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## 2022 Civil Liberty Symposium Call for Papers

*MCSII's mission is to provide leadership on issues pertaining to civil liberty and related institutions and innovations through scholarly inquiry, educational activities and community outreach. To promote this mission, MCSII will host an annual civil liberty symposium featuring speakers and panels on timely and important topics.*

MCSII will host its Third Annual Civil Liberty Symposium April 18 and 19, 2020. Paper/session proposals are invited on any topic pertaining to civil liberties or their relationship to institutions and innovation.

Topics include, but are not limited to, freedom of religion, freedom of speech, freedom of the press, freedom of assembly, freedom of association, the right to petition, academic freedom, the right to privacy, the right to equal treatment under the law, due process, the right to life, the right to own property, and the right to defend oneself.

Authors whose proposals are selected will receive an honorarium of \$1000 for the presentation of their completed papers. Presenters will have up to twenty-five minutes, followed by a respondent, and audience discussion.

Deadline for proposal submission: Friday, January 28, 2022  
Accepted authors notified by Friday, February 18, 2022  
Completed paper/presentation due by Friday, March 18, 2022

- Send proposal as Word or pdf document via email attachment to Dr. Tim Shiell, MCSII Director, at shiellt@uwstout.edu
- Proposals should be no more than 500 words.
- Applicants should attach a two-page curriculum vita.
- Applicants with completed papers may attach their full text.