Call for Abstracts
Poster Session
Ontario Chapter Annual Meeting

November 1-2, 2019
Hilton Garden Inn Toronto Airport
3311 Caroga Drive | Mississauga, ON L4V 1A3

Submit your research, clinical vignette, or quality improvement abstract to the ACP Ontario Chapter’s Poster Competition.

Deadline

Tuesday, September 10, 2019
at 11:59pm Eastern Time

Late or missing abstracts will not be accepted. The system will shut down at the deadline. We cannot assume responsibility for abstracts not received.

An e-mail confirmation for submitted abstracts will be sent. If you do not receive your email confirmation immediately (as it is system-generated), please:
1. Ensure your current e-mail address was entered correctly.
2. Check to see if the confirmation went to your spam folder.
3. Follow up with our office at info.acpgroups@gmail.com.

Eligibility/Instructions

1. First authors must be a Medical Student or a Resident member of the ACP Ontario Chapter.

2. First authors must be currently enrolled as a student at an Ontario Medical School or enrolled in an Internal Medicine residency or subspecialty fellowship training program in Ontario.

3. The person submitting the abstract must be the primary author and the person who will present the poster.

4. In the title/body of the abstract submission, do not refer to city, province, hospital, co-authors, references, etc. Abstracts must not include any identifying patient information. Copies of original investigations presented (pathology slides, radiographs, echos, etc.) must also be anonymized.

5. Images/graphs are not to be included (if selected for presentation, you may include these in your poster; however, these must be fully anonymized). Posters must not include any identifying patient information/graphics.

6. Edits are NOT allowed once an abstract has been submitted. Abstracts are to be submitted electronically only. The word limit is 450 and must be submitted in English. Click here to view ACP’s guidelines and tips on preparing an abstract.

7. You may submit only one abstract. If there are multiple authors, only one person can present and be eligible to receive a prize.

8. All presenters and additional authors are required to complete a Conflict of Interest Disclosure Form.
REGISTRATION/TRAVEL

- Poster presenters must complete a registration form with payment submitted.
- Presenters are responsible for their own travel and accommodation expenses.
- Out-of-town poster presenters may apply to receive a small travel stipend.
- Registration reimbursement is available to those presenting posters; an application for reimbursement and the travel stipend is to be made following the meeting.
- The poster competition will be held Friday, November 1, 2019.

Why Submit?

- Opportunity to showcase your work.
- Attend educational sessions.
- Network with colleagues and peers.
- The winner will be invited to participate in the poster competition at the 2020 ACP Internal Medicine Meeting in Los Angeles, April 23-25, 2020.
- The winner will be eligible to receive a travel grant of up $1,000 CAD to present their poster at the ACP National Abstract Competition at the 2020 IM Meeting in Los Angeles. (The travel grant cannot be brought forward to future years; no substitutions of presenters; if the winner cannot attend, the prize is forfeited; the cash equivalent is not provided if the winner cannot present).
- Second place winner: $100.00. Third place winner: $50.00.

Click here to submit your abstract!

Information

For questions regarding this abstract competition, please contact:
ACP Canadian Chapters
info.acpgroups@gmail.com / Tel: 613-986-2746
Canadian Chapters Website

If you are not yet a member of the ACP, click here to join now!

Sincerely,
George Dresser, MD, FRCPC, FACP
Governor, ACP Ontario Chapter

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