

7th ASOI Annual Conference & AGM 2019

Building Bonds: Bettering Practice

Theme: Patient advocacy and approaches to reduce obesity stigma

17-18th May 2019

The Convention Centre, Dublin

Call for Abstracts

We cordially invite abstract submissions for our 7th Annual Meeting to be held on 17-18th May 2019 at The Convention Centre, Dublin.

We are accepting abstracts for oral presentation, in addition to poster presentations, and will allocate up to four abstracts for oral presentation. Unsuccessful oral presentation abstracts will be allocated to poster presentations.

Abstracts are welcome from all fields related to the study of obesity, particularly (but not limited to) those related to the conference theme. We will accept both quantitative and/or qualitative research submissions and abstracts on research at any stage of development, from protocols to completed studies. We also strongly encourage submissions from those involved in policy and practice.

We will accept abstracts under the following categories:

- Prevention
- Treatment
- Implementation
- Basic and applied sciences
- Innovation
- Policy

Posters will be displayed and discussed during designated poster sessions.

The ASOI 2019 Prize will be awarded for the best poster

Please submit your abstract to abstracts@asoi.info no later than 17:00 on **Friday 5th April 2019**.

The following outline should be used for the abstract

- Author/presenter name(s), institution(s) represented, postal address, email address
- Title of abstract
- Theme/Category of abstract (as per above)
- Background
- Aim
- Methodology
- Results
- Conclusions
- Funding acknowledgments (does not contribute to word count)
- Preferred presentation format:
 - Oral presentation (if unsuccessful, abstract will automatically be considered for poster presentation, unless otherwise indicated)
 - Poster presentation

Abstracts should be no longer than **300 words** (this includes background, aim, methodology, results and conclusions) and should be in size **12 Arial font**.

Please submit your abstract (MS Word document preferably) to abstracts@aso.info no later than 17:00 on Friday 5th April 2019. Submitting authors will be sent an automatic acknowledgement of receipt following submission of their abstract(s).

Those who submit an abstract will be notified of the outcome no later than Friday 26th April 2019.

All abstracts will be subject to peer review by the Conference Organising Committee.

All accepted abstracts will be published in the official conference abstract book which will be made available through the ASOI website and other online platforms. Please indicate, during the abstract submission process, if for any reason you prefer not to have your abstract published in the book of abstracts.

Further details about the Annual Conference and AGM available on aso.info