CALL FOR ABSTRACTS
Important information
Before your online submission

Important dates

- Closing of the call for abstracts – January 11th, 2027, at 23:59
- Abstracts evaluation – January 27 to February 3, 2027
- Results – Early March 2027

Terms of submission

You will only be able to submit abstracts through the congress website. Abstracts sent by email or fax will not be accepted.
In order to submit an abstract on the Printemps de la Cardiologie website, you first need to create an account.
Once your account created, you will receive an email asking you to click on a link to definitely activate your account and submit your abstracts.
The email address and **password** chosen will be useful to access your submission page. Please preserve them carefully.

Once you have logged in, you will have access to the submission and the list of your in-progress and validated abstracts.

Information needed before submitting your abstract

- Name, Surname, affiliations and Email address of each co-author
- Date of birth of the first author and the presenter of the abstract

Prizes and awards

The announcement of the winners will be made at the closing Ceremony of the congress.
Winners must be present at the Closing and Awards Ceremony.

For any question about the call for abstracts of the Printemps de la Cardiologie:
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INSTRUCTIONS FOR ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

All abstracts must be submitted in English.
Any abstract submitted in French will be systematically rejected.

Step 1: Title of the abstract

Maximum of 200 characters will be accepted in lower-case letters, except for abbreviations and study name which you can write in capital letters.
Do not include, name authors, institutions, city name, trademarks in the title.

Step 2: Authors

You must indicate the list of institutions and authors: First author and co-authors.
Never use capital letters for first and last names. First name (if present) always before the last name.
As a submitter, your name is, by default, included in the list of authors of the abstract.

To add an author, you just have to do “Add/Modify co-authors” and indicate their “Name” in the box circled in “black”. If the information about the author has not yet been filled, you will have to fill the missing information.

All fields ending with an « * » are required fields.
Validate the authors' entries and do not forget to indicate the name of the person designated to present the abstract (drop-down the list of all the authors entered). Once you have entered your text, the name of the person who will present the abstract will be underlined.

You may enter up to 20 authors in the authors list. The authors names will be published as listed on the submission form. The authors’ order and details (names, affiliations, city, country) will be published as entered by the submitter (use the arrow keys to change the order of the authors). Do not forget to validate your registration using the green "Validate" button.

Header check: Once the institutions and authors have been entered, you must check the header of your abstract via the viewing frame.

As a reminder:
- The author who appears first is the corresponding author of the abstract
- The author whose name is underlined is the presenter of the abstract

Any modifications you wish to make must be done in the list of authors by clicking on [Add/Modify co-authors] at the end of the line.

Step 3: Abstract content

We ask you to structure your abstract in 5 distinct paragraphs using the following headings:

- Introduction
- Objective
- Method
- Results
- Conclusion

There is no word limit, but a limited number of lines, including text with spaces and table/figure (if you add one). You may not use more than 29 lines.

All abstracts must be submitted in English using an appropriate grammar and paying attention to the spelling.

Do not “cut and paste” symbols into your text. Use the symbols provided when you click on the Omega button (Ω).

Table: Do not copy/paste your table in the field « text ». You must create *de novo* your table using the tools provided. The maximum size of the table is 12 columns and 20 rows.
Title and legend are mandatory. Only one table is accepted per abstract.

Figure: You can add an image to your abstract, with 500x200 pixels maximum size format (jpeg, .png ou gif). You must include a legend to your image. Please make sure that your picture is readable on the abstract preview (this represents how it will look in all publications).

If possible, avoid table and figure which are not always legible.
Otherwise, insert only one table or one figure but not both.

These elements must be referred in your abstract and have a legend - at least "Fig. x", "Table x”

Step 4: Abstract preview and confirmation

Indicate the area of submission: Basic Research or Clinical Research

Publication: The abstracts will be published in the special supplement of the *Archives of Cardiovascular Diseases* in digital format. It is mandatory to indicate whether you authorize the publication.

Topic: Select a topic, among the 10 suggested, that correspond best to the content of your abstract. The topic chosen should be appropriate to the content of your abstract as it will determine the choice of graders and possible selection for an oral presentation.

Keywords: You must indicate 2 keywords (other than the chosen topic).

Information about the first author and the presenter: You must inform both lines about the first author and presenter of the abstract. This information will determine whether you are eligible for a reduced registration fee and twin room accommodation.

Abstract presenters will benefit from a preferential registration fee of €120 and two nights' accommodation in a shared room, provided if the selected abstract meets the following three conditions:

- *The first author of the abstract is younger than 32 years old (born in 1995 or later)*
- *The presenter of the abstract is younger than 32 years old (born in 1995 or later)*
- *The presenter of the accepted abstract is up-to-date with its contributions to the French Society of Cardiology and the GRRC for the year 2027*

Conflict of interest: You must declare any potential conflict of interest regarding the content of your abstract. This will allow the audience to take potential conflict of interest into account when assessing the objectivity of the presentation. All potential conflicts must be stated (relationships, past or present, such as employment, consultancy, investments and stock ownership, funding for research, family relationship, etc).

Step 5: Abstract preview and submission

Once you have submitted your abstract, click on "Save".

Read carefully your abstract to avoid any mistakes before confirmation. Take care of the information you have entered (field, publication, topic, first author and presenter information, competing of interest, overview ...), spelling and grammar.
Use the buttons at the bottom of the page to edit or confirm your abstract.

After submitting your abstract, you will immediately receive automatic confirmation email from secretariat.scientifique@sfcardio.fr.

If you submit two abstracts with the same content, we will automatically keep the most recent submitted abstract.

If you have difficulties in submitting your abstracts or if you need any further information, please contact: secretariat.scientifique@sfcardio.fr.

Abstracts rating and presentation format

All validated abstracts will be subjected to blind rating by members of the Scientific and Organization Committee of the Printemps de la Cardiologie.
Reviewers are selected according to their area of expertise.

The final selection will be achieved by the Scientific and Organizing Committee in February 2027, to determine the formats, date and time of presentation for each abstract. No rescheduling or changes will be possible.

Selected abstracts will be scheduled either as:

- Oral communication in Young Investigators session or plenary session
- Commented posters

For any information and/or question, you can contact us directly with the following emails:

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