



# ANNOUNCING THE NEW YORK STATE PAIN SOCIETY TRAINEE ABSTRACT COMPETITION

*OPEN TO ALL MEDICAL PROFESSION TRAINEES*

On behalf of the New York State Pain Society, we invite Medical Students, Residents, Fellows and all healthcare practitioner students (i.e. therapist, nurse, pharmacy, psychology) to participate in the Trainee Abstract Competition to be held in conjunction with the **Annual Meeting and Scientific Sessions, March 27 – 28, 2020 at the Renaissance Westchester Hotel, West Harrison, New York.** Trainees whose abstract is accepted, attend the annual meeting for FREE!

**WE ALSO ACCEPT ABSTRACTS FROM PRACTICING PHYSICIANS AND HCPS. PLEASE FOLLOW GUIDELINES BELOW** (not eligible for poster competition but may be chosen for poster display)

## **Abstract Submission**

**ABSTRACTS DUE ON OR BEFORE March 1, 2020**

All abstracts must be submitted in WORD format and presented in clear English with accurate grammar and spelling of a quality suitable for publication. If your abstract is accepted, the author is expected to attend the meeting and present the abstract as a poster, which is a digital PowerPoint Slide, as part of the Friday March 27 oral poster competition. If an abstract was previously submitted to a different meeting it may still be submitted to the New York State Pain Society Annual Meeting and Scientific Sessions. The presenting author must be a Medical Student, Resident, Fellow, or other practitioner student and is required to ensure that all co-authors are aware of the content of the abstract before submission to the Society. Co-authors need not be Trainees.

## **Guidelines for Submission**

Your Abstract must include:

- Presenting Author's Contact Details
- Full first and family name(s) (as you wish for these to be published on the Program USB and Final Program)
- Full postal address
- Email address (required as all communications will be by electronic mail)
- Daytime and evening phone numbers
- Author and Co-Authors' Details
- Affiliation details: department, institution / hospital, city, state (if relevant), country
- Abstract Title (Limited to 25 words)
- Abstract Text Limited to 500 words - (Please Note: word count is affected when graphs/tables/images are added)

**Abstract topic:** Abstracts must be allocated to a specific topic for the scientific program. Please choose from the following topics:

- Basic Science
- Clinical Application
- Medically Challenging Case

## **Prize Packages for Trainees in Poster Competition**

The Society will award travel prizes for best abstract submission. On Friday, March 27 posters will be running digitally on a flat screen monitor. At 6:15 p.m., an oral poster competition is scheduled at which time each Trainee presenter will give a 3-minute oral presentation on his / her poster. All Trainee Scholar oral presenters are eligible to win a cash prize for best oral presentation. (1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> prize awarded).

SEND ABSTRACT in WORD Format by EMAIL to: [robin@nypainsociety.org](mailto:robin@nypainsociety.org) on or before March 1, 2020. Questions? Email Robin or call the society offices at toll-free 844-524-PAIN (7246).