

## Guidelines for Poster Presentation

An academic poster is a visual representation of your submitted Research Abstract. Authors should aim to use the poster as a means for generating active discussion of the research. Please note that the text and presentation of all posters should be in **English** only.

### Design and layout

All posters should be in **Portrait** format and displayed as **printed posters** (digital printing)

- The printed posters should be brought to the conference site at 07.00 am on the respective day. (Please contact relevant track coordinators for further clarification)
- Size of the poster should be **height 90 cm** and **width 75 cm**.
- Whilst a poster is a visual tool it still needs to maintain a logical structure in order that a viewer can easily follow and understand your argument from start to finish. Consider including an introduction, methodology, results, discussion, conclusion and references.
- The poster should be easily readable at a distance. Use upper and lower case for general content, as all-capital text is difficult to read. Maintain consistency in Font choice and size.
- You must also remember to correctly cite any images that you use. Tables and charts should be labeled appropriately and formatted in order to best enhance their visibility.

### Dress code

You should come with formal attire.

### Judging Criteria for Best poster award

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- The judgment will be done by a panel of judges.  
When posters are evaluated, each participant should be physically present at the session venue to answer all questions from the judges.
- The presentation schedule will be informed to you once the program is finalized.  
You will be given about 4-5 minutes to present your poster including questions and answers.
- Judges may pose questions during the evaluation of the poster.  
Judges will even evaluate your enthusiasm towards your study, interest and knowledge in the area of your research.
- The best poster presentation winner of each track will be announced right after the session on 28<sup>th</sup> of January 2026.
- The judge's decision will be final, and no clarification will be given.

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