Award Guideline

Mohd Hassan Shukor Best Oral Presentation Award

55th MOA
Malaysian Orthopaedic Association
Annual Scientific Meeting 2026

Submissions Open in January 2026

This award is open to all abstract submitters from across the nation as well as the international community. By broadening its scope, the MOA aims to celebrate outstanding contributions to the field and recognise excellence on a global scale. We encourage all eligible abstract submitters to seize this opportunity and showcase their work to a distinguished audience.

Eligibility

1. Registration and full payment for the conference is required to submit your abstract for this award.
2. Open to all Malaysian and international abstract submitters.
3. Research-based abstracts submitted for the Masters theses will not be considered for the award.

Regulations

1. The submitted abstract must adhere to the formatting and submission guidelines provided by the conference.
2. Case reports and case series are eligible for consideration but must include a novel learning outcome; merely presenting a rare condition will not qualify for the award.
3. Applicants should not have submitted similar work in any other competition or published in any journal.
4. Upon the abstract submission deadline, all abstracts will be reviewed by the Scientific Committee and be scored by a group of selected Orthopaedic surgeons to shortlist the top 5 finalists. All authors will be notified of the status of their paper.
5. All results are final; however, the scientific committee has the right to make the final decision in special circumstances.
6. The submitting authors of the top 5 finalist submissions must present an oral presentation of the paper during the MOA Annual Scientific Meeting. This consists of 6 minutes oral presentation, followed by 4 minutes of Q&A with the panel of judges.
7. Non-finalists may be offered a chance to present their work as a free paper oral presentation or poster presentation during the MOA Annual Scientific Meeting.

The Prize

- Grand Prize: **USD1,000.00**
- 1st Runner-Up: **USD500.00**
- 2nd Runner-Up: **USD300.00**

Application

Abstract submission can be done online at our website.The deadline for submission of abstract is **2359hrs, 16th March 2026**.

Please refer and adhere strictly to the **ABSTRACT SUBMISSION GUIDELINES** on page 18 for the accepted format of submission. The same submission format applies for those submitting for this award. Abstracts that do not adhere to the guideline will not be entertained.