HRX 2024

AbstracX Submission Guidelines

Why HRX?

Innovators at heart

The future of healthcare is virtual, informed by clinical needs, aided by sensors, powered by AI and driven by digital health innovators. To solve these complex future healthcare needs, there must be a deliberate effort to cultivate communities of experts to understand how to leverage the resources at hand and build consensus on how to chart the path ahead.

HRX convenes innovators, thought leaders, and advocates who believe that the future of healthcare lies in virtual, digital, and other cutting-edge technologies. If you're someone who's not afraid to challenge the status quo and often pushes beyond conventional boundaries—then you'll be in good company. We know we can only deliver the best possible care to patients through bold innovation and collaboration.

Are you ready to immerse yourself in a world of innovation?

Join us at HRX 2024, where diverse perspectives converge, creativity ignites, and collaboration flourishes. Experience a thoughtfully curated program all in one room.

We are innovators.
Propel medicine forward by joining a welcoming space that fosters innovation. You'll collaborate with experts from across medicine and technology to develop unique solutions to today's most significant medical challenges.

We are leaders.
Innovation is who we are and what beats within our hearts. With our longstanding history of innovation and leadership, you'll feel empowered and motivated alongside collaborators from across fields. Attend HRX 2024 and dream up big ideas in favor of a more promising future.

SAVE THE DATE
HRX 2024

September 5–7, 2024 | Atlanta, GA

Questions? Contact the HRX Team at **HRX@HRSonline.org**

HRX AbstracX

The **HRX AbstracX** is the opportunity for selected innovators to show their work amongst the HRX Community composed of KOLS, executives, investors, and other innovators dedicated to advancing technological approaches to cardiac care.

> **HRX 2024 AbstracX Theme: Development, validation, and testing of novel digital diagnostics/therapies in the heart space**

IMPORTANT DATES

January 15, 2024: AbstracX Submission opens

May 2, 2024, at 11:59 PM ET: AbstracX Submission closes

June 21-30, 2024: Notification of Acceptance/Non-acceptance via emails

July 7, 2024, at 11:59 PM ET: Deadline to withdraw AbstracX

September 4, 2024, at 5 PM ET: Embargo is lifted for accepted AbstracX

ABSTRACX CATEGORIES

- Artificial Intelligence (AI)
- Augmented, virtual and mixed reality
- Bias and diversity in AI models
- Case Studies/Story Telling
- Clinical and research implementation
- Data analytic methodologies & machine learning
- Genomics
- Health behaviors and digital cardiology
- Health information and management systems
- Personalized health
- Robotic
- Sensors and Wearable technologies
- Social media-based studies
- Story Telling – share your nontraditional case study
- Signal processing
- Virtual healthcare and telemedicine

HRX AbstracX

Storytelling
This category allows to share real-life experience about the transformation of cardiovascular care and implementation of real solutions.

Format
AbstracX Presenters shared their research on the main stage during a five minute presentation, scheduled at a dedicated time during HRX.

Publication
Accepted AbstracX are published in the September online supplement of *Heart Rhyhtm*.

HIGHEST-RATED ABSTRACX
The AbstracX receiving the **Top 5 ratings** will be invited to present their research during an unopposed session at HRX 2024.

AbstracX Submission

TIPS FOR A GOOD ABSTRACX SUBMISSION

Follow the Submission Guidelines

The AbstracX Submission Guidelines can be used as a tool for success. The guidelines include everything that you need to know about submitting an AbstracX for presentation at HRX.

Be Succinct: Use Simple Sentences and Minimize Abbreviations

Healthcare practice varies from country to country. Avoid using jargon and local expressions. Abbreviations (unless they are basic and universally accepted such as AF, VT) should not be used in your AbstracX.

Review for Accuracy

Before submitting your AbstracX, enlist one or more colleagues to double-check the text, tables and figures for accuracy. Having more than one colleague review your AbstracX and offer constructive criticism can be extremely beneficial.

Adherence to these useful tips will increase the chances that your AbstracX will be rated highly by reviewers and enhances the probability that your AbstracX will be selected.

> **IMPORTANT:** The information submitted in the HRX submission portal will be published **as is** if the AbstracX is selected. Review the AbstracX carefully to ensure that there are no typographical or grammatical errors.

SUBMITTING AUTHOR DESIGNATION

The Submitting Author will be considered the Corresponding Author. All correspondence for the AbstracX will be directed to the Corresponding Author. The information should be reviewed to ensure that the correct e-mail address information is listed. In addition, the designation of Presenting Author should be carefully considered before initiating the AbstracX submission process.

Once the AbstracX has been submitted, the Presenting Author cannot be changed.

AbstracX Submission

> AbstracX Submission Platform: **HRX2024.AbstractCentral.com**

The AbstracX submission platform used the **Heart Rhythm Society's single sign-on**. If you have an account with the HRS, please use the same credentials than those used for HRS's website. If you do not have an account with HRS, you will need to create an account to be able to submit your AbstracX.

Submission Payment

There is no fee to submit an AbstracX for HRX. If selected, the Presenting Author is required to register for HRX.

