

## **Abstracts Submission for APMSTS 2018 is closed**

The scientific committee of APMSTS 2018 now welcomes abstracts for oral as well as poster presentations for the "Asia Pacific Musculo-Skeletal Tumor Society 2018" meeting in Jaipur, India.

The theme of the Conference is "Education - Collaboration - Innovation". This epitomizes our desire to share and disseminate knowledge, the spirit of collaboration necessary to find answers to common problems and the need to derive innovative solutions best suited to our socio-economic milieu.

### **Categories**

Abstracts can be submitted under the following categories:

1. Basic Research
2. Adjuvant modalities
3. Non-biological reconstruction
4. Biological reconstruction
5. Soft Tissue tumors
6. Metastasis
7. Others
8. How I do it! (this is an initiative that encourages delegates to share their unique method/technique of managing any particular scenario that we encounter while treating musculoskeletal tumors. We are hopeful that this session will help others manage similar scenarios in an easier / better way than is conventionally practiced.)

### **Conference language**

The official language of the Conference is English. Abstracts must be written in English using the submission form on the Conference website.

### **Abstract guidelines**

Prospective presenters must submit an abstract with a maximum of 300 words (excluding title) containing the following sections:

- Aim/Objective
- Methods
- Results
- Conclusions

### **Submission of Abstracts**

All abstracts must be submitted before 31 March 2018 23:59 GMT via the official conference website:

[www.apmsts2018.com](http://www.apmsts2018.com)

- Abstracts must be submitted electronically through the Conference website: <http://www.apmsts2018.com/>
- Abstracts sent by email, post or fax or abstracts not in English will not be processed by the Conference secretariat and will not be forwarded to the reviewers. Submissions will be acknowledged by e-mail to the presenting author
- The abstracts will be evaluated by the Scientific Committee and selected presenters will be notified before 15 May 2018.

Early bird registration for the conference ends on 31 May 2018. All selected presenters must register for the conference by 31 May 2018 in order for their presentations to be included in the final program.

### Substitute Presenters

Presenters who are unable to attend the Conference may nominate a substitute presenter, provided the substitute:

- is a co-author of the paper
- is registered to attend the Conference

Please note that presenters can make a maximum of two oral presentations of submitted abstracts (including as substitute presenter) during the conference.

Information regarding change of presenting author has to be conveyed by 31 May 2018 in order for the presentations to be included in the final program.

### Publication Rights

By submitting an abstract, the authors give the right to the Conference to publish the abstract in the book of abstracts.

### Important Dates:

• Early bird registration opens:	15 January 2018
• Online abstract uploading starts: (Registration is required for abstract submission. Payment is not mandatory at this first stage of registration)	15 January 2018
• Abstract submission closes (no extensions will be permitted):	31 March 2018
• Acceptance and announcement:	15 May 2018
• Early bird registration closes: (Participants and students whose abstracts have been accepted must complete payment formalities before this date else the presentations will be withdrawn from program schedule)	31 May 2018
• Regular registration closes:	31 August 2018
• Late registration closes:	30 September 2018

If you need assistance, please contact: [abstract@apmsts2018.com](mailto:abstract@apmsts2018.com)