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CALL FOR ABSTRACTS FIT CÁNCER 8:

Rules for participation VIII Foro de Inmunología Traslacional e Inmunoterapia del Cáncer (FIT Cáncer 8)
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RULES FOR PARTICIPATION

Abstracts submitted to the VIII Foro de Inmunología Traslacional e Inmunoterapia del Cáncer | FIT-CÁNCER 8 Abstracts Competition may be published in the Conference journal/book, either in electronic format or on the Conference website, with the author's prior consent if so decided by the Review Committee. Special consideration will be granted to abstracts that have not been published or submitted for publication elsewhere.

Submission of an abstract to this competition implies full and unconditional acceptance of the rules set out in this call for applications.

Abstracts may only be submitted via the website <http://congresos.grupoaran.com/fitcancer8>. Abstracts submitted by E-MAIL, FAX or POST will not be accepted.

The deadline for receipt of abstracts is 23:59 on **JANUARY 17th, 2022**.

RULES FOR SUBMITTING ABSTRACTS

Abstracts presenting results from basic, translational, clinical, epidemiologic or computational research in the field of cancer immunology or immunotherapy will be considered, as will abstracts reporting findings from relevant clinical experiences of immunotherapy in cancer patients.

This year, a maximum of 4 abstracts will be selected for oral presentation. Priority will be given to abstracts presenting cases on any of the following issues:

- **Response assessment**
- **Cell therapies**
- **Toxicity associated with immunotherapy**
- **Use in patients with special conditions (autoimmune disorders, transplanted organs, pregnancy, HIV infections, etc.)**
- **Integration of immunotherapy into multimodal therapies**
- **Immunotherapy and COVID19**
- **Response mechanism/ cancer resistance to immunotherapy**

In their applications, authors must indicate whether oral presentation is their preferred format.

Selected abstracts will be presented by an appointed author (presenter), who must be registered for FIT-CANCER 8. Presenters will be given priority when allocating conference attendance grants, so they

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should state that they will be applying for a grant when submitting their abstracts. Authors may submit more than one abstract if they wish to do so, but all abstracts must be received by the deadlines for the two presentation formats (oral or poster).

RULES FOR PREPARING ABSTRACTS

All abstracts must be submitted in Spanish or English and in PDF or Word format. They must be structured as follows:

- **Title:** The title must be in upper case and must not exceed 25 words.
- **Authors (initials and surname/s):** All the authors of an abstract must be stated. The first author must be the presenter. Example: **Ángel García Pérez**
- **Workplace of presenter or first author:** A workplace must be selected from those displayed in the system. This field is compulsory. If the available options are not applicable, applicants must select "Otro centro de trabajo" (Other workplace) and enter the details of their workplace (name, address, telephone, fax, etc.).
- **Abstract,** including the following headings (not exceeding 350 words):
 - **Rationale and/or objectives**
 - **Patients and/or methods**
 - **Results**
 - **Conclusions**
- If applicable, grants or funding sources, as well as any relevant references, must be included at the end.
- Any graphs or tables (no more than 3) must be uploaded separately in image format (.jpg).
- Any personal and identifying details about patients or their relatives must be removed.
- Finally, abstracts must be uploaded in a **single Microsoft Word file** (.doc/.docx) WITHOUT SPECIFYING THE AUTHORS OR THEIR WORKPLACES with any graphs and/or tables embedded in the text.
- Presenter's email address: the system only allows **one e-mail address per presenter**, so all abstracts submitted by the same presenter must use the same email address. This email address will be used by the Secretary's Office or the Scientific Committee to contact the presenter. Presenters submitting additional abstracts must sign in using the **username and password** assigned to their email address by the system.

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SUBMISSION OF MORE THAN ONE ABSTRACT PER PRESENTER AND CORRECTION OF SUBMITTED ABSTRACTS

Upon submission, presenters will receive an email with a **username and password**. With these credentials, presenters can access their personal dashboard and submit further abstracts. They will also be able to view the abstracts already submitted.

Authors may modify their abstracts online until the deadline.

By logging in with their username and password, applicants may also modify their registration details.

SELECTION PROCESS

All abstracts will be evaluated by the **Selection Committee** and their decision will be published as quickly as possible. If the Abstract is accepted, the Committee will indicate the format (oral or poster presentation) and scheduled date and time for the presentation, where applicable.

- Abstracts will be selected for either oral or poster presentation at the discretion of the Selection Committee and depending on the available time and space.
- The Secretary's Office will send the result of the selection process to the first author of the Abstract with information about the presentation date, time and venue.

RULES FOR PRESENTING SELECTED ABSTRACTS

- The selection/rejection letter sent to the first author will include instructions and the format selected for their presentation. Oral presentations must not exceed **5 minutes for presentation and 2 minutes for discussion**. Presentations must be submitted to the Secretary's Office at least 24 hours before the start of the session.
- The materials used in oral presentations (.ppt) must be in English. The speech may be in English or Spanish (at the author's discretion).
- Posters must not be more than **120 cm high and 90 cm wide**. The selection/rejection letter sent to the first author will state the venue for the presentation. The first author must stand by their poster for their designated time slot to answer any questions.

AWARD

Best abstract award: The Scientific Committee will award this prize to the best Abstract among the submissions received. Abstracts will be judged by a Review Committee of Oncology and Immunology experts. The winner will receive **€400 (after taxes)**. The results and the prize-giving will take place on Saturday during the closing session of the Conference.

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