

## Early Career Clinical Pharmacology Abstract Competition

Deadline: July 5 2021

### SUBMISSION INFORMATION

The British Pharmacology Society invite abstract submissions from:

- **Medical students**
- **Junior Doctors** (FY1, FY2, IMT1, IMT2)
- **Pre-registration pharmacists and pharmacists up to 2-years post qualification**

Abstracts should relate to the field of clinical pharmacology and may include:

- **Research projects** linked to clinical pharmacology
- **Audit or quality improvement project** on the use of medicines
- **Education abstracts** on safe prescribing
- **Interesting case reports related to clinical pharmacology.**  
Examples could include (but not limited to), adverse effects of medication, drug-drug interactions, polypharmacy, role of therapeutic drug monitoring and pharmacogenomics

### WINNERS

The authors of the **top 3 abstracts from each discipline** will be invited to **present at Pharmacology 2021**, the flagship international meeting of the British Pharmacological Society. The invited presentations will be judged by a panel of Clinical Pharmacologists and the winner of each discipline awarded an **'Early Clinical Pharmacology Abstract Prize'**. The presentation will be no more than 5 minutes with 2 minutes for questions.

Pharmacology 2021 is held on the 7-8 September. For further details please go to [this link](#). Entry to the conference will be covered by the BPS.

### ABSTRACT SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Applicants must be employed or studying in the UK or Ireland and have a key role in the research, audit or quality improvement project or management of a clinical case.

Submitting an abstract is a simple process. Just [download the form](#), complete it and email it as an attachment to [sophie.joseph@bps.ac.uk](mailto:sophie.joseph@bps.ac.uk).

Deadline for entry into the competition is **5 July 2021 23:59 GMT** and finalists will be notified on 19 July 2021.

## AUTHOR GUIDELINES FOR ABSTRACT COMPLETION

Please use the [download the form](#) and complete as per the instructions below:

### I. Title

The title should be brief but long enough to indicate clearly the nature of the project or case. Please use sentence case for your title i.e. use a capital letter at the beginning of your title only.

### II. Abstract

Please insert your abstract in the field. Do not exceed the space allocated by the text box and you must use 10pt Arial font. The prescribed headings below should be factored into your word count.

The use of tables and graphics are encouraged if they are relevant to the project submitted. 1 table or graphic is permitted per abstract. Tables/graphics need to be uploaded separately in .gif and .jpg graphic formats

All abstracts need to have headers included. The headers will depend on the type of abstract you are submitting (see table below). Any abstracts that do not use the prescribed headings below will be automatically rejected.

Research projects, audits and quality improvement projects	Education abstracts	Case reports
Introduction	Background and aims	Introduction
Method	Summary of work and outcomes	Case description
Results	Discussion	Discussion
Conclusions	Conclusion	Conclusion

### III. Bibliography

Please use a Vancouver system (numbered) for referencing. Numbers inserted in the abstract text should be enclosed within square brackets, e.g. [1], [2], [3]... Do not exceed the space allocated by the text box and you must use 10pt Arial font.

### IV. Authors/Affiliations

Please enter the names of ALL authors here - including yourself if you are an author - in the order in which you wish them to appear in the printed text. If the abstract is selected for *Pharmacology 2020*, names omitted here will NOT be printed in the author index or the final program. Please highlight presenting author with an asterisk (\*).

## **V. Keywords**

Please indicate three appropriate keywords that relate to your abstract.

## **VI. Additional Questions**

Confirm that your abstract will not have been published or presented previously. Confirm that any study conducted using human or animal subjects complies with current guidelines and directives.

## **VII. Contact details for the corresponding author**

The presenting Author will serve as the primary contact person for British Pharmacological Society and for all co- authors. Please ensure all contact details are correct.

## **VIII. Supervising Senior**

Please include details of the supervising senior. They will not be the primary contact for the submission process, but may be approached to verify the authenticity of the corresponding authors work.

## **The Presentation**

The top 3 abstracts from each discipline will be invited to present at Pharmacology 2021. The presentation must be no longer than 5 minutes long, followed by 2 minutes for questions. If you would like to use visual aids (e.g. PowerPoint presentation) this will have to be sent to [sophie.joseph@bps.ac.uk](mailto:sophie.joseph@bps.ac.uk) prior to the conference.

## **WITHDRAWAL POLICY**

To withdraw your abstract once the submission deadline has passed, please contact [sophie.joseph@bps.ac.uk](mailto:sophie.joseph@bps.ac.uk)

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