Request for Poster Abstracts

Poster abstract submissions are invited from Yale faculty, residents, fellows, students and staff to present posters about their educational projects. (The term “medical education” is used broadly and refers to education of all types of health professionals). We encourage submitting original work as well as posters that have been presented at other meetings.

Deadline for Submission

Abstracts are due by midnight (EST) on April 6, 2018.

Criteria for Inclusion

- The author must be a faculty member, resident, fellow, student or staff at Yale. (Other authors may be from other institutions as long as one author is from Yale.)
- The topic areas must be related to innovations in medical education or medical education research and may include teaching, curriculum, assessment, mentoring or educational leadership.
- Projects presented at other meetings are welcome.
- The project fits within the Medical Education Day at Yale purpose to feature work done at Yale in medical education
- Abstracts submitted after midnight EST on April 6, 2018 will not be considered for inclusion.

Format Requirements

Abstracts should be no longer than 3,000 characters, including spaces and punctuation, and should include:

- Objective(s)
- Background
- Methods (Research Methods or Innovation Approach)
- Results and Conclusions (Research Results or Innovation Impact/Expected Impact)

References are not included in the total character count.

Posters presented at other conferences are welcome. If the size exceeds 44" x 44", the author must disclose the actual size on their abstract submission form.

Notification of Acceptance

Decisions on abstract acceptance will be made on a rolling basis as abstracts are submitted, but no later than April 12, 2018.
Review Process

Our goal is to give everyone within the Yale health professional community every opportunity to share their ideas about medical education projects in a safe and welcoming environment. The Abstract Review Committee will review all submissions. Criteria for acceptance is based on whether the project fits within the Medical Education Day at Yale purpose to feature work done at Yale in medical education. Each submitting author will receive an email with a decision from the Review Committee in one of four categories:

1. Accepted as is.
2. Accepted with comments and suggestions from reviewers for improving project abstract. No resubmission required.
3. Accepted with revisions. The abstract will be revised according to comments and suggestions made by the reviewers. Resubmission with revision required.
4. Not accepted. It does not fit within the purpose of Medical Education Day at Yale (i.e. not a medical education project).

Accepted Abstracts

All accepted abstracts will be eligible for judging for an award by the Poster Judging Committee. Please see the Poster Award section of the Medical Education Day App for details.

All accepted abstracts will be published on the Yale School of Medicine Teaching and Learning Center website.

A listing of all posters being presented will be published in the Medical Education Day Program of Events.

Poster Awards

All accepted authors will be asked to submit a pdf of their poster for review by the Poster Judging Committee prior to Med Ed Day. The deadline for pdf submissions is May 9, 2018 by 3 pm EST.

Please see the Poster Information section within the Medical Education Day webpage for complete details.