

INFORMATION FOR ABSTRACT PRESENTERS

WRITTEN ABSTRACT REQUIREMENT

The written abstract must be in English, contain a title and author list with affiliation, with the presenting author underlined. The abstract should not be more than 300 words in the main text, and preferably be divided into: Background, aim, methods, result and conclusion.

ORAL PRESENTATIONS 5 +5 min

We ask you to prepare your presentation in PowerPoint. Microsoft PowerPoint on a Windows based PC will be on-site.

The presentation is limited to 6 slides and should be presented in a maximum of **5 minutes and 5 minutes for discussion**

Slide 1 should contain the abstract title, list of authors and affiliations only.

Slide 2-5 should contain a brief introduction and clearly stated hypothesis if deemed necessary, as well as results from the abstract, preferably as figures and/or tables.

Slide 6 should contain summary and/or conclusion(s) in bullet points.

Every slide (all 6 in every presentation) must be clearly labeled with the abstract number in the top left corner. This number will be available and provided upon confirmed acceptance of the abstract.

Presentations must be sent to us (HeartSymposium@gmail.com) before Monday October 5. 2026 at 16:00.

As in previous years, invited lecturers will act as referees and a price of NOK 5000,- for the winner will be awarded in each session.

Presentations will be evaluated based on

- 1) Novelty of conclusions
- 2) Quality of data
- 3) Clarity of presentation

NOTE: The winner in each session will also be asked to give their 5 min presentation during the last session of the main program on Friday 9th of October. In order to participate in the competition for best presentation, the presenter must be available for this session on Friday.

If your abstract is accepted and presented you are invited to the dinner Thursday at 1800. Please register this when you sign up for the conference. **NB, there will be a no show fee of 785 NOK billed later if you register for dinner and do not attend.**

ABSTRACT CATEGORIES

1: Biomarkers, cardiac function and imaging

2: Inflammation, remodeling and heart failure

3: Genetics, exercise, arrhythmias and acute myocardial infarction

Please indicate which session you prefer when submitting your abstract. The scientific committee will make the final decision, based on the submitted abstracts in each session.

TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR POWERPOINT PRESENTATIONS

- Microsoft PowerPoint on a Windows based PC will be used for all presentations.
- Slides must be fitted screen with aspect ratio Standard (4:3) or Widescreen (16:9). Resolution: e.g. 1024x768, 1280x960 or 1280x720, 1920x1080.
- Use the "Insert" feature of PowerPoint to add images to your presentations. Do not copy/paste images into the slide or click and drag.
- Please note that Internet access will not be available.
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