AbstracX Title

- An AbstracX must have a short specific title (containing no abbreviations) that indicates the nature of the studies.
- Titles should not include the authors' names.
- Always use correct title case (e.g., Only the Best of the Best in Medicine Study Electrophysiology).

AbstracX Authors

- AbstracX authors are comprised of three different types:

    1. Submitting Author/Corresponding Author: the author who is submitting the AbstracX; and to whom all correspondence from the   Heart Rhythm Society will be sent.
    2. Presenting Author: the author who would present the AbstracX if accepted and who is listed as the first author for publications.
    3. Co-Author(s): all additional authors contributing to the AbstracX.

- To avoid scheduling conflicts, an AbstracX author may only serve as the Presenting Author for no more than three (3) AbstracX.

AbstracX Submission

AbstracX Text

When entering text, please remember:
- Use generic drug names.
- Do not begin sentences with numerals; numbers should be spelled out.
- Standard abbreviations may be used without definition. Nonstandard abbreviations (which should be kept to a minimum) must be placed in parentheses after the first use of the word or phrase abbreviated.
- Do not include references, credits, or grant support in your AbstracX body.
- Do not include the names or personal information of any patient participating in the study or trial.

AbstracX Data

- Multiple AbstracX appearing to be redundant versions of a single study will be rejected.
- AbstracX are not eligible for consideration if published prior to HRX. No AbstracX may be presented at HRX if it is substantially similar to material presented or to be presented at a major international meeting held prior to HRX.
- Individuals who have submitted AbstracX to other major international meetings and are awaiting notification of acceptance may also submit AbstracX to the Heart Rhythm Society for consideration for HRX;   however, upon acceptance from another organization, it is the responsibility of the author to notify the Heart Rhythm Society office by to withdraw the AbstracX.
- The HRX Production Team endorses the position of the American Association for the Advancement of Science in requiring assurances of the responsible use of animals in research (AAAS Resolution: Use of Animals in Research, Testing, and Education). All submissions must follow these guidelines.
- Any human experimentation must conform to the principles of the Declaration of Helsinki of the World Medical Association (WMA Declaration of Helsinki).
- The Presenting Author must ensure that all co-authors are familiar with the data, agree with the stated results, and have agreed to be included as authors.
- Industry AbstracX Submissions: All submissions are required to focus on science and research and not products or services. AbstracX presentation may not be sales presentations and/or endorsement for products or services.
- Right and Release: The Heart Rhythm Society (HRS) intends to publish the accepted AbstracX in the September supplement of *Heart Rhythm*. In addition, HRS may capture both the audio and video aspect of a presentation for selected AbstracX. The Heart Rhythm Society requires all presenters at HRX to sign an AbstracX Presenter Letter of Agreement Form for the purposes stated above.

AbstracX Submission

AbstracX Format

The total number of characters allowed for the submission is **2,000**. The character count includes spaces, punctuation, and special characters. As you enter text into the AbstracX body, a counter deducts characters from the total allowable number of characters. Table or graphics uploaded do not count toward the character count. The maximum number of figures (tables and images) per abstract is 2. Please be sure that any text included in the graphic will be legible at the size you define for the graphic.

Submitting authors are required to submit text in the assigned body section in his/her AbstracX submission to ensure the AbstracX is formatted correctly for publication.

Section Headers

Background:
Objective:
Methods:
Results:
Conclusion:

Storytelling Section Headers

Background:
Narrative:
Conclusion:

Use of Color

Please be sure to use colors in your graphic that can easily be seen in black and white print. We recommend that you do not use any dark color(s) (i.e., black, blue, dark grey, green, or red) as a background color on an image.

AbstracX Revisions

- Carefully proofread the AbstracX and make any necessary revisions before the AbstracX submission deadline.
- To ensure that the AbstracX receives proper scientific consideration, please make sure that it is submitted to the appropriate category, as it will determine which Teams score the AbstracX.
- Resubmission of an AbstracX that is corrected or changed is not possible after the AbstracX deadline date.

AbstracX Acceptance & Withdrawal

ACCEPTANCE AND WITHDRAWAL

Notification of Acceptance/Non-acceptance

Announcements will be sent via email during the week of June 21, 2024.

Publication

Accepted AbstracX will be published in the online supplement of *Heart Rhythm*.

Embargo Policy

Accepted AbstracX are embargoed until 5 PM ET on Wednesday, September 4, 2024. This means that information regarding any AbstracX submission may not be released before this time. Failure to honor embargo policies will result in the AbstracX being withdrawn and barred from presentation.

Registration

The Presenting Author is required to register for HRX. Visit **ExperienceHRX.com** for more information. Expenses associated with the submission and presentation of an AbstracX are the responsibility of the presenter. Only one author per AbstracX is considered the presenter.

AbstracX Withdrawal

The Corresponding Author must submit a request to withdraw an AbstracX via the online platform. In the platform, please select "withdraw" from the dropdown menu on the "View Submissions" page. Please note that the Corresponding Author will receive an email confirmation upon completion of the withdrawal.

The deadline to withdraw an AbstracX is
Sunday, July 7 2024 at 11:59 PM ET.

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Looking forward to seeing you in Atlanta!

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