

# 2024 GLOBAL EDUCATION CONFERENCE - CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

## Overview

In the context of the 2024 Global Education Conference, WADA is inviting short abstract submissions for its poster sessions related to social science research in the clean sport/anti-doping area. These poster sessions are scheduled to take place on 28 and 29 February, [during coffee and lunch breaks](#) on each day.

Posters will be presented in digital format at the conference venue, being displayed on a rotating basis during the conference. Presenters will be assigned timeslots to present their posters to conference participants during the intermissions.

## Who should submit an abstract?

- Sports Educators
- Social Science Researchers
- PhD candidates in clean sport/anti-doping and sport integrity
- Education managers at Anti-Doping Organizations

If the poster sessions are oversubscribed, preference will be given to WADA funded research projects, research projects conducted by or funded by signatories of the World Anti-Doping Code and previously peer-reviewed publications.

## Conference Theme & objectives

Cultivating our collective creativity

Objectives:

- To introduce innovative problem-solving strategies that will help in the development of education programs.
- To enhance participants' abilities to plan, implement, monitor, and evaluate their education programs.
- To provide opportunities for participants to explore current topics in anti-doping as well as the latest findings in social science research.
- To provide meaningful networking and collaboration opportunities for participants.
- To collect feedback about the International Standard for Education (ISE) from stakeholders.
- To provide a hands-on environment where participants can learn by doing.

For more information on the WADA Global Education Conference please visit the conference [website](#)

## Content Guidelines

**Format** The abstract must present a clear and concise summary of the work in the following format:

- an introduction that provides background information,



- a statement of the purpose and objectives of the study,
- the methods/approach used,
- results obtained and
- a conclusion and recommendation for action.

DO NOT include instructions, historical data, literature reviews or bibliographies.

**Length** Abstract summary may be a maximum of 1,000 words in length, including any tables and graphics.

**Proofreading** Abstracts WILL NOT be edited by WADA staff. Typographical and grammatical errors will appear as submitted.

**Author** The submitting author MUST be the presenter.

**Biography of Presenting author** A short biography of the presenter is required (500-character limit, including spaces). This will only be used for application purposes and will not be published.

**Co-authors** A full list of all authors/co-authors is required and should include for each:

- Full name;
- Title;
- Organization/University;
- Email

**Presenter Objectives** Write objectives that specify learner outcomes. The level of the presentation must correspond with the appropriate competencies.

**Keywords** (required to choose up to 3): Be sure your choice(s) are reflected in your abstract summary/description.

### **Submitting an abstract**

Go to the social science research section of [WADA Grants](#) – click on “2024 GLOBAL EDUCATION CONFERENCE – CALL FOR ABSTRACTS”

### **Deadline for Submissions**

11 DECEMBER 2023 – 12 NOON (GMT)

### **Criteria for Judging Abstract Submissions**

Abstract submissions will be divided into sub-themes and reviewed by 3 reviewers based on the following criteria:

1. Relationship to conference theme: Does the abstract relate to the theme and the chosen subtheme?
2. Objectives: Are the learning objectives clearly stated, measurable, and observable (aka SMART Objectives)?
3. Sound conceptual framework: Does the abstract include a clearly stated background/rationale for its objectives?
4. Methodology: Is the purpose clearly and concisely described? Is the methodology or practice description clearly stated and appropriate for the research or practice?

5. Usefulness/Innovative: Does the abstract represent usefulness and/or innovation to the field of sports education?

6. Clarity of content: Is the abstract well-written? Does it clearly outline what the presentation is about? Is it presented in an organized and structured manner?

### **Notification and Communication**

Confirmation emails will be sent to the Submitting Author upon submission of the abstract.

Submitting authors can expect to receive an email notification as to whether their abstract was accepted or declined, on or before 19 December 2023.

Note that accepted abstract presenters must cover their own travel, ground transfers, hotel accommodation and miscellaneous expenses.

Final schedule and format of poster presentations will be sent out to each presenter closer to the Conference.

**For more information:**

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