Posters

Landscape layout presents better than Portrait layout on the poster boards at AINSE which have a useable space of 1470mm wide and 870mm high.

The maximum size for a poster is A0 in Landscape format. A0 in landscape is 841mm high and 1189mm wide – smaller is fine.

If you choose Portrait layout (1189mm high by 841mm wide), bear in mind that the bottom of your poster will not be supported by the poster board and will not be very visible.

Please

- Identify all authors and their department / institution
- Identify the presenting author by underlining their name
- Acknowledge any support you have received
- Proof read for grammar and spelling

Suggestions

- Have a short, clear and bold title
- Create a visual flow of your work using colour – similar colours can link sections or a different colour can highlight a key point
- Include graphs, charts, diagrams, pictures, photos etc – they can be more interesting to your audience than text and give you the opportunity of discussing your work
- To help visualise your poster, try making a Powerpoint slide of your draft
- Have a short introduction which briefly explains your goal
- The body should show the key points of your work
- Include a conclusion. If your work is not complete yet, describe the work still to be done.
- Look at other people’s posters to get ideas – your supervisor may have some stored.
- Don’t cram information onto your poster, leave open space - keep it simple – show the best, leave out the rest.
- Proof read for grammar and spelling