CALL FOR ABSTRACTS
ABSTRACT COMPETITION
2020 – “VIRTUAL”

Showcasing Oregon’s Resident & Medical Student Scholarly Activities

NOVEMBER 2020 (tentative date: Nov 5, 2020)

CATEGORIES OF ABSTRACTS:
Clinical Vignette / Quality Improvement-Patient Safety / High Value Cost Conscious Care / Research-Basic / Research-Clinical

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**ORAL PRESENTATIONS**
- 10 minutes oral presentation / 5 minutes for questions.
- Presentations Blinded of Institution/Additional Authors.
- MS PowerPoint. Residency Program chooses Presenters.

**Oral Presentations Awards:**
- **1st Place:** $100 Educational Support.
- **2nd & 3rd Place:** Acknowledgement.

Will Present As A Poster at National ACP Meeting-2021.

**POSTER PRESENTATIONS**
- 3 minutes presentation / 2 minutes for questions.
- Presentations include Institution/Additional Authors.

**Poster Presentations Awards:**
- **1st Place:** $100 Educational Support.
- **2nd & 3rd Place:** Acknowledgement.

1st PLACE WINNERS – Residents & Students (except Resident clinical vignette) are automatically entered to present at ACP National Competition in 2021, in Orlando, FL. Residents cover their own costs. Students receive partial travel assistance from Oregon ACP.


**GENERAL RULES**
- Abstracts must list institution name and all additional authors.
- Presenter must be first author / Member of ACP.
- Use any case in which presenter was substantially involved.
- Mentors need not be from Presenter’s home institution.
- Abstract 450 Word Limit. No images, graphs, charts.
- Word limit does not include title, authors, references.
- Maximum two (2) abstracts per resident or student.
- 2021 ACP Internal Medicine Meeting – Orlando, FL.
- Judge Criteria Clinical Vignette:
  - Presentation, Significance, Interview, Visual Impact.
- Judge Criteria Research:
  - All above/plus Originality and Methods.

**DEADLINES**

**LOCAL COMPETITION—OREGON**
- **Deadline:** October 1, 2020
- Submit Abstracts Electronically Via Oregon Chapter Abstract Portal:
  - **JULY 27—OCTOBER 1, 2020.**
  - [https://forms.acponline.org/webform/oregon-chapter-abstract-form](https://forms.acponline.org/webform/oregon-chapter-abstract-form)

**NATIONAL COMPETITION**
- **Deadlines:** TBD
- The below link will be updated for the 2021 National ACP Competition.
  - National Website: [http://www.acponline.org/residents_fellows/competitions/abstract/](http://www.acponline.org/residents_fellows/competitions/abstract/)

**QUESTIONS**
- Please see following pages for rules, guidelines, information for Abstract Competition
- Questions? Contact your ACP Council of Residents Reps, Your Program Director, or Mary Olhausen, ACP Executive Director: 503-880-7383; [oregonacp@comcast.net](mailto:oregonacp@comcast.net)
CALL FOR ABSTRACTS 2020-2021
To Showcase Resident and Medical Student Scholarly Activities

American College of Physicians – Oregon Chapter and National, invite residents and medical students to submit abstracts for the two Competitions, for 2020-2021.

TWO SEPARATE CALL FOR ABSTRACTS/COMPETITIONS
EACH WITH SEPARATE DATES

Oregon ACP Local Abstract Competition: November 2020 / Oregon (Virtual)
National ACP Competition: April 2021 / Orlando, Florida (In-Person)

We highly encourage you to seek out mentorship while crafting abstracts, posters, and orals. Mentors, nor Additional Authors need to be from Resident’s or Student’s home institution.

For either Oregon or National Competition – you MUST be a member of ACP.

ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN OREGON & NATIONAL ACP COMPETITIONS
Both Competitions are open to all Oregon Internal Medicine Resident & Medical Student Members of ACP. Be sure to sign up to be a member of ACP, 2-3 weeks ahead of the abstract submission deadlines. To check on your Membership in ACP: 1-800-ACP-1915 or 215-351-2600 or e-mail/online at www.acponline.org/contact or www.acponline.org/membership

For Oregon Competition---you will be required to eventually convert your abstract to that of poster format (PPT). The Chapter will require a PDF of this PPT. For our “virtual presentations”, we'll issue further details in Sept-Oct as to how we'll manage the Competition in virtual mode. Residents and Medical Students can submit up to two (2) abstracts total – any categories.

For National Competition---the top scoring abstracts in any category, chosen to present, must be prepared to give a podium presentation or to compete in a poster competition at the Internal Medicine Meeting 2021 in Orlando, FL. Finalists in the Poster Division must set up their posters in Orlando, FL, and be on site for the poster judging session (categories spread over 3 days). Only first authors will receive complimentary meeting registration. If you cannot attend, you must forfeit your presentation. If you are selected for a podium or poster presentation, National will register you to attend the IM Meeting. Residents and Medical Students can submit up to a total of six (6) abstracts total: two abstracts-Clinical Vignette; one abstract--each Research-Basic, Research-Clinical, Quality Improvement-Patient Safety, and High Value Cost Conscious Care.

ABSTRACT REVIEW / JUDGING / ACCEPTANCE
Oregon Chapter ACP accepts all submitted abstracts for their Competition. Abstracts are not formally reviewed, judged, or vetted for acceptance. Oregon Chapter reserves the right to suggest and/or refer abstracts for faculty mentorship, based on standard abstract writing guidelines.

For submission to Oregon Competition, the system will send you a confirmation email. If you do not receive this, please contact Mary Olhausen. You will also receive an email from Oregon Chapter with pertinent details.

National ACP accepts all submitted abstracts for their Competition. Abstracts are formally reviewed, judged, vetted for acceptance to partake in the Competition.

For submission to National Competition, the system will send you a confirmation email. You will also receive an email about your abstract being accepted for presenting—closer to Feb 2021.

ABSTRACTS PUBLISHED IN OREGON ELECTRONIC BOOKLET
Abstracts as submitted for Oregon ACP will be published in electronic journal compiled by the Chapter.
OREGON--RESIDENT ABSTRACT CATEGORIES---
FOR PRESENTING AS A POSTER

Categories of abstracts for Residents, include: Clinical Vignette, Quality Improvement-Patient Safety, High Value Cost Conscious Care, Research-Basic, Research-Clinical.

1st Place Resident Winners, in these categories (except clinical vignette) will be automatically slated for competing in the Spring 2021 National ACP Competition in Orlando, FL.
Residents cover their own costs to attend this Competition/Meeting.

OREGON--RESIDENT ABSTRACT CATEGORY---
FOR PRESENTING AS ORAL CLINICAL VIGNETTE PRESENTATION

Category of abstract for Residents, for Oral Presenters, include: Clinical Vignette.
Residency programs determine who from their program, will give oral presentations.
Contact your Program Director for details.
Clinical Vignette Abstracts for oral presentations, may not be used for the poster competition.

1st Place Resident Winner, in this category will be automatically slated for competing in the Spring 2021 National ACP Competition in Orlando, FL—in the Poster Competition (oral presentation converted to poster).

OREGON MEDICAL STUDENT CATEGORIES---
FOR PRESENTING AS A POSTER

Categories of abstracts for Medical Students, include: Clinical Vignette, Quality Improvement-Patient Safety, High Value Cost Conscious Care, Research-Basic, Research-Clinical.

1st Place Medical Student Winners, in these categories will be automatically slated for competing in the Spring 2021 National ACP Competition in Orlando, FL. Medical Student expense reimbursement will be up to $800.00, per student, to offset travel & lodging to Orlando.

