

## LATE BREAKING ABSTRACT SUBMISSION CRITERIA

The late breaking abstract category allows authors the opportunity to submit novel research that was **not complete at the time of the standard submission deadline** of November 25, 2025.

**IMPORTANT:** This is not an extension of the standard abstract submission deadline or for investigators missing the standard submission deadline.

Only late breaking high-quality original studies with significant impact in the field of endoscopy will be considered.

Kindly be advised that the acceptance rate for late-breaking abstracts is low, given the limited space available in the program and the rigorous review process.

Case reports, literature reviews, retrospective studies, revisions to previously submitted abstracts and abstracts that have been or will be published (as a full article) or presented in any other scientific meeting prior to ESGE Days 2026 are ineligible and **will not be considered** as a late breaking abstract.

Upon submission, authors are required to summarise why their research results are novel and why they could not be submitted by the standard submission deadline.

### **All abstract rules apply to the Late Breaking Abstracts.**

Late breaking abstracts will also be considered for travel grants.

Late breaking abstracts will be reviewed by the ESGE Scientific Committee, and the final decision communicated to authors by mid-April.

Accepted abstracts will be presented orally during dedicated late breaking sessions. Therefore, authors are obliged to attend ESGE Days 2026 in person to present the abstract.

Should the Late Breaking Abstract not be selected for oral presentation the abstract will be considered for acceptance as an ePoster.

### Important dates

Event	Date
Late breaking submission opens	March 03, 2026
Late breaking submission closes	March 31, 2026
Withdrawal deadline	March 31, 2026
Decision sent to abstract submitters (accepted, rejected and grant winners)	April 15, 2026
ESGE Days 2026	May 13 - 16, 2026