

JAS Author Instructions – Symposia Papers
**Authors of Invited
Symposia Papers for ASAS
2014, Kansas City, Missouri**

Submission of invited symposia papers. The ASAS Board has reworked the protocols for handling papers from the meeting. The biggest change is that the *Journal of Animal Science (JAS)* has its own symposia editor, in addition to the other reviewing editors. For *JAS*, the symposia editor is Mark Mirando. As in previous years, authors should submit their papers to Manuscript Central. When submitting the manuscript, under “Manuscript Type,” authors should click “Symposium.” Papers must be submitted by August 29, 2014, or by the specific date provided by the symposia editor, for consideration of publication as a symposium paper. Papers from the meeting will be published in a regular issue of *JAS*, which also will be made available in searchable databases, such as PubMed, MedLine, AgriCola, HighWire, and Current Contents.

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Note: These guidelines are for those who have been invited to *publish* their papers. Being asked to present is

not the same as being asked to publish. Not all presenters will be asked to submit a paper.