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**VI INTERNATIONAL INTER-UNIVERSITY MEETIN
IN PHLEBOLOGY, LYMPHOLOGY AND AESTHETIC MEDICINE**
Albarella Island (Venice -ITALY), September 5-9, 2017

Abstract submission

*The **Venous World Interuniversity Network foundation** invites you to submit abstracts for consideration for oral and poster presentation at the **VI International Interuniversity Meeting in Phlebology, Lymphology and Aesthetic Medicine** (September 6-9, 2017; Albarella Island, Venice – ITALY)*

TOPICS:

- Venous physiology & pathophysiology
- Lymphatics physiology & pathophysiology
- Hemodynamics
- Diagnostics
- Venous and lymphatics therapy
- Sclerotherapy
- Phlebotonics
- Endovenous treatment
- Innovations
- Ulcer management
- Interdisciplinary management
- Public venous and lymphatic awareness projects
- Venous and lymphatics quality of life improvement projects
- Venous and lymphatics patients compliance improvement projects
- Aesthetic Medicine evidence based outcomes & innovations

RULES & REGULATION

All submitted abstracts will be peer reviewed by the meeting Scientific Committee.

Pertinent references must be reported both in the abstracts and in the eventual study presentation during the meeting.

Word count: 300 words in BACKGROUND, METHODS, RESULTS, DISCUSSION format.

Tables & figures equal to 25 words each. Figure legends are included in the word count.

Abstracts already presented and/or published elsewhere are accepted.

Abstracts submitted not following the above rules will be declined.



SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE INSTITUTIONS:

- University of California Davis (USA)
- University of Ferrara (ITALY)
- Universidad de Buenos Aires (ARGENTINA)
- UCES University (ARGENTINA)
- Harvard University (USA)
- University of Urbino (ITALY)
- Universidad el Bosque (COLOMBIA)
- Imperial College of London (UK)
- University of Bonn (Germany)
- University of Michigan (USA)
- Gujarat University (INDIA)
- University of New South Wales (AUSTRALIA)
- Tokyo's Women Medical University (JAPAN)

EVALUATION GRID:

The scientific committee will use the following grid and deliver a detailed score to all the abstract submitters.

During the meeting, the detailed score of the two best oral abstracts will be officially communicated to all the participants and posted online. For award details please see BENEFITS & AWARDS.

It's the hope of the meeting organization that, in this way, submitters are informed in advance regarding the evaluation system and that transparency is promoted.

	STUDY DESIGN & STATISTICAL ANALYSIS (0 to 10)*	PRESENTATION OF THE BACKGROUND, RESULTS AND DISCUSSION (0 to 10)	KNOWLEDGE IMPROVEMENT IN THE INVESTIGATED TOPIC (0 to 10)	CONTRIBUTION TO INNOVATION (0 to 10)	POTENTIAL IN TRIGGERING A DISCUSSION (0 to 10)	SPEAKER PERFORMANCE DURING THE PRESENTATION (0 to 10)	TOTAL
SPEAKER 1							
SPEAKER 2							
SPEAKER 3							
SPEAKER 4							
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**Abstract with score less than 6 for study design & statistical analysis won't be accepted.*

BENEFITS & AWARDS:

Selected oral presentations will receive free registration.

If the best oral abstract (highest scoring oral abstract) is presented at the meeting by a speaker 40 years and younger, he/she will be eligible for a flight stipend (\$1000 euros) and a free registration to one of the following annual meetings, based on the winner's choice:

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- 1) UIP 2018 (AUSTRALIA)
- 2) VII International Inter-university meeting (ARGENTINA)
- 3) American College of Phlebology (USA)
- 4) American Venous Forum (USA)
- 5) Forum Venoso Latino Americano (LATIN AMERICA)
- 6) European Venous Forum (EUROPE)
- 7) International Compression Club (FRANCE)
- 8) CICE (BRAZIL)
- 9) St Petersburg Venous Forum (RUSSIA)

PUBLICATION:

All the accepted abstracts will be published on the ***Vein Specialist Journal*** and on ***Vein Magazine***, previous verification of the copyright restriction of the eventually already published submitted material.

SUBMISSION:

Deadline: may 31st, 2017

Send a mail to: info@vwinfoundation.com including:

- Title
- Authors (underline the presenting author, who does not have to be the first author)
- Affiliation
- Structured abstract with references

The scientific committee will receive the abstract without authors and affiliation information.

The selection process will be communicated not later than June 15th 2017.

The winner will be selected after the committee evaluation of the speaker performance during the meeting. In order to receive the award the winner must attend the meeting dinner of September 8th.

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