#### **Conference Announcement:**

# International Medical Student Research Conference 2023

(IMRC 2023)

#### **Abstract Submission Guidelines**

## **Eligibility**

The presenter of the research must be a current undergraduate student attending a medical school or a former medical student who recently graduated in 2023 and the submitted research study was conducted and completed before graduation.

#### **Research Areas**

Abstracts are welcome in the following five areas:

#### 1. Clinical and Translational Research:

Abstracts in this category should focus on human subject research aimed at the prevention, diagnosis, or treatment of disease processes. Submissions may pertain to studies conducted in the clinical setting or those that bridge the gap between laboratory findings and clinical practice.

## 2. Public Health and Epidemiology Research:

Abstracts in this category should relate to the science of promoting and improving the health of individuals, families, and communities. Research topics may include promoting a healthy lifestyle, disease, and injury prevention as well as public health interventions.

#### 3. Basic Science in Medicine Research:

Abstracts in this category should be centered around molecular, pharmacologic, or physiologic mechanisms of disease or treatment. This may include studies that utilize human tissue or animal models to examine disease or therapeutic mechanisms, as well as fundamental studies on molecular and cellular regulation and genetics.

#### 4. Medical Education Research:

Abstracts in this category should pertain to research related to curriculum development and evaluation, teaching methods, assessment, learning and development, interprofessional education, well-being, professionalism, communication, simulation, quality improvement, and patient safety.

## 5. Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis Research:

Abstracts in this category should focus on comprehensive reviews and quantitative analyses of existing literature to address specific medical or health-related research questions. Submissions play a crucial role in evidence-based medicine and public health, informing decision-making for clinical practice and health policy. The goal is to advance medical knowledge and promote evidence-based practice to improve patient outcomes and population health.

Submissions outside of these categories may be considered on a case-by-case basis, subject to evaluation by the Organizing Committee.

#### Other Conditions

All areas of research are encouraged to participate, regardless of whether they align with the conference theme "Technology-enhanced Simulation and the New Frontier of Medical Research."

Previously selected abstracts from past IMRC meetings may be resubmitted, provided they have not received a monetary prize.

Projects that have been presented or published in other conferences are also eligible for participation in the IMRC Meeting Research Competition.

## **Abstract Submission**

Abstracts must be submitted electronically through the IMRC website.

The abstract submission deadline is **September 15**, **2023** 

Abstracts should be no more than *350 words* in length and must include the following information:

- Title of the research
- Author names and affiliations
- Abstract content
  - Background/Introduction
  - Objective
  - Method
  - o Results
  - o Discussion/conclusion
- Keywords

## **Review Process**

Abstracts will be reviewed by a panel of experts based on scientific merit, significance, and clarity of presentation.

Notification of abstract acceptance will be sent by October 15, 2023.

We look forward to receiving your abstract submissions!

For more information, please visit the IMRC website. <a href="https://www.pcmimrc.com/">https://www.pcmimrc.com/</a>