



Instructions for Authors

We invite the authors to submit their contributions as

- **Full paper:** original contribution presented as a talk
- **Abstract:** research results presented as a talk
- **Poster:** research results presented as a poster (graphical presentation)
- **Panel:** forum for moderated analysis of an important issue or emerging trend
- **Workshop:** informative and interactive session which can include the demonstration of software or other material (non-commercial session)
- **Tutorial:** education session that introduces a specific topic and will take place on 2nd September 2018

All submissions can be made in German or in English.

Accepted full papers will be published either by

- IOS Press in their open access series “Studies in Health Technology and Informatics” and will be indexed in MEDLINE/PubMed, SciVerse Scopus, EMCare, Book Citation Index – Science and Thomson Reuters’ Conference Proceedings Citation Index or
- German Medical Science in the open access journal *GMS Medical Informatics, Biometry and Epidemiology (MIBE)*.

Accepted abstracts and posters will be made available via German Medical Science
<http://www.egms.de/dynamic/en/index.htm>.



Full paper

Full papers to be published in the indexed conference proceedings by **IOS Press** must be in English, do not exceed 5 pages and have to adhere to the IOS template and guidelines.

Please click the link below for detailed instructions

[IOS Word Instructions – PDF is attached](#)

Download the word template directly here:

[Word template with text](#)

Full papers to be published in German Medical Science journal **MIBE** are in German or in English, should be limited to 25.000 characters (including spaces, no special text formatting required) and have to be compliant to the guidelines, see <http://www.egms.de/static/en/journals/mibe/authors.htm>.

Full papers can be either structured according to the two schemes

- Introduction, Methods, Results, Discussion, Conclusion or
- Introduction, State of the Art, Concept, Implementation, Lessons Learned, Conclusion

Financial or other support is to be stated in the acknowledgments or conflict of interests section.

Please submit the full papers as WORD .doc or .docx files that include all figures, equations and tables.

Abstract, Poster, Workshop, Panel

These submissions must not exceed 500 words (references not included) and are inserted directly into the free text field of the submission form.

We welcome the submission of 90 or 180-minute **workshops** (half day or full day workshops). The description should include the aim and timeline of the workshop and refer to plans for a discussion or other interactive forms of collaborative working with the intended audience.



A **panel** is a 90-minute session during the main conference programme that focuses on a specific topic. The description of the panel should cover the topic, the titles of the brief presentations or position statements of typically 3-5 panelists and their names, followed by plans about structuring a discussion (about 30 minutes) with an active role for the audience.

Tutorial

Tutorials are submitted via the online registry. The description is inserted into the free text field in the submission form. The tutorial abstracts should outline the following: topic, audience, level and overview of the content.

If you have any questions about your submission please contact gmds2018@hs-osnabrueck.de.