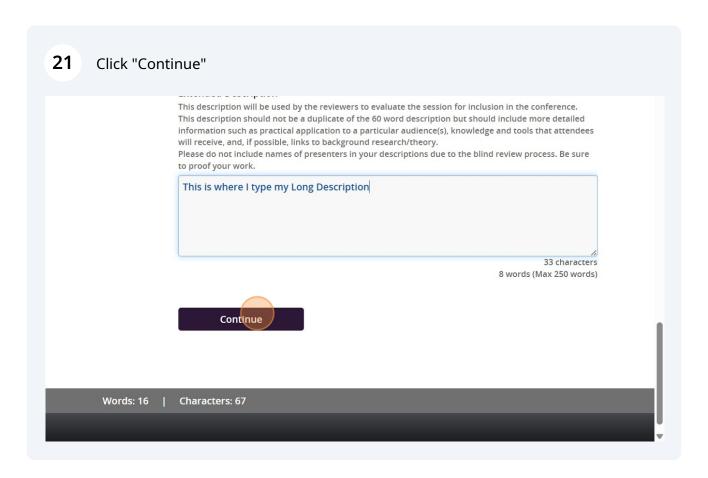
Poster Sessions



Session Content Level * Choose one of the following session levels that best aligns to the expected content level of your proposed presentation. Introduction to the Topic Intended for audience members with little to no prior knowledge, session will thoroughly cover the basics of this topic. Intermediate Intended for audiences to learn more than the basics of the topics discussed in this session; some prior knowledge of the topic will be helpful for attendess, Introduction to the Topic Short Description * This description will be used in marketing and program materials to promote the session. Please do not include names of presenters in your descriptions due to the blind review process. Be sure to proof your work.



20 Enter up to 250 words in the Click the "Extended Description*" field. 34 characters 8 words (Max 60 words) Extended Description * This description will be used by the reviewers to evaluate the session for inclusion in the conference. This description should not be a duplicate of the 60 word description but should include more detailed information such as practical application to a particular audience(s), knowledge and tools that attendees will receive, and, if possible, links to background research/theory. Please do not include names of presenters in your descriptions due to the blind review process. Be sure to proof your work. O characters 0 words (Max 250 words)



