



CALL FOR ABSTRACTS
Deadline for submission
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18th February 2023
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On behalf of the organising committee, we warmly invite you to Glasgow, Scotland in June 2023, to be a part of a momentous event: our conference marking the 20th anniversary of the Neuropsychological Rehabilitation Special Interest Group of the WFNR and the 20th anniversary of clinical neuropsychology training at the University of Glasgow!

The NR-SIG-WFNR conference will also be held virtually via the CVENT Virtual Attendee Hub and will be able to be purchased to view live and as an on-demand recording. The AGM of the **NR-SIG-WFNR** will also be held during the Conference.

We know this is a long document, but it has EVERYTHING you need to know to submit an abstract to this conference but PLEASE read it carefully before submitting.

If you are not sure whether you can travel to Scotland in 2023, please consider submitting an abstract as we are looking at virtual or recorded presentations as well as face to face live presentations and posters.

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This is a multidisciplinary conference incorporating all rehabilitation disciplines including Neuropsychology, Clinical Psychology, Occupational Therapy, Speech and Language Therapy, Physiotherapy, Social Work, Medicine and Nursing. The primary focus of the conference is the assessment and rehabilitation of neuropsychological consequences of acquired brain impairment.

Submissions in a wide range of topics are sought, including:

- Neurological disorders across the lifespan
- empirical studies evaluating treatment programs (group studies, single-subject designs/case descriptions)
- development of assessment instruments
- family and carer issues
- technological applications and advances
- service development and clinical initiatives
- theoretical models
- cultural issues
- interdisciplinary approaches
- social policy
- pharmacological interventions
- topic reviews

All Abstracts **must be in English, limited to a maximum of 2,500 characters**, for research studies use the following headings in sentence case and bold: Background and aims, Method, Results, and Conclusions. Note that there will be three presentation formats at the conference (i) 15 min oral presentation, (ii) poster plus 5-minute oral presentation ('datablitz session') and (iii) poster only.

Prizes will be awarded for DataBlitz and poster presentations. DataBlitz's will be adjudicated on the 5 minute presentation only according to the following criteria: (i) Clarity of the research question / theory / service description /clinical formulation; (ii) Appropriateness of methodology in relation to the aims; and (iii) how well the quality/content of the presentation encourages listeners to go and view the poster.

Posters will be adjudicated according to the following criteria: i) Quality & clarity of theoretical framework/model (Quality and clarity of methods and analysis if it is an empirical study); (ii) Quality of visual presentation; and (iii) Clarity of key messages

Three *Student Assistant* bursaries, consisting of free registration to the conference are offered this year. Two are for individuals to assist at the registration desk, the other one is to assist with AV. An application form is available [on the website](#) by clicking the Student Bursary Button. There are two *Travel* bursaries also available. An application form is available by clicking the Travel Bursary button [on the website](#)

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Correspondence: Corresponding author and email address

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For an example of how to layout the abstract see below

Layout for Oral, Datablitz and Poster abstracts – which is to be attached to your submission

A Call for Action

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Method: typing typing typing

Results: typing typing typing

Conclusions: typing typing typing

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