Call for Abstracts
Poster Session
Ontario Chapter Annual Scientific Meeting

November 2-3, 2018
Hilton Garden Inn Toronto Airport
3311 Caroga Drive
Mississauga, ON L4V 1A3

Submit your research, clinical vignette, or quality improvement abstract for the ACP Ontario Chapter’s Poster Competition.

Deadline
The deadline for submissions is Thursday, SEPTEMBER 6, 2018 at 11:59 pm Eastern Time. Late abstracts will not be accepted. We cannot assume responsibility for abstracts not received.

An e-mail confirmation for submitted abstracts will be sent. If you do not receive your email confirmation within 72 hours, please:
1. Ensure your current e-mail address was entered correctly.
2. Check to see if the confirmation went to your spam folder.
3. Follow up with christiane.acpcanada@gmail.com to ensure your abstract was received.

Eligibility/Instructions

1. Open to ACP Ontario Chapter residents and medical students.

2. First authors must be a Medical Student or an Associate Member (resident or fellow) of the ACP Ontario Chapter.

3. First authors are to be currently enrolled as a student at an Ontario Medical School or enrolled in an Internal Medicine residency or subspecialty fellowship training program in Ontario.

4. The person submitting the abstract must be the primary author and the person who will present the poster.
5. Abstracts are to be submitted electronically – please click here. Images/graphs are not to be included (if selected for presentation, you may include these in your poster).

6. Edits are NOT allowed once an abstract has been submitted. Click here to view ACP's guidelines and tips on preparing an abstract.

7. The word limit is 450 and must be submitted in English.

8. You may submit up to two abstracts; however, only one will be selected to be judged. If there are multiple authors, only one person can present and be eligible to receive a prize.

9. All presenters are required to complete a Conflict Disclosure Form.

REGISTRATION/TRAVEL
- Poster presenters must complete a registration form with payment submitted – click here to view the program and to register.
- Presenters are responsible for their own travel and accommodation expenses.
- Out-of-town poster presenters may apply to receive a small travel stipend.
- Registration reimbursement will also be available to those presenting at the poster session.
- An application for reimbursements/stipends is to be made following the meeting (forms will be made available).
- The poster competition will be held Friday, November 2, 2018.

Why Submit?
- Opportunity to showcase your work.
- Attend educational sessions.
- Network with colleagues and peers.
- The winner in each poster category will be invited to participate in the poster competition at the 2019 ACP Internal Medicine Meeting in Philadelphia, PA.
- The winner in each category will be eligible to receive a travel grant of up $1,000 CDN to present their poster at the 2019 ACP Internal Medicine Meeting in Philadelphia April 11-13, 2019 (grant cannot be brought forward to future years; no substitutions of presenters; cash equivalent is not provided if the winner cannot present).

Information
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Sincerely,
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