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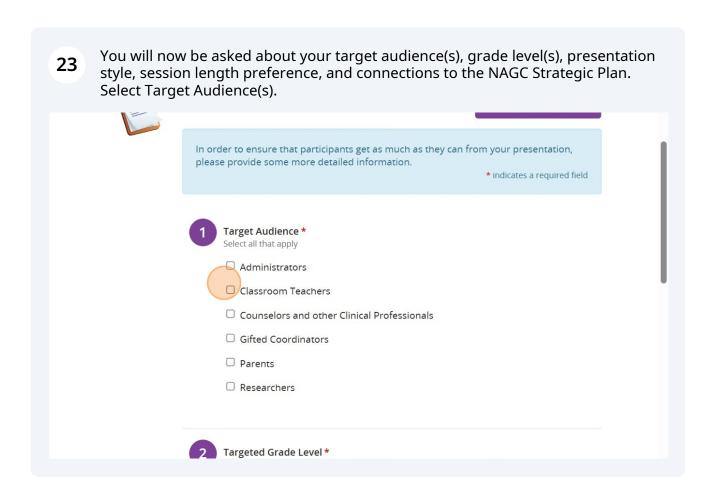
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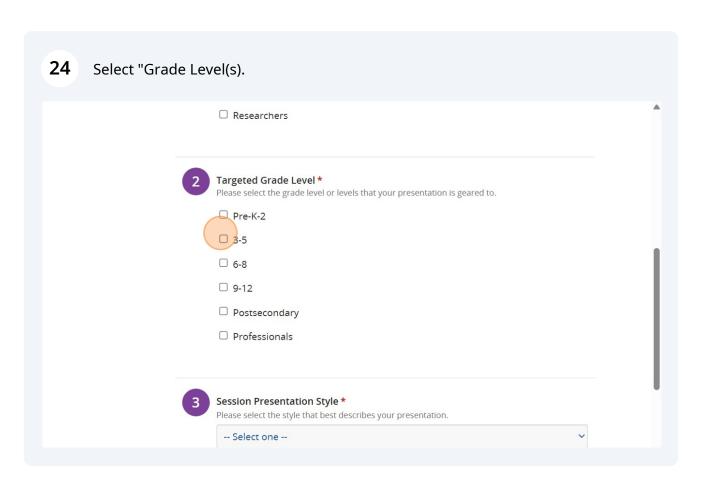
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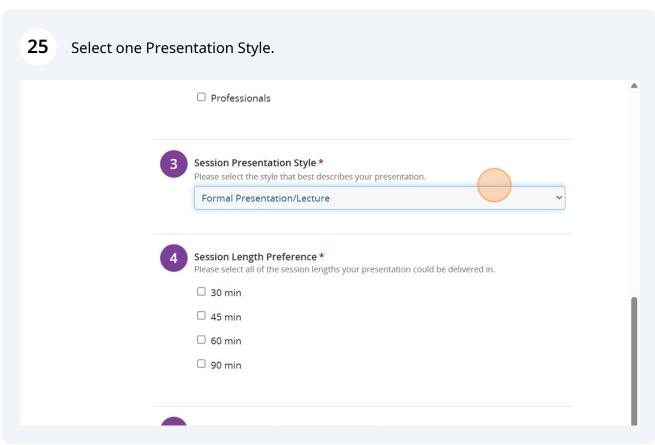
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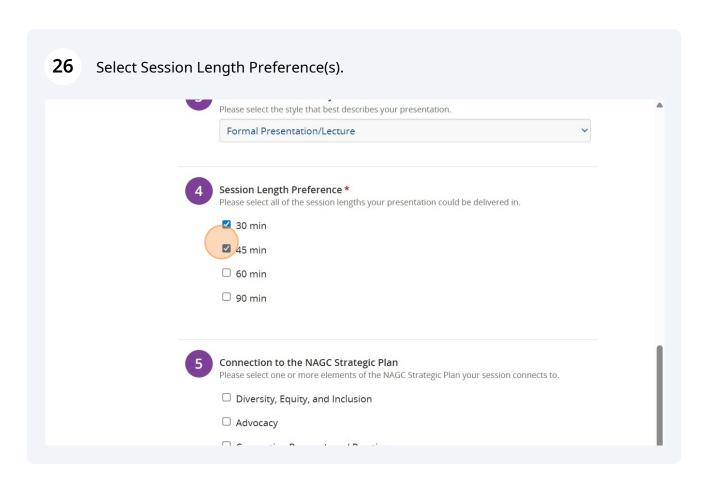
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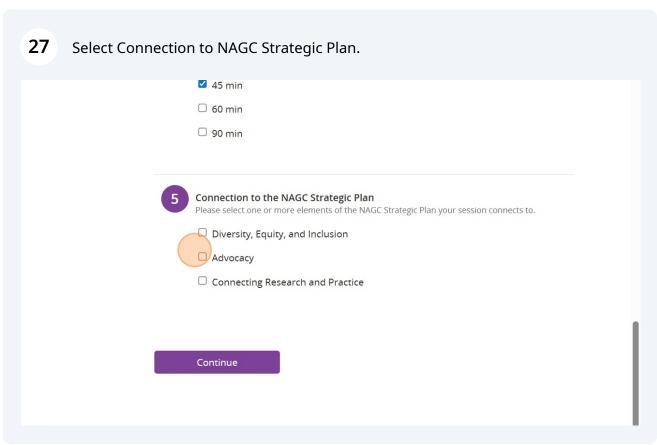
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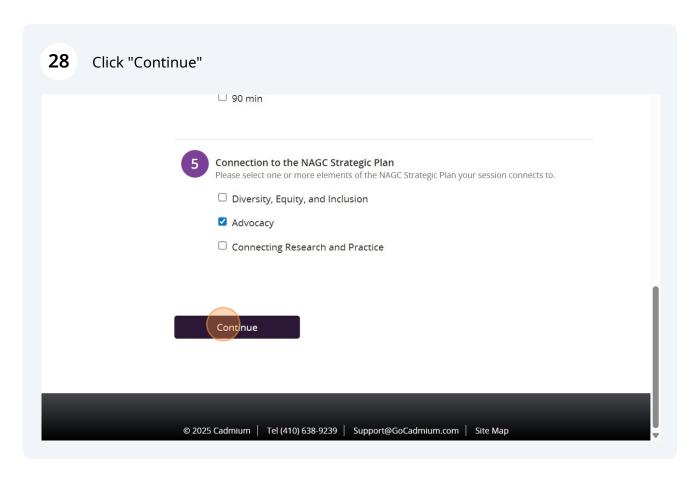


