

Scientific Program Abstract Templates and Examples

The Scientific Program Committee has developed the following guidelines for abstracts and panels. Abstracts will fall under two categories: (1) Original Research and (2) Education. The Education category is further subdivided into (a) Program / Process Review, (b) Tutorial / Review, and (c) Case Study. Templates and examples (previously published in the AsMA journal) are provided for each type showing section headings, e.g., Introduction, Methods, etc., and the specific type of information that should be included under each heading. How well authors abide by these guidelines will be one of the criteria used to determine acceptance of abstracts.

Individual Abstract Templates and Examples

In the submission website, authors will have a single field to enter their abstract. Authors will be asked to include the sections headings listed for each abstract type. In the templates provided, specific instructions for each heading (listed in **bold** font) are given in *italics*.

I. Four types of submissions

1. Slide
2. Poster
3. Panel (linked to panel overview)—organized by a chair who invites panelists
4. Workshop (linked to workshop overview)—held on Sunday, organized by a chair who invites workshop presenters

II. Two abstract categories

1. Original Research
2. Education:
 - a. Program / Process Review
 - b. Tutorial / Review
 - c. Case Study

Learning Objectives

Each abstract must have at least two substantive Learning Objectives, i.e., the “take-aways” from the presentation. These will be printed along with the abstract.

For example: “The audience will understand the rates of CNS O₂ toxicity observed in Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy.”