



Call for Abstracts for the 14. IGFP-Conference Wiesbaden/Niedernhausen March 5th and 6th 2016

Proposals for lectures via abstract may be submitted by **9/15/2015** (maximum **250** words). The abstracts submitted have to be in the version which can be published in the proceedings in case the lecture will be accepted. All abstracts shall be structured as follows:

Title
Author
Aims / expertise/academic background
Material and methods
Results
Discussion
Take Home Message

Also submit a CV as well as a photograph.

All abstracts submitted will be reviewed by 9/30/2015 the latest and it will be decided whether they will be accepted for the congress (lecture, poster). If there are more lectures submitted than needed we may ask the authors to prepare their topic as poster.

Abstracts accepted will be translated into English and published in the bilingual proceedings of the congress (with ISBN-number).

We are highly interested in topics where the experts provide practical guidance. These shall be covered by the „Case studies“ and „How to - lectures“ .

Presentation methods

Lectures

Overview lectures (30 minutes) will be generally at the beginning of a presentation segment and will introduce the key note of the respective segment.

Subject lectures (20 minutes)

Case studies (10 minutes)

„*How to - lectures*“ (10 minutes)

Several lectures will be placed thematically bundled in the program. In general there will be a discussion at the end of a thematically interrelated segment.

Poster

Instead of a lecture there is also the possibility to subscribe a poster for presentation. This will be presented during the whole congress. In an extra poster session which is part of the program the author is asked to be at the poster in order to explain the content and answer questions.

Directives

Overview lectures are either:

„State-of-the-art-lectures“ and explain current academic and technical developments on a special subject

or

will be drawn as a widely applied review on a certain topic.

Subject lectures should describe the results of personal current studies.

Case studies show cases of the daily work environment. Rarely described clinical pictures, typical complications or extraordinary phenomena may be described and discussed.

„*How to - lectures*“ describe practice oriented techniques and strategies of treatment and mainly focus on advantages/disadvantages as well as possible alternatives.

A *Poster* should clearly and understandably describe the topic. The content should be explained by short and precise texts and/or visualized by significant images (diagrams).

Each poster should cover the following categories:

1. Title
2. Aims
3. Academic background/expertise
4. Material and methods
5. Results
6. Discussion
7. Take Home Message

Format: 70 x 100 cm (width x height)

We ask all authors to appropriately mention all literature used.

All authors are responsible for the compliance with the copyright.

Congress languages

German and English. All lectures/presentations will be translated simultaneously (German-English; English-German).

Compensation

The first authors of the lectures will receive the congress entry for free, a financial allowance of EUR 150,-, one (if travelling further than 300 km two) hotel overnight stay as well as free entry to the congress ball. Travel expenses will be covered depending on the distance to a maximum of 350,- EUR. Flights outside Europe can only be covered fully or partly after a written agreement in advance.

The first author issuing a poster will be given 50,- EUR.

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