



Deafblind
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Expression of Interest

Scientific Committee of the 18th Deafblind International World Conference 2023

Name: _____

Title: _____

Organization Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Mobile: _____

Email Address: _____

Social Media IDs: Twitter _____ Facebook _____

Linked-in _____ Website _____

1. I am a (check all that apply):

- Staff member of an agency that provides services in the deafblind community
- Individual with Deafblindness
- Advocate
- Academic Researcher
- Student

- Education
- Technology Developer
- Other _____

2. Why are you interested in participating on the Scientific Committee?

3. Please explain your relevant experience and scope of knowledge related to the field of deafblindness:

4. I have expertise in the following areas (check all that apply):

- Accessibility and Digital Technology
- Rehabilitation Science
- Allied Health Professional (Occupational Therapist, Physical Therapist, optometrist, audiologist, social worker, psychologist, recreation therapist, speech & language pathologist, etc)
 - Please specify profession: _____
- Gerontology / Dementia
- Communications
- Technology applications
- Public Policy
- Advocacy
- Experience with hybrid conference format (combination of a “live” in-person event at a physical location with a “virtual” online component for remote attendees). If applicable, please list the hybrid conferences you’ve attended:

- Other area(s) not listed above:

5. What professional (technical and practical) experience and expertise will you bring to this committee? (List all relevant skills and experience)

6. What personal characteristics and competencies will you bring to this committee?

7. If applicable, please list your experience(s) serving in the role of committee chair/ vice-chair/peer reviewer. What related skills would you bring to the role of committee chair/vice-chair/peer review?

8. Are you a member of Deafblind International?

9. Have you attended a Dbl International conference before, and if so when/where?

10. Is there any other relevant information you would like to provide that would position you as a good candidate for the Scientific Committee?

Please include a copy of your resume/Curriculum Vitae and 2 reference letters with your completed application.

I have reviewed the Scientific Committee Terms of Reference

Signature: _____

Date: _____

If applicable, please have your ED/Supervisor/Manager acknowledge their support for your participation in the Scientific Committee for the 18th Deafblind International World Conference 2023.

Supervisor Name: _____

Signature: _____

Please submit your completed Expression of Interest, Reference Letters and Curriculum Vitae no later than March 12, 2021 by 11:59 pm to the Dbl Secretariat at dbi-secretariat@sensity.ca