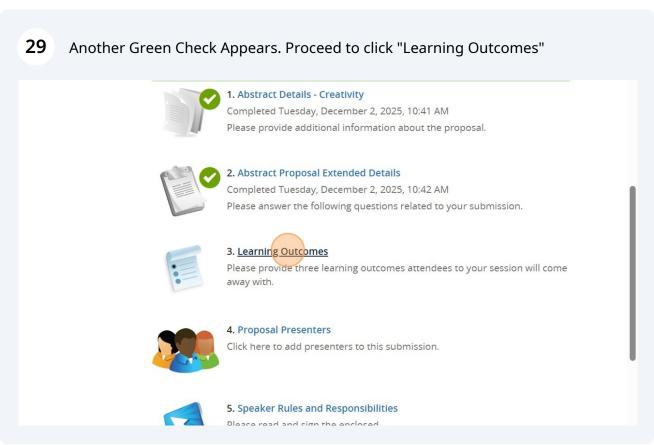


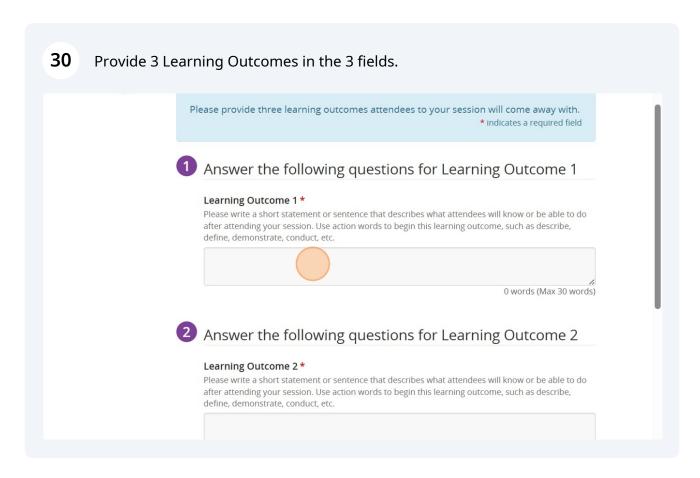


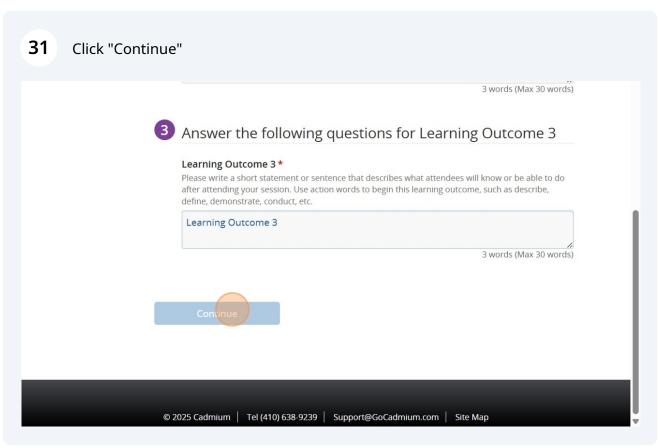


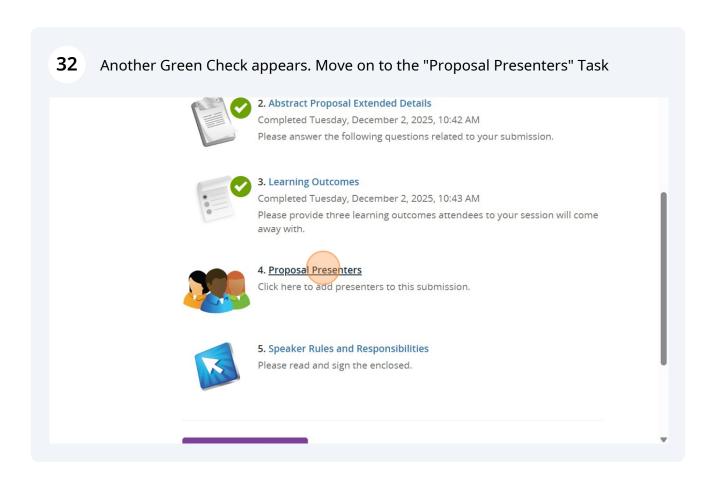


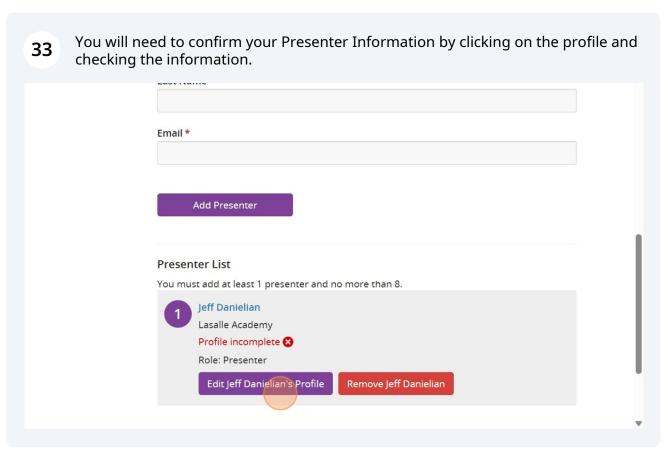


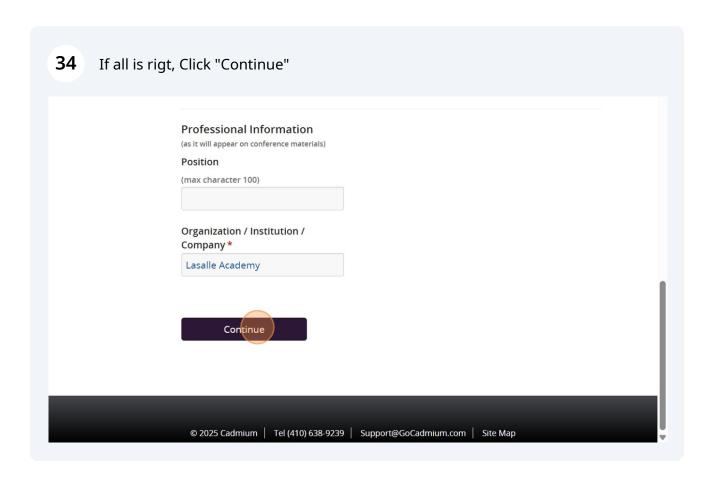


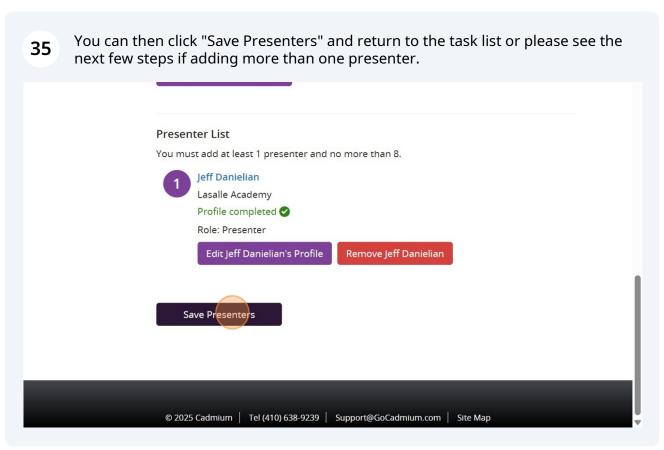




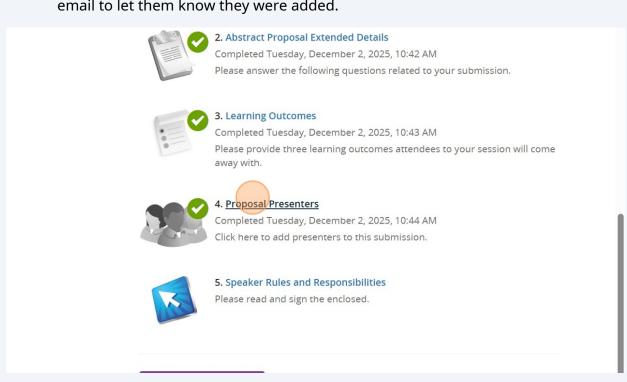








If you need to add a co-presenter or more, Click "Proposal Presenters" again and enter thier name and email. You can enter their information or send an invite email to let them know they were added.



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Add New Presenter

First Name *

Last Name *

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Presenter List

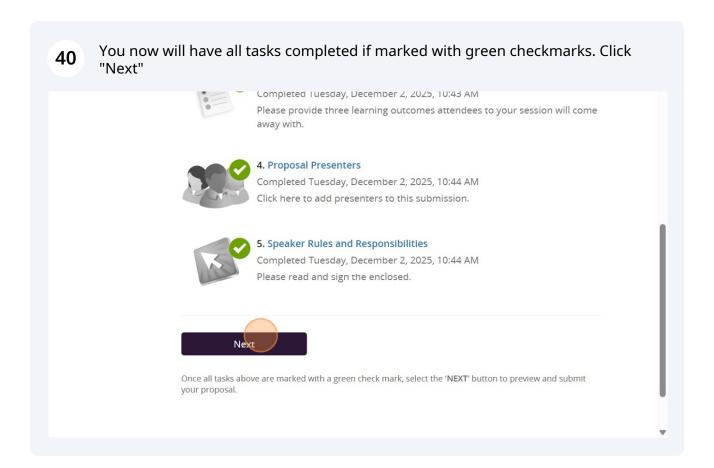
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You will read all of the statements and then Click the "I have read and understand 39 the agreement statements above." field, and digitally sign your name and click Submit Agreement.

AV and Technology I understand that NAGC will provide a projector, screen, speakers, microphone, podium, and panel table for 4 in all sessions, excluding poster sessions. I must use my own computer equipped with a standard HDMI output. Wireless will be provided in all session rooms, but its strength will vary depending on use. **Code of Conduct** I understand that NAGC is committed to providing a safe, productive, and welcoming environment for all meeting participants and NAGC staff and am expected to abide by and uphold NAGC's Standards of Conduct. ☑ I have read and understand the agreement statements above. Please indicate your agreement by typing in your full name above Submit Agreement



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