

Instructions for Submitting an Abstract to the Human Anatomy & Physiology Society (HAPS) Annual Conference

Abstracts can be submitted to present in one of two formats:

1. **Poster Session** – Exhibition of scholarly activity that can encompass everything from data-driven work, dissection techniques to teaching activity descriptions. Examples could include quantitative or qualitative educational research, novel or emerging educational concepts, comparative studies from different educational levels, education outreach, assessment, evidence-based pedagogy, inclusive education, or other concepts.
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3. Have a body of 100 words or less.
4. Do not include headings such as “Methods” or “Conclusions”.
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