

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

The 38th WECOC, October 9-10th, 2026

Abstract Submission Deadline:
Friday, August 28th, 2026, 23.59 WIB

General Information

- All abstracts must be written in the English Language.
- The 38th WECOC 2026 welcomes abstracts in all areas applied with 3 categories:
original research, meta-analysis/systematic review, and case report/series.
- Abstracts of literature review and evidence-based case report (EBCR) are not accepted.
- The submitted abstract must fall into one of these categories:
 - a. Arrhythmia/Electrophysiology
 - b. Cardiac Prevention/Rehabilitation
 - c. Acute Coronary Syndrome/Acute Cardiac Care
 - d. Echocardiography/Imaging
 - e. Heart Failure/Pulmonary Hypertension
 - f. Vascular
 - g. Congenital Heart Disease
 - h. Hypertension, Diabetes, Metabolic Syndrome, etc.
 - i. Interventional Cardiology
- Summary of Important Dates:
 - a. First Announcement → July 29, 2026
 - b. Submission Period → August 1 – 28, 2026
 - c. Review and Grading → September 5– 25, 2026
 - d. Notification of Acceptance → September 27, 2026
 - e. Event Day → October 9 – 11, 2026
- Presenter category:
 - a. General Practitioners/Medical Students
 - b. Residents
 - c. Specialists

Abstract Format and Guideline

1. Original research, Meta-analysis/Systematic review

- a. The abstract must be uploaded using an A4 paper size, in the format of Microsoft Word (.docx), font type: Times New Roman/Arial/Calibri 11pt.

- b. Articles should use justify as the paragraph style (align left and right), be typed 1.5-spaced, and leave a 2.5-cm margin on all sides.
- c. The title and subtitle should be in bold.
- d. The authors' names must adhere to the following format: first & last name written in full, middle name written as initials (e.g., James B. Brown) with affiliations.
- e. The abstract should not exceed 300 words (excluding the title, authors, and affiliations).
- f. A maximum of 1 figure OR table is allowed to be included in the articles (in the form of PNG, JPEG, or JPG).
- g. The abstract of the original article should be presented in structured abstract as below:
 - i. Introduction: rationale for the study
 - ii. Methods: a brief description of the study design and key methods
 - iii. Results: succinct presentation of key results; please include sample size throughout
 - iv. Conclusion: succinct statement of data interpretation
 - v. Keywords (no more than 5)

2. Case report/series

- a. The abstract must be uploaded using an A4 paper size, in the format of Microsoft Word (.docx), font type: Times New Roman/Arial/Calibri 11pt.
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- e. The abstract should not be exceeded 300 words (excluding the title, authors, and affiliations).
- f. A maximum of 1 figure or table is allowed to be included in the articles (in the form of PNG, JPEG, or JPG).
- g. The case report/series should be presented in sections – namely:
 - i. Introduction
 - ii. Case illustration
 - iii. Conclusion
 - iv. Keywords (no more than 5)
- h. Discussion is not required; however, if needed can be merged into the 'case illustration' section with the same word limit of 300.

Notes:

- The presenting author whose abstract is accepted must be registered as a participant in the symposium and/or workshop of the 38th WECOC 2026.
- However, to be able to submit abstracts, you are only required to register on our website and make an account.
- The first author must be the presenting author. If the first author is unable to attend, the presentation may only be delivered by a co-author of equivalent level.

- Abstracts must be submitted using the online form on the WECOC official website.
- Submissions via e-mail, paper, or fax will be rejected.

Moderated Poster Session

Technical Details

- The presenter of the MP session should be registered as a participant and completed the payment in the 38th WECOC 2026 symposium and/or workshop. Otherwise, your paper cannot be presented in this meeting.
- Materials and the content of the presentation should be written and delivered in English.
- The presenter is not required to make an abstract poster, but instead please make short PowerPoint slides.
- Each presenter will be grouped into several sessions and must be present during his/her entire session.
- Failure to adhere to the given deadline and guidelines will automatically result in elimination.
- Failure to attend the session will automatically result in elimination. If the first author could not attend the session with justified reason, the co-author may present on behalf of first author.
- The presenter must stand by within 30 minutes before their assigned session starts.
- The maximum duration of the presentation is 6 minutes, followed by 4 minutes of discussion.
- The link for the meeting, timetable, and order of presentation will be sent via WhatsApp application to the registered number or via e-mail.
- Further instruction will be flooded in the WhatsApp Group.
- All winners will be announced during the Closing Ceremony of the 38th WECOC 2026.
- The decisions of the judges are final and cannot be contested.

Guideline for PowerPoint Slides

- Please use the official 38th WECOC 2026 slide template which is attached together in the email.
- Presentation slides should be prepared in Microsoft PowerPoint 2003, 2007, 2010, or 2023 (file format: .ppt or .pptx).
- The maximum page of slides allowed is 4 (four).• The slides must be named in this format: Full Name_Abstract Title_Session Code (e.g., Kelvin Supriami_Polygenic Risk Score_CR1.pptx).
- To avoid display errors during the presentation, please only use the standard fonts as follows: Times New Roman, Arial, Arial Black, Arial Narrow, Century, Century Gothic, Courier, and Courier New.
- The slide contents for original research or meta-analysis/systematic review are as following: introduction, methods, results, discussion, conclusion
- The slide contents for case report are as following: introduction, case illustration, discussion, conclusion

Displayed Poster Session

Technical Details

- The displayed poster participants should be registered as a participant and completed the payment in the 38th WECOC 2025 symposium and/or workshop. Otherwise, the poster cannot be displayed.
- Materials and the content of the poster should be written in English.

- Keep the title of the poster same as in the submitted abstract.
- The top of the poster should display the following information: title, name(s) of the author(s), and affiliation(s).
- The poster contents for original research or meta-analysis/systematic review are as following: introduction, methods, results, discussion, conclusion.
- The poster contents for case report are as following: introduction, case illustration, discussion, conclusion.
- Keep the text easy to read and concise. Avoid the use of full sentences and rather use short text in bullet point format.
- The poster format is portrait, 120 cm x 80 cm, and minimal resolution of 1920 x 1080 pixels.
- All abstract submitters selected for "Displayed Poster" are required to bring their printed poster(s). The committee will assign and arrange the schedule for when you can display your poster in the designated poster hall.
- The decisions of the committee are final and cannot be contested.