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Who should attend?

All undergraduate students of medicine and allied subjects (like trainee nurses, technicians, technologists, optometrists, orthoptists etc) can attend. Postgraduate students, professionals and even non-medical students, interested in research may also attend it.

How the UMR conference is organized this year?

This year owing to pandemic and ensuring safety of the participants, we have arranged a virtual conference.

Who can participate in research verbal, poster & videography competitions?

Any undergraduate student can participate in these. Post graduate students can't participate in competitions; they can only attend the conference as observers.

What is the registration fee to attend the conference in any capacity?

This year there is no registration fee.

What is the official language?

English.

What is the abstract submission deadline?

8th March, 2021.

How can I register to participate in the poster, verbal or videography competitions?

You need to register yourself online. Please visit our website <https://prime.edu.pk/umr/>, go to "14th UMR Conference 2020-21" and follow the instructions.

I'm not presenting. Can I still attend the conference and will I need to register for it?

Yes, you may attend the Undergraduate Medical Research conference as an observer. Yes, you have to register online as an observer.

How can I register online as an observer?

For online registration please visit <https://prime.edu.pk/umr/>, go to "14th UMR Conference 2020-21" and follow the instructions.

How to register?

1. Go to <https://prime.edu.pk/umr/>

You will view the following:

14th UMR Conference 2020-21, click here, you will see:

Guidelines

[Abstract Submission](#)

[Verbal Competition](#)

[Poster Competition](#)

[Videography Competition](#)

Registration

Observer

[Register as Observer](#)

Participant

[Registration & Abstract Submission](#)

[Registration for Videography Competition](#)

[Registration for Workshop](#)

[Registration for Research Skills Stations](#)

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2. Click on the relevant option.

3. Fill in all the categories in the forms on the desired tab and your registration is complete.

I could not submit my abstract in time; will there be any relaxation of the deadline?

In such circumstances, contact us at umr.conference@gmail.com ASAP.

Can I present same research in both poster and verbal competition?

No you can't. However, you can present two different research studies separately in verbal and poster competitions.

I want to participate in research poster presentation competition, how can I do that?

First you have to register online. If your study is accepted for poster competition, by **20th March**, you will either send soft copy of your poster according to the guidelines to umr.conference@gmail.com for us to print or you can send your printed poster to Peshawar Medical College via post if you wish. Your poster will be displayed on the days of conference to the judges for judgment at Peshawar Medical College. You yourself will not be physically present at the venue to present it.

I want to participate in research verbal presentation competition, how can I do that?

Register online first. If your study is accepted for research verbal presentation competition, by 20th March you should send your final PowerPoint presentation according to the guidelines to umr.conference@gmail.com. You will be presenting your study online to the panel of judges on the day of conference. Our team will share with you the relevant details from time to time. Make sure that you follow any given instructions.

What award/prize will be given to the position holders of competitions?

The position holders of different competitions will be awarded certificates, shields, & cash prizes. All these will be sent to them via post.

I am attending only, not presenting. Will I still get a certificate?

Yes, all observers (passive participants) will be awarded a certificate of attendance. The certificates will be sent to them via email this year.

My co- investigators are from different institutes, are we still eligible to send our abstract?

Yes. You are still eligible to submit your research abstract. However, all researchers must be undergraduates.

What are the different areas included for consideration of abstracts for the conference?

We will consider abstracts covering any of the following areas/fields for the conference:

1. Medicine & allied
 2. Surgery & allied
 3. Public Health
 4. Social Sciences
 5. Medical Education
 6. Basic Sciences
 7. Dental Sciences and allied
 8. Medical Therapeutics
 9. Mother and Child Health/ Obstetrics & Gynecology
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What are the categories for research poster and verbal presentation competitions?

Both for poster & verbal research presentation competitions, there are three categories:

1. Basic & Clinical Sciences
 2. Public health & Social Sciences
 3. Medical Education
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Whom should I contact if I have any further queries?

For any queries contact our team at umr.conference@gmail.com
