

Technical reference and guidelines regarding submission of abstracts

- You can submit and edit your work until the deadline at 13th of April 2014 23:59:59 CEST.
- Only work which haven't been published previously can be accepted.
- Primary congress language is German. Submissions and presentations in English are also heartly welcome.
- The title is restricted to **100 characters** (spaces and blanks included). The correct length is checked automatically during typing.
- Abstract body (text body without title, authors, affiliations etc.) is restricted to **2.200 characters.** This is also checked and shown during typing.
- Please note that in case of overlength, your submission may be shortened retroactively prior to publication in the book of abstracts.
- Please structurize your abstract into the sections introduction (definition of problem), methods, results, discussion (conclusions). Written headings for these sections are not necessary.
- There is no option to integrate tables or images to your submission.
- For contributions in German, please use a comma as decimal separator (e.g. 4,56 mmol/l). For English submissions a dot (e.g. 4.56 mmol/l) should be used.
- The presenting author must be defined during the submission process. With submission, you agree to present your finally accepted work personally at the congress (registration fee).
- Maximal 9 co-authors are admitted from maximal 5 different scientific institutions. Please note that no additional co-authors can be published in the book of abstracts.
- There is no number limit on how many abstracts any author is allowed to submit. However, please consider that all your accepted submissions must be presented personally.
- All submissions will be checked by an independent expert panel which judges about acceptance of the submissions for the scientific program.
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