ABSTRACT CATEGORIES

Clinical Vignette: A clinical vignette is a report of one or more cases that illustrates a new disease entity, or a prominent or unusual clinical feature of an established disease. It may include a summary of pertinent patient history, physical findings, laboratory data, or management description.

Quality Improvement-Patient Safety: Submissions can report on efforts to improve patient safety or outcomes measurement. Such efforts may be projects developed and initiated to promote patient safety and/or processes that have improved or created a safer environment for patients. Abstracts may also be submitted that relate to the use of outcome data, how to measure and convert data into information.

High Value Cost Conscious Care: Projects that focus on: reducing waste in the system (unnecessary testing and treatment or inappropriate setting for care), minimizing harms (radiation exposure, medication side effects), or improving patient care through communication (incorporating patient values and concerns into care plans).

Research-Basic: To improve human health, scientific discoveries must be translated into practical applications. Such discoveries typically begin at the bench with basic research—in which scientists study disease at a molecular or cellular level.

Research-Clinical: Patient-oriented research. Research conducted with human subjects (or on material of human origin such as tissues, specimens and cognitive phenomena) for which an investigator (or colleague) directly interacts with human subjects. This area of research includes: mechanisms of human disease; therapeutic interventions; clinical trials; development of new technologies; analysis of existing datasets; epidemiologic and behavioral studies; outcomes research and health services research.

PRIOR ABSTRACTS SUBMITTED / PUBLISHED CONTENT

Abstracts previously presented at other regional ACP Chapters (non-Oregon) or other medical specialty societies are eligible for submission. Abstracts previously submitted to National ACP or Oregon Chapter are not eligible for re-submission and are subject to disqualification.
Research must not be published or in press as a manuscript.

Original abstracts that either, have or have not been presented at other meetings, will be considered.
Presentation of original work at the ACP Meeting may, however, jeopardize presentation before another society.
Abstracts are eligible if they have been published, however, abstracts based upon full papers that have been published are not eligible.
SUBMITTING ABSTRACTS ONLINE

All abstracts, for both Competitions, are submitted via online form (separate links).

NOTE: after submitting your abstract (after hit submit button), PLEASE wait for the screen to refresh before exiting the submission page----if you exit before the page refreshes, your abstract will not submit.

First Authors: Only First Authors can submit abstracts and present.
For Oregon Competition, a Second Author may be authorized to present, but only under rare circumstances and with prior approval from Oregon ACP.

Limit 450 words. This does not include abstract title, authors, institution name, or references (these are entered into specific fields where requested). Do not include any graphs, charts, images, bars, tables, etc. Do not include references in the text field; you can however, include references on your poster.

Abstracts should list additional authors, including: full name, credentials, and institution name.

If a change or revision is needed on your abstract you’ll need to contact Chapter Executive Director and make arrangements for a substituted abstract.

Judging Criteria Research: All above, plus Originality and Methods.

RESOURCES

National ACP produces resources related to the National Competition, rules, guidelines abstract eligibility, author eligibility, abstract format, organization of body of abstract, usage of abbreviations-symbols-nomenclature, etc. Please see link to national ACP website for the College’s Guide to Preparing for the Abstract Competition: https://www.acponline.org/membership/residents/competitions-awards/acp-national-abstract-competition
This link will be updated for the 2021 Competition.

The OHSU internal medicine residency program has a fantastic scholarship website that has a trove of resources, including for poster creation including templates--https://www.ohsu.edu/school-of-medicine/medicine/scholarship-resources. The residency program has also created an archive of past resident posters in annual virtual poster sessions, so there are dozens of examples—this is the most recent one from 2018 https://www.ohsu.edu/school-of-medicine/medicine/2018-oregon-acp-resident-presentations, and the remainder can be found here under the “Oregon ACP Virtual Poster Sessions” drop down menu on the far right: https://www.ohsu.edu/school-of-medicine/medicine/past-publications-conference-presentations.

QUESTIONS

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National ACP:
E-mail questions to abstracts@acponline.org.