

SSSR 2026 Submission Guidelines

Key Points

- Each individual may serve as **first author** on only one submission (unless one submission is as a discussant).
- It is the **author's responsibility** to select the correct submission format. Submissions cannot be modified after submission or acceptance.
- Author names, abstracts, and titles will appear **exactly** as entered in the conference app — proofread carefully.
- The **first author** must also be both the **presenting author** and the **corresponding author**.
- Submissions that do not follow these formatting rules may be **rejected without review**.

Instructions for Spoken Papers and Interactive Papers (Posters)

Step 1. Format

Select either a *Spoken Paper Session* or *Interactive Paper (Poster) Session*.

Step 2. Title & Abstract

- Title: maximum 250 characters (including spaces). Only the first word (plus proper nouns and the first word after a colon) should be capitalized.
- Abstract: 250 words total across four sections:
 1. **Purpose** — statement of aims, questions, or hypotheses.

2. **Method** — design, participants, materials, analyses, or (for non-data studies) methods used to collect/organize information.
3. **Results** — summary of findings relevant to study aims.
4. **Conclusions** — implications or relevance of findings.

- Data-based studies: complete all sections.
- Non-data submissions: may leave *Methods* and *Results* blank.

Step 3. Authors

Enter author names and emails carefully. Only one author may serve as both presenting and corresponding author.

Step 4. Topics

Select one topic from *Topic Group 1* and up to two topics from *Topic Group 2*.

Step 5. Additional Information

Indicate whether you would like to be considered as an abstract reviewer and/or session chair. Ignore the question on symposium paper order.

Instructions for Symposia Submissions

A symposium is organized by a convenor who also serves as chair, with 5 spoken papers or 4 spoken papers + 1 discussant.

Step 1. Title & Description

Provide a title (max 250 characters) and description (max 250 words) summarizing the symposium's purpose and thematic connections.

Step 2. Roles

Enter details for the organiser and discussant (if applicable). Ensure names and emails are correct. The organiser should be listed as both Convenor and Panel Chair.

Step 3. Topics

Select one topic from Group 1 and up to two from Group 2.

Step 4. Additional Information

Indicate if you would like to review abstracts or chair a session. List symposium papers in presentation order.

Final Step: Shareable Link

After submission, click “Copy shareable link” and send to contributing authors so they may submit their papers.

Contributing to a Symposium (for Authors)

1. Open the link sent by the symposium organiser.
2. Click “Submit to Panel.”

Submission steps mirror those for Spoken/Poster papers (Title & Abstract, Authors, Additional Information). Complete all abstract boxes if data-based; non-data papers may leave Methods and Results blank. Ignore the symposium paper order question.

Final Reminder

Please double-check all formatting, titles, and author details before submitting. Submissions that do not meet guidelines may be declined without review.

Thank you for your contributions. We look forward to receiving your submissions for **SSSR 2026!**