**Abstract Submission Guidelines**

**XXVIII IAMM TAPC Annual Conference 2025**

Abstracts are invited from delegates attending the Conference for **Oral or Poster Paper Presentations**.

**Eligibility Criteria**

* Conference **registration is mandatory** for all presenters.
* Abstracts should be original and **must not have been published or presented previously**.

**Membership Requirements**

* **Prize Paper Presenters**: Must be a **member of both the IAMM National and TAPC State Chapters**.
* **Free Paper Presenters** (Oral/Poster): Must be a **member of the IAMM TAPC State Chapter**.

**Submission Instructions**

1. Download the **abstract submission form** from:
[www.iammtapc2025nims.in](http://www.iammtapc2025nims.in/)
2. Abstracts must be submitted **online** via the provided link.
3. **Last date for submission** of all abstracts (Oral/Poster): **June 30, 2025**

**Formatting Guidelines**

* **Font:** Times New Roman
* **Font Size:** 12 pt
* **Alignment:** Justified
* **Spacing:** Double
* Abstracts using other formats will be **rejected and returned** for correction.
* **Word Limit:** Not to exceed **300 words**.
* Define all **abbreviations and acronyms** clearly.

**Structured Abstract Format**

Each abstract should include the following:

1. **Category**: Oral / Poster / Free Paper / Prize
2. **Section**: Bacteriology / Virology / Mycobacteriology / Mycology / Parasitology / Infection Control
3. **Study Title**
4. **Authors and Affiliations**
5. **Aim and Objectives**
6. **Materials and Methods**
7. **Results**
8. **Conclusion**
9. **Keywords** (3–5)

All abstracts must be **complete, concise, clear, and cohesive**.

**Review and Selection**

* Abstracts will be **peer-reviewed** by the Conference Scientific Committee.
* Selection for **Oral or Poster** presentation will be based on the committee’s review.
* The **decision of the Scientific Committee is final**.
* Presenting authors will be informed of **acceptance or rejection via email**.
* **Only the presenting author** will receive a certificate of presentation.
* Details regarding **session date, time, and format** will be communicated separately.

**Publication**

* All **accepted abstracts** will be published in the **conference souvenir**.

**Prize Paper Sessions**

* Abstracts and **Full Text Manuscripts** for Prize Paper consideration must be uploaded via the same submission link.
* Authors must **clearly indicate** the specific Prize Session category on their submission.
* Unmarked submissions will be considered for **free Oral or Poster sessions** at the discretion of the committee.
* Submission of **Full Text Manuscripts is mandatory** for the **Dr. C.S. Bhaskaran Prize Paper Session**.
* **Deadline for Prize Paper submissions** (Abstracts and Full Text Manuscripts): **June 30, 2025**
* For details of Prize categories, visit: [www.iammtapc.in](https://www.iammtapc.in/)