PARTICIPATION OPPORTUNITIES AND LIMITS

The Committee on Meetings, with members drawn from the cosponsoring societies, has put into place the following guidelines to help encourage a wide and diverse set of presenters.

Each participant may do up to one (1) activity from each of categories A-I:								
A	B	C	D	Ε	F	G	Н	
Deliver a main presentation (one of the following):	Chair a session	Present an invited poster	Deliver an introductory overview lecture	Teach a short course or workshop for the Professional Development program	Lead a roundtable (one of the following): AM PM Speaker luncheon	Speak in a first-time invited memorial session (first time a memorial session has been submitted and designated for a particular deceased person)	Present in a late- breaking session	Serve as a discussant in an invited paper session
Present a paper in an invited, topic-contributed, or contributed session								
Participate in an invited or topic-contributed panel								
Present a topic-contributed or contributed poster								
Present in a speed session								
Serve as a topic-contributed session discussant								

While the above guidelines allow for multiple presenting roles within the JSM program, please note that a person cannot hold multiple roles within one session. In addition, the participation rules do not preclude individuals from being co-authors of as many papers as they wish or from organizing multiple sessions. Only the JSM Program Chair, with ample justification, can grant exceptions to the above rules.