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1 Abstract Calendar

Important dates

01 November 2026	Online abstract submission opens.
10 December 2026 23:59 CET	Abstract submission closes. <i>Any abstracts submitted after the deadline will not be accepted.</i>
25 March 2027 23:59 CET	Presenters registration deadline. <i>Presenters of accepted abstracts must register for the full physical congress in Copenhagen (no virtual presentation is possible) before this date.</i> Deadline for abstract withdrawals.
15 April 2027	ePoster submission opens.
10 May 2027 23:59 CEST	ePoster submission closes.



2 Submission Conditions

1. The work in the abstract should not be presented nor appear, in another format, at any international English-speaking meeting before Euroanaesthesia 2027 congress.
2. At the time of submission, the work should not have been published, in whole or in abstract, in an indexed journal. If the work is later accepted and published before the Euroanaesthesia 2027 congress, the ESAIC Headquarters must be informed immediately, and this must be disclosed on the poster presented at the congress.
3. Presentations must be evidence-based, scientifically balanced, and free from commercial influence. Any actual or potential conflicts of interest must be clearly disclosed.
4. If the abstracts is accepted and presented at the congress, the authors grant ESAIC a non-exclusive, worldwide, royalty-free licence to publish, reproduce, distribute, and archive the abstract in the scientific programme, in the e-supplement to the European Journal of Anaesthesiology (EJA), and related congress publication. This does not restrict nor prevent the subsequent publication of a full manuscript elsewhere.
5. If accepted, one of the authors must present the work in-person at Euroanaesthesia 2027 congress. **Presenters must register for the full 3-day onsite congress by 25 March 2027.**
Failure to do so will result in the withdrawal of the abstract from all Euroanaesthesia publications and the congress programme.
6. Any use of Artificial Intelligence tools in the research or writing process must be clearly disclosed in the abstract. Authors remain fully responsible for the accuracy and integrity of all information submitted.

3 Online Abstract Submission

Abstracts for Euroanaesthesia should be submitted online through the **dedicated submission platform** accessible from **myESAIC**. The abstract submission process includes the following sections:

- Ethical Research Questionnaire and Declaration
- Abstract Content
- Topic / Keywords
- AI disclosure / Conflict(s) of Interest
- Authors/Institutions/Study Group
- Submission Conditions
- Abstract Preview

All above sections must be completed for a successful submission, but not necessarily in one session.

You can edit and resubmit your abstract as many times as needed until the deadline. Any changes made after a previous submission must be saved and resubmitted to be considered.

No changes can be made after the submission deadline.

4 Ethical Research Declaration

All abstracts must comply with applicable ethical and regulatory requirements. Research involving human participants must adhere to the ethical principles of the Declaration of Helsinki and to the recommendations of the International Committee of Medical Journal Editors (ICMJE) for the conduct and reporting of medical research.

Where required by local regulations or institutional policies, studies involving humans or animals must have received approval from, or been granted an exemption by, an appropriate Institutional Review Board (IRB), Independent Ethics Committee (IEC), Animal Ethics Committee, or equivalent ethical review body.

The first section of the submission process is an Ethics Questionnaire. Based on YES/NO answers, the system will determine whether the abstract requires an Ethical Declaration and, if so, which declaration must be completed.

Not all abstract types require ethics approval or an Ethical Declaration.

Where ethics approval, an exemption, or patient consent is required, submitters must complete the relevant Ethical Declaration and confirm that they can provide supporting documentation upon request. Authors may be asked to provide evidence of such approval or exemption at any stage.

Misleading statements in the ethical declaration or failure to provide relevant proof of consent/approval/exemption will result in the rejection of the abstract and the authors' institution will be informed.

5 Abstract Types

The Euroanaesthesia congress offers two options for abstract submission: **case report** and **non-case report**. The abstract type is determined automatically based on the information provided in the questionnaire of the Ethical Declaration section.

Option 1: Case Report

Case reports should only be submitted if they present a case or therapeutic approach that has not been published before. Case reports presented under this category should contain concise statements of:

- **Background:** Describe the underlying clinical question or problem. Include a brief statement summarising why this case is unusual and noteworthy.
- **Case report:** Summarise the information that you have gathered: a brief history; important and relevant, positive and negative, findings with details of investigations; treatment(s); and the condition of the patient after treatment.
- **Discussion:** State the significance of the information. Explain the objective of reporting the case; describe what others have written before about the condition or any related features. Support with facts the message you are trying to convey. The reviewers want proof of the rarity and relevance of the condition and the scientific explanations for it.
- **References:** Include up to three references, numbered according to order of occurrence in the text, with the corresponding number in the text.

