



# 39<sup>th</sup> Congress of the International Union of Physiological Sciences (IUPS)

*Marvels of Life – Integration and Translation*

May 7-11, 2022

## CALL FOR ABSTRACT

February 18<sup>th</sup> 2022

Dear Physiologists,

We are pleased to announce that the 39<sup>th</sup> Congress of the International Union of Physiological Sciences (IUPS2022) will be held from May 7 to 11<sup>th</sup>, 2022, hosted by The Chinese Association for Physiological Sciences (CAPS). Due to the ongoing pandemic and in the interest of the health of our speakers and attendees, IUPS and CAPS have decided to organize a completely virtual meeting after thorough consideration.

To make the online Congress participant friendly, we have made adjustments to daily schedules to accommodate the participation of attendees from different countries in different time zones. **The latest time schedule of the Congress will begin from 15:00 to 22:00 PM (Beijing Time)** by offering many outstanding lectures and symposia. To give attendees greater flexibility and opportunities to choose the programs they may wish to participate in, we have added one satellite symposium and two teaching workshops. The **IUPS Pre-congress Teaching Forum and Workshop** will be held on March 26<sup>th</sup>, 2022, followed by the full day's **Satellite Symposium** on May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022, and the **IUPS Post-congress Teaching Workshop and Symposium** from May 12<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Detailed information for these pre- and post-congress events please go to the Congress website (<http://www.iups2022.com/>).

We invite you and your colleagues to submit abstracts for the Congress, and choose the presentation types as you prefer. The guidelines for abstract submissions are presented below. All abstracts are to be submitted through the Congress Website before **February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2022**. To encourage students and early-career investigators, IUPS offers many virtual travel awards to apply. All submissions will be considered by the Academic Committee of IUPS in March 2022, and the announcement of the selected Poster, Young Physiologist Symposium, and the travel award attendees will be made before April 2022.

Questions or queries related to the abstract submission can be directly to Ms. Qu Chen (iups2022@chinastargroup.com) or Dr. Elise Mei (meizhu@caps-china.org.cn), the Secretariat of the IUPS2022 Congress.

Sincerely yours,

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Presidents of the IUPS2022 Congress

# Abstract Submission Guidelines

1. All abstracts should be submitted through the online system before **February 28<sup>th</sup> 2022** (The Post-Congress Teaching Workshop is excluded, TBA).
2. All abstracts must be submitted in English.
3. All abstracts should be no more than 400 words.
4. You must select a category for the abstract. The optional categories are as follows:
  - I. Locomotion/Muscle
  - II. Heart and Circulation
  - III. Respiration
  - IV. Endocrine, Reproduction and Development
  - V. Neurobiology
  - VI. Secretion and Absorption (GI, Kidney)
  - VII. Molecular and Cellular
  - VIII. Comparative: Evolution, Adaptation and Environment
  - IX. Genomics and Biodiversity
  - X. Physiome/Mathematical modeling
  - XI. Education
  - XII. EthicsMiscellaneous
5. Young Physiologist Symposia are organized for young researchers, including graduate students and early-career investigators (post-doctoral fellows, research associates, assistant professors or equivalent), who intend to orally present their latest research highlights in the Congress. For authors who wish to submit their abstracts to the Young Physiologist Symposium, please select the “Young Physiologist Symposium” option under the heading “Preferred Presentation Type”. Your abstract will then be considered for oral presentation at the Young Physiologist Symposium. Due to limited time slots, unsuccessful ones will be re-directed as Poster Presentation. You will be informed in due course on the outcome.
6. For submitting abstracts to the Post-Congress Teaching Workshop, please go to the website for the detailed program and the major topics to poster presentation and workshop proposals are listed as below:

Major Topics to call for abstracts - poster presentation:

  - a) Successful Strategies for Teaching Post-COVID
  - b) Student engagement in online learning
  - c) Implementation of online small group teaching
  - d) Online lab sessions
  - e) Miscellaneous

Major Topics to call for workshop proposals:

  - a) Empathy teaching strategy through physiology education
  - b) Effective role play scenario
  - c) Curriculum design of physiology education in post-COVID era
  - d) Hybrid laboratory experience strategy
  - e) Improvisation
7. Abbreviations should only be used for common terms. For uncommon terms the abbreviation should be given in brackets after the first full use of the word.
8. Refer to the other instructions on the online abstract submission page, please go to: <https://www.iups2022.com/pages/scientific-info/call-for-abstract>.