MEDI ABSTRACT AWARDS

The Medi abstract Award will provide three 1000, 800, 500 euro Awards to the three best abstracts and 1500 euro Award to the best research project presented during the ICC annual meeting that will take place in London on May the 15th.

The Awards will cover (totally or partially) airfare and stay for the following meetings: UIP 2021; EWMA 2021; vWin at Dubai 2021. Registration at UIP, EWMA and vWin meetings will be waived.

The Awards are intended for clinicians less than 40 years old who will present abstracts or research project on Compression therapy in venous and lymphatic disease.

ICC will reimburse 500 euros for trip and stay in London to the first winner of the abstract and to the winner of the best research project.

TERMS & CONDITIONS

- Abstracts must contain work that has not been previously published or original research project
- The extended abstract submission deadline is March 31, 2020; the abstracts evaluation deadline is April 15, 2020. Authors will be notified of the abstract evaluation results by e-mail immediately after April 15, 2019.
- Accepted abstracts will be presented in oral presentations during the "Free Communication: Abstract Award" ICC 2020. The use of supporting PowerPoint presentation slides is allowed.
- Every presentation should be 5 minutes and 3 minutes for discussion and questions.
- Authors must present their work in person at ICC 2020.
- ICC will publish accepted abstracts in Veins&Lymphatics.

ABSTRACT FORMALITIES

Please remember: incomplete abstracts or abstracts with formal errors will generally lead to the exclusion of abstract!

- Abstracts must be submitted as MS-Word, in English and must not exceed 400 words.
- The abstract must clearly indicate the following (to be excluded from the word count):
  ◦ Abstract title
  ◦ Category (research project, basic research, clinical trial, innovations)
  ◦ Name(s) of author(s) and age of presenting author
  ◦ Affiliation of author(s)
  ◦ Country of residence of author(s)
  ◦ First presentation or already presented in other meetings
- The abstract need to include: background, methods, results, conclusion. Incompleteness of these four sections will be regarded unfavorably and will generally lead to the exclusion of abstracts.
- Research projects need to clearly state aim of the research, methods (including sample size, materials and devices necessary to perform the study), cost estimate.
- Initials and abbreviations which are not in common use should be avoided unless they are essential.
- Remember to check spelling and grammar carefully. Submitted abstract text will be reproduced as submitted.
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ICC requires that all presentations be as free of commercial bias as possible and that any information on commercial products or services be based on already generally accepted medical thinking.

ABSTRACTS SUBMISSION
Authors may submit their abstract(s) via e-mail to icc@tagungsmanagement.org; only electronically submitted abstracts will be considered.

ABSTRACTS EVALUATION
The abstracts will be peer reviewed by ICC Scientific Board without knowledge of the author’s name. Acceptance or rejection of an abstract will be based on the average grade awarded by the reviewers.
The Awards will be decided taking into account Scientific Merit, Originality, Clinical Relevance. First presentation (abstracts not previously presented in other meetings) and younger age will be positively evaluated in case of joint winners.
By submitting an abstract for the ICC Abstract Award, the author confirms that he has read and understood the terms & conditions and accepts them.