- **Learning points:** These are essentially your final conclusions and serve to crystallise your thoughts on exactly why you think this case is of value and what we can learn from it.

Option 2: Non-Case Report

This option is most suited for scientific research. Abstracts presented under this option should contain concise statements of:

- **Background and Goal of Study:** Indicate the purpose and objective of the research; clearly state the hypothesis that was tested by the study or the observations that are sought.
- **Materials and Methods:** Describe methods used. Standard methods need only be named, but uncommon or new methods may need a more detailed description. The reader must understand how the data were generated. Indicate how the data were analysed and which statistical tests were used. Disclose any use of AI tools through the research process.
- **Results and Discussion:** Present, as clearly and thoroughly as possible, the findings and outcome of the study in summarised form. Abstracts need only short discussions. Focus on what can be concluded from the data and explain them in simple words. Avoid any speculations.
- **Conclusion(s):** Give a simple answer to the hypothesis in the light of the new data from your study. You may wish to suggest what needs to be studied next. The conclusion must be justified by your data.
- **References (optional):** Include up to three references, numbered according to the order of occurrence in the text, with the corresponding number in the text.
- **Acknowledgements (optional):** Include any acknowledgements you wish to make. Mention any AI tools used as writing support.

6 Detailed Guidelines

Please read the following important information carefully before you submit an abstract.

Non-adherence to these submission guidelines may be ground for rejection.

Early abstract submission is strongly encouraged.

Language	Abstracts must be submitted in English . Authors are responsible for the quality of the language and are encouraged to have their abstract reviewed before submission.
Submission process	Abstracts can only be submitted through the online platform between 01 November 2026 and 10 December 2026 . Submissions by mail or e-mail will not be accepted.
Number of Authors	A maximum of 6 authors (1st author + 5 co-authors) is allowed. Authors will be published in the order submitted and affiliations are required for all authors. The presenting author will be underlined and will be the contact author; they must ensure their MyESAIC account is up to date.
Length	Title: maximum 300 characters Abstract body: maximum 2,500 characters (including spaces) Each image counts as 300 characters Each table row counts as 50 characters Author names and affiliations are not included in the character count
Formatting	Use a standard font (e.g. Arial) and avoid writing titles or sentences in ALL CAPITAL LETTERS. Always preview your abstract before submission.
Images	Images, graphs and illustrations are permitted. The maximum size is 800 × 600 pixels . Larger files will not be accepted.

Accuracy	Authors are responsible for the content of their abstract. Spelling, grammar and scientific information will be published exactly as submitted.
Topic Selection	Select the topic that best matches your abstract. The Scientific Committee reserves the right to assign the final topic during the review process. The following topics are available:

1 Airway Management	10 Ethics	19 Pain and Palliative Medicine
2 Ambulatory Anaesthesia	11 Fluid and Blood Management: Transfusion, Haemostasis, Thrombosis,...	20 Patient Safety
3 Brain: Neuro-anaesthesiology and Intensive Care	12 General Anaesthesiology	21 Perioperative Care
4 Cancer	13 Heart: Cardiovascular Anaesthesiology and Haemodynamics	22 Regional Anaesthesia
5 Career and Wellbeing	14 Hepatobiliary and Kidney	23 Sustainability
6 Critical Emergency Medicine	15 Infection, Sepsis and Immunology	24 The Geriatric Patient
7 Devices and Technology	16 Intensive Care Medicine	25 The Obstetric Patient
8 Drugs and Pharmacology	17 Lung: Ventilation and Pulmonary Disease in the OR and ICU	26 The Paediatric Patient
9 Education	18 Metabolic Disease and Obesity	27 Thoracic Anaesthesia

7 Artificial Intelligence (AI) Tools

ESAIC supports the ethical and responsible use of AI tools.

Any use of AI in the research process, preparation of the abstract, or generation of references must be clearly disclosed at submission.

Authors remain solely responsible for the accuracy, originality, and integrity of all submitted content. AI tools cannot be listed as authors.

Failure to disclose the use of AI, or the submission of fabricated data, invented references, inaccurate information, or plagiarised content, may result in rejection of the abstract and notification of the authors' institution.

8 Conflict of Interest

Authors and presenters must declare any financial or non-financial interests that could reasonably be perceived as influencing their work, including relationships with commercial entities, funding, advisory roles, honoraria, travel support, or relevant organisational memberships within the past three years.

Any declared Col must be disclosed during submission, at the beginning of the presentation, and on the poster.

Failure to disclose a relevant Col may result in the withdrawal of the abstract or presentation.

9 Abstract Corrections

During the submission period, the abstract can be edited online as many times as needed, until the submission period ends. Please **save** any information and amendments to the abstract as you progress through the submission process.

