**2018 Phylogenomics Symposium**

 **Registration, Travel Award Request, and Abstract Submission**

Registration is limited to 50 attendees; decisions about requests for registration, travel awards, and abstracts, will be announced no later than July 1, 2018. We apologize for the severe limitation on the number of attendees. Submit this by email to warnow@illinois.edu. If you do not receive a confirmation of receipt within 48 hours, please submit it again. Put “2018 Phylogenomics Symposium” in the subject line.

**Name:**

**Email address:**

**Affiliation:**

**Your Website (if available):**

**If you are a student or postdoc:** specify whether undergraduate or graduate student, and where.

**U.S. citizen or U.S. permanent resident?**

**Relevance of this symposium to your research:**

**Requesting a travel award?**

Note: If you are requesting a travel award, please note that these awards are limited to at most $500, and may only be used to reimburse expenses directly related to attending this one-day symposium --travel to/from Montpellier and hotel accommodations for August 16 and 17, 2018. Paperwork will be required, and that these travel awards will be issued as checks rather than bank wires. Because travel awards are limited, we will not be able to provide awards to everyone who requests them; we apologize for this.

If you wish to request a travel award, please provide the following information:

* If you are a student or postdoc, provide the name and email address of your advisor; he or she will be contacted for a reference.
* Explain how this phylogenomics symposium is relevant to your research.
* Indicate whether you are also requesting to give a talk.
* We may be able to provide a poster session; if we do, would you wish to present a poster?
* Estimate the expenses you will request reimbursement for, noting that these are limited to only those expenses directly related to attending this symposium.
* Provide your mailing address in full detail, as travel awards are made by check that will be sent by the postal service.

**Requesting to speak?**

We will have a session for contributed talks, but these talks will be short – most likely limited to 7 minutes, with an additional 3 minutes for Q&A. We will not be able to accept all requests for speaking in the contributed talks session, and apologize for this.

If you wish to speak, please provide a 1-page abstract of your talk that:

* Explains your contribution and how it relates to the symposium focus on new computational methods for phylogenomics (including multiple sequence alignment, species tree and phylogenetic network estimation, and gene tree estimation)
* Includes your name and email address
* Lists all co-authors
* Specifies whether your talk is about published or unpublished work. If it is about published work, please provide a detailed citation of the published work.