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Call for Research Abstracts at CSA 2018 Annual Meeting
March 22-25, 2018

The California Society of Anesthesiologists extends an invitation to submit abstracts for the first annual *Anesthesia Abstract Presentations* during the 2018 Annual Meeting & Workshops on March 22-25, 2018.

The accepted abstracts will be presented as an oral and visual presentation during a CME sessions at the JW Marriott Desert Springs Resort & Spa in Palm Desert, CA on:
- Friday, March 23rd, 2018  5:00pm – 6:00pm
- Saturday, March 24th, 2018  4:45pm – 6:00pm

Deadline for submission is December 15, 2017.

The Annual Meeting’s scientific committee will review your abstract. The committee will notify you by January 16, 2018 if your abstract has been selected to be presented. The date and time of your presentation will also be announced.

Please see below for Abstract Guidelines and Template.

The abstract presentations are an excellent opportunity for recent and relatively unknown research to be shared with fellow peers that will hopefully effectively translate into improved health delivery.

We look forward to your submissions.

Sincerely,

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Program Chair, CSA                                         Associate Scientific Program Chair
CSA 2018 Annual Meeting Anesthesia Abstract Presentation Guidelines

1- Abstract submission is open to all Practicing Physician Anesthesiologists, Nurse Anesthetists, Anesthesiology Residents and Fellows; and Medical Students.

2- An abstract of no more than 200 words should be submitted electronically by December 15, 2017 to: LStoddard@csahq.org

3- The papers are submitted with the understanding that they represent recent work performed primarily by the presenter. This does not preclude their presentation in National or International meetings after January 1, 2018, or publication in press in a peer reviewed journal by June 2018.

4- Topics should have a clinical message pertaining to Ambulatory Anesthesia, Chronic and Cancer pain, critical care, Equipment, Monitoring and Engineering technology, Geriatric Anesthesia, Obstetric Anesthesia, Outcome Research, Patient Safety, Pediatric Anesthesia, Regional Anesthesia and Acute Pain. Case reports are welcome.

5- The Annual Meeting’s Scientific Committee will select 12 abstracts for PowerPoint presentation based on their academic merit, clarity, method of presentation and originality.

6- The presentation will be for 5 minutes with 3 minutes of questions.

7. All accepted PowerPoint Presentations need to be submitted by March 1, 2018.

8. A disclosure form for any relevant financial relationships needs to be received after abstract acceptance.

9- The abstract presentation with the highest ratings by the committee will receive a complimentary registration fee to the CSA 2019 Annual Meeting & Workshops. The winner will be notified by email and the prize given out on Sunday before the first session. 50% discount for 2nd place. 25% discount for 3rd place.

10- PowerPoint suggested Format should included

**Title and authors.** Include all names and institutions.

For a case report present the relevant facts and conclusions. Be mindful of HIPPA.

For studies

**Introduction.** Introduce the topic with an outline including background information and relevance describing how this project will add new information in the field.
**Methods.** Describe the steps you used for your project.
**Results/Data Analysis.** A brief description of the data, and what the results demonstrate.
**Conclusions.** Summarize the main points.
**Future Directions.** Briefly describe what will happen next for your project.
CSA 2019 Annual Meeting Anesthesia Abstract Presentation Template

Presenting Author: (First name, Last name, Degree)

Institution:

Address:

Cell Phone:

Email:

Contributing Authors:
  2. (name, degree, institution)
  3. 
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Abstract Title:

Abstract Body: (Maximum 200 words)