Once the abstract is submitted, it is still possible to make corrections prior to the submission deadline.

No changes/edits will be possible after the submission deadline (10 December 2026).

In case of errors in the abstract discovered after the deadline, the abstract can be withdrawn or – for minor errors – corrected during the presentation at the Euroanaesthesia congress. Nevertheless, changes will not be included in the published version of the abstract in the e-supplement to the European Journal of Anaesthesiology 2027.

10 Innovation Showcase

The ESAIC offers the opportunity to showcase at **Euroanaesthesia 2027** prototypes, devices, digital solutions, and educational tools, fostering collaboration and highlighting ideas with the potential to improve clinical practice and patient care.

In addition to exhibiting their device or technology, presenters selected for the **Innovation Showcase** will be required to give a presentation during a dedicated time slot within the abstract programme.

Presenters are responsible for the transportation, installation, operation, supervision, and removal of their exhibit. They must ensure that the innovation complies with all applicable safety and regulatory requirements and remains available for display throughout the congress. ESAIC accepts no liability for loss, damage, theft, or malfunction of any equipment exhibited during the event.

11 Review and Scheduling

All submitted abstracts will go through a blind peer-review process carried out by international reviewers selected by the ESAIC Scientific Committee. Each abstract will be evaluated by, at least, two reviewers.

Duplicate abstracts will automatically be rejected.

Abstracts excerpted from the same research will also be automatically rejected.

Notification of acceptance or rejection will be sent by the end of February 2027.

Only the presenting author will receive communications and be responsible for informing all co-authors of the status of the abstract.

Presentation schedules will be sent out in March 2027 and cannot be modified.

If a time conflict occurs, the original abstract presenter will be responsible for selecting a co-author to present the abstract. The new abstract presenter must be registered for the congress by the 25 March 2027 deadline.

12 Registration of the Abstract Presenter

The author of accepted abstracts commits to presenting the work in-person at Euroanaesthesia 2027, in Copenhagen, Denmark, 29–31 May.

Online abstract presentation is not possible.

IMPORTANT: The author who submits the abstract through the submission platform will automatically be considered as the presenting author, if the abstract is selected.

Authors who do not intend to attend the congress in person should ask a co-author who is likely to travel to Copenhagen to submit the abstract.

Groups submitting more than three abstracts should consider sharing the submitting author role among two or more authors.

It will only be possible to change the designated presenter of an abstract **after** the announcement of the selection results.

Presenters of accepted abstracts must register for the 3-day onsite congress before 25 March 2027 (23:59 CET).

IMPORTANT: a maximum of 3 abstracts per presenter is allowed or co-authors should be appointed presenters.

For more details about the registration fee for abstract presenters, please refer to the [Euroanaesthesia 2027 website](#).

If a presenter fails to register before the deadline:

- The abstract(s) will be withdrawn from the programme by the ESAIC;
- The abstract(s) will not be published in the e-supplement of the European Journal of Anaesthesiology and removed from all other Euroanaesthesia-related publications;

13 Trainee Travel Grant

A free registration and a travel grant will be awarded to the 20 best abstracts from trainees in good standing with their ESAIC membership 2027. The selected trainee presenters will be contacted by the ESAIC Headquarters in due course.

More information about the different memberships and benefits of becoming an ESAIC members can be found [here](#).

14 Publication

All accepted abstracts presented at the Euroanaesthesia 2027 congress will be published in their entirety as an e-supplement to the European Journal of Anaesthesiology (EJA).

If accepted for presentation at the congress, the abstract will be published as entered the abstract submission platform (no modifications allowed).

Previous editions of the Abstract Book can be found here: [EJA-Abstract Books](#).

15 Best Abstract Prize Competition

The best abstracts submitted will be selected by the ESAIC Scientific Committee for the Best Abstract Prize Competition (BAPC), that will be held at Euroanaesthesia 2027 in Copenhagen, Denmark.

Nominees for the Best Abstract Prize Competition will be notified by the ESAIC. Each nominee will give a 10-minute PowerPoint presentation followed by a 5-minute discussion of the abstract at Euroanaesthesia 2027.

The Best Abstract Prize Competition session is scheduled on Sunday, 30 May 2027, in the afternoon. The three best abstracts will be announced after the presentations.

16 Withdrawal Conditions

Written notice must be submitted

If a submitted abstract must be withdrawn, a written withdrawal request must be submitted to the ESAIC Headquarters (abstracts@esaic.org) by e-mail **originating from the presenter's e-mail address**.

This notice must clearly mention:

- Abstract submission number and title;
- Presenter's contact details;
- Reason(s) for withdrawal of the abstract;
- Agreement of **all** the authors that the abstract must be withdrawn



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