

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Thank you for your interest in submitting an abstract for UEG Week 2024!

Abstract submissions for UEG Week have been increasing over recent years in both number and quality, and UEG Week has become a premier international meeting, offering a platform to present clinical and basic gastro-intestinal and liver research.

Please read carefully through the call and submission guidelines so that you prepare your abstract accordingly.

Opportunities related to the abstract submission:

- **Top Abstract Prizes** in the amount of € 10,000 for the five best submitted abstracts **provided they** have not been presented previously at another international meeting. The prizes will be awarded to the first author, who should also be the presenting author to qualify. The money should be spent on future research and potential winners will be asked to supply brief plans for this before the prize is awarded. Where the prize is awarded for a multi-centre study sponsored by industry, the author will be expected to waive the monetary part of the prize. This opportunity is only available for <u>myUEG Associates</u>.
- Travel grants are awarded on the basis of scientific merit using the evaluation process of the Scientific Committee. UEG offers 510 travel grants of up to € 750 to clinical and basic scientists of 40 years of age and below (born on October 16, 1984 and later) for best submitted abstracts. You will need to apply for these at the same time as submitting the abstract. The grant can only be awarded once per abstract presenter per meeting. This application is only available for myUEG Young GI Associates.
- **National Scholar awards** provide recognition for promising junior level researchers. With this award we identify and nurture promising investigators at a junior level (abstract presenters 40 years of age and below, born on October 16, 1983 and later). Among all abstracts accepted for presentation at UEG Week, the highest scoring abstracts per country are chosen. Awardees will receive a travel grant. This opportunity is only available for myUEG Young GI Associates.
- **Best Abstract Presentation Prizes** are awarded in the spirit of prestige rather than monetary gain. These prizes are awarded in every Abstract-based session as well as in the Moderated Poster sessions by the session chairmen and take into consideration scientific quality and overall delivery of the presentation.

UEG is proud to have introduced a variety of innovations regarding posters over the past years, please find more information below.

- All posters will be featured as E-Posters for UEG Week 2024.
- The posters are accessible on the poster terminals onsite for the duration of the whole congress, from Sunday until Tuesday in addition to the virtual poster exhibition on the UEG Week platform. Posters allow all poster presenters to include a pre-recorded 5-min presentation. As soon as the virtual congress platform goes offline, they will be published on the UEG website at ueg.eu



Moderated Poster sessions offer poster presenters an additional presentation of the poster on stage. The posters are selected by the UEG Scientific Committee based on scientific quality and suitability for the topic of the sessions.

In addition to the topic categories, it is also possible to submit your abstract within one of special subcategories:

- In order to best feature translational and basic science at UEG Week, you have the possibility to submit your abstract in that category. Please tick the box "Hot topics in precision medicine" at the end of the abstract submission if this applies to your abstract.
- In the field of GI, the distinction between adult and paediatric patients is essential, therefore you can submit you abstract as a **paediatric abstract**. Please tick the box "**Paediatric**" at the end of the abstract submission if this applies to your abstract.

When you submit your abstract to UEG Week, you have guaranteed international exposure, as UEG Week is truly the platform for you to share your science with the worldwide GI community. In addition to the publication in our library and in our online programme, you abstract will also be featured in the UEG Journal.

So, what are you waiting for? Submit your abstract and become part of the myUEG Community!

Important Dates

Opening of Abstract submission: February 26, 2024

Deadline for Abstract submission: Friday, April 26, 2024; Midnight (CET)