Video Abstracts—General Information

- Videos that highlight unusual or challenging cases and those demonstrating novel techniques in the field of gastrointestinal endoscopy will be considered for oral presentation.
- Video submissions should focus on enhancing physician education and not patient education.
- Videos must be submitted online. No physical media will be returned to the submitter.
- No changes to the video (image or audio) can be made after the submission deadline and/or after the video has been accepted for oral or poster presentation.
- All abstracts submitted for presentation at ACG 2018 are subject to a blinded, peer-review process. In addition, abstracts submitted for the Annual Endoscopy Video Forum will be evaluated for content and audiovisual quality.
- Some videos may be selected for poster presentation. In addition to the author displaying a printed poster about the video, video abstracts selected for poster presentation may also be viewed on a monitor in the poster area.

Video Production Requirements

- Abstracts will not be considered if they have been previously submitted to AASLD or DDW, however, abstracts submitted or presented at local gut clubs or state society meetings may be submitted, as may any work that will not be published in a peer-reviewed journal before the ACG meeting.
- Videos must be HIPAA compliant (Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996) and therefore cannot contain any patient identification information, physician names, medical record numbers, etc. (Visit: hhs.gov/hipaa for more information.)
- Per ACG and ACCME guidelines, no video may contain any advertising, corporate logo, trade name, or product-group message of an ACCME-defined commercial interest*. Commercial support for the production of the video may be acknowledged with a single sentence recognizing the company and/or organization providing the support.
- The video may not contain any copyrighted information (images, videos, photos, etc.) without written consent from the original source of the copyrighted work. Please email education@gi.org for more information if any portion of your video is not the original work of the authors.
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- In accordance with ACG and ACCME guidelines, the presenting author may not be an employee of a commercial interest* (applies to abstracts accepted for oral presentation only, not to poster presentations).

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Oral Presentation at the 6th Annual Endoscopy Video Forum

- Presenting authors MUST register for the ACG 2018 Annual Scientific Meeting and attend the symposium in Philadelphia. Failure to meet this obligation may result in the author being banned from future abstract submissions.
- Videos that are selected for oral presentation must be narrated by an author who speaks and understands English well enough to ensure satisfactory understanding by the audience. The audio portion will not be played during the presentation to the audience.
- Presenting authors will have 5 minutes to present their video. Up to 2 minutes of additional time will be provided for Q & A with the judges as well as the audience.
- After all videos have been presented, the judges and the audience will vote to select the best video, and the presenter of the winning video will receive a certificate of recognition.
- All videos selected for presentation during the 6th Annual Endoscopy Video Forum may also be posted on the ACG Education Universe website following the meeting.

Complete submission instructions are available on the abstract submission site, conferenceabstracts.com/acg2018.html.

Abstract submission period: Monday, March 26, 2018 to Monday, June 25, 2018, at 11:59pm (EDT).