

# ACG'S 9<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL ENDOSCOPY VIDEO FORUM

Share your unique case or case series with colleagues by submitting a video abstract to the 9th Annual Endoscopy Video Forum at the ACG 2021 Annual Meeting in Las Vegas.



Held on Monday afternoon, October 25, 2021, this 75-minute session will focus on endoscopy techniques, challenging, unusual or unique cases, and cases in the area of GI endoscopy. All submitted videos will be considered for oral presentation during this special video symposium.

**Submissions should be a case or a case series and should be no longer than 5 minutes in length and must also include a written abstract describing the video content.** Authors of videos accepted for this session will narrate and present their video live and will have up to 2 minutes to answer questions from the judges and the audience. The audience, along with the judges, will vote to select the best video of the ACG 2021 Annual Meeting. The presenter of the winning video will receive a certificate of recognition.

Authors of videos that are accepted but not selected for oral presentation during the session will be invited to present a poster in the exhibit hall. The poster should be based on the video and the narrative abstract originally submitted to ACG. Authors are required to stand with their poster during

the designated 75-minute period on the day of display, in order to talk about their work and answer any questions of the attendees viewing the posters. All poster authors will also be considered for recognition as Outstanding Poster Presenters (see Abstract Awards for details).

All videos accepted to the meeting, either for the oral session or poster presentation, will be played in the exhibit hall on a monitor located near either the poster area or the hands-on endoscopy area, depending on available space at each year's meeting.

In addition to the requirements listed here, video abstracts must also meet all of the general abstracts submission requirements such as payment requirements and submission deadline, conflict of interest disclosures, abstract publication, and acceptance notification.

Complete instructions are available on the abstract submission site, [conferenceabstracts.com/acg2021.html](https://conferenceabstracts.com/acg2021.html)  
2021 abstract submission period: March 15 - June 21, 2021

## 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 accepted or 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 2021 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 File Requirements

- **Videos must not be longer than 5 minutes.**
- **Audio narration in English must be included** in the production for review purposes. (If accepted for oral presentation, the presenting author will be required to provide narration, as the audio portion will not be played during the presentation.)
- **Videos may not contain background music** during the narrative or the endoscopic video footage.
- **Only video files submitted in .mov or .mp4 formats will be reviewed for consideration.** Only freely available players (e.g., QuickTime, Real Player, Microsoft Windows Media Player, MPlayer) should be required for viewing the video.

- **File size may not exceed 500 MB.**
- **Videos should not use special codecs** (coders/decoders) in order to provide as much portability across platforms as possible.

## Video Production Requirements

- **Abstracts will not be considered if they have been accepted and presented in any format at any U.S.-based national, educational meeting before the ACG meeting. This includes AASLD and DDW.** Abstracts submitted or presented at local gut clubs or state society meetings may be submitted, as may any work that will not be published and indexed in a peer-reviewed journal before the ACG meeting (i.e., before Friday, October 22, 2021).
- **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](https://www.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](mailto:education@gi.org) for more information if any portion of your video is not the original work of the authors.
- **Copyright must be assigned to the ACG** by all authors.
- **Disclosures/Conflict of Interest (COI):** Authors must complete the online COI disclosure forms, indicating details of support any authors may have received or affiliations any authors may have with a commercial interest\*. Disclosure information is required for each author (the submitting

author may provide disclosure information on behalf of the co-authors, or individual authors may provide their own disclosure information). Refusal to disclose relevant financial relationships for any author(s) will result in disqualification of the author(s) from participation in this activity.

- **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).

*\*The ACCME defines a "commercial interest" as any entity producing, marketing, re-selling, or distributing health care goods or services, consumed by, or used on, patients. The ACCME does not consider providers of clinical service directly to patients to be commercial interests.*

## Oral Presentation at the 9th Annual Endoscopy Video Forum

- **Presenting authors MUST register for the ACG 2021 Annual Scientific Meeting** and attend the symposium in Las Vegas. 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.
- **Videos selected for presentation** during the 9th Annual Endoscopy Video Forum may also be posted on the ACG Education Universe website following the meeting.