



Resident and Fellow Research Abstract Scholarship Competition

Submission Guidelines

Resident and fellow participation in ASAP (**Advanced Shoulder Arthroplasty**) is critical to the long-term success of advancing the goals of the ASAP meeting. To further our mission, ASAP is sponsoring a research abstract scholarship competition for the 2026 ASAP meeting. All current orthopaedic residents and fellows are eligible for submission. Only one submission per resident or fellow will be allowed as the lead author and only the lead author will be eligible for the scholarship. The topic of the research should be primary or revision anatomic or reverse total shoulder arthroplasty. Both clinical and basic science abstracts will be considered.

The top 50 accepted abstracts will be awarded a scholarship to the meeting that will cover meeting registration costs (\$850 value). A special registration link will be emailed to those with selected abstracts where you will be able to register for the meeting at the waived cost.

Additionally, **the top abstract out of the selected 50** will also be awarded **The Robert T. Burks, MD ASAP Research Scholarship** which will cover meeting registration, lodging costs, and flight reimbursement for travel to the conference (Coach/Main Cabin).

All selected abstracts will be recognized during the meeting and will be displayed as a poster in the conference lobby area. **It is expected if you submit an abstract, you will be present at the meeting.**

ABSTRACT GUIDELINES

- There is no maximum word count, however submission is limited to a single page of text.
- Font: Standard Times New Roman, type size 10pt (minimum).
- Abstract should be single spaced.
- Should include: Title, Authors, Institution, Introduction, Material & Methods, Results, Discussion and Disclosures.
- May provide up to three references. These must be included within the single page submission.
- May provide up to two figures. These may be submitted as one additional page if necessary.
- At the bottom of each abstract, a disclosure section must be included that lists the financial relationships of each author. Disclosures should include:
 - Financial relationships in any amount,
 - Including financial relationships of their spouse or partner,
 - Within the 12 months prior to the educational activity,
 - With an ACCME-defined commercial interest (A commercial interest is any entity producing, marketing, re-selling, or distributing health care goods or services consumed by, or used on patients), and
 - That relate to the content of the educational activity.
- Abstracts are to be uploaded on the ASAP Meeting website page using the Resident and Fellow Research Abstract Submission link. All abstracts should be in a Word or PDF Document.

Deadline for submission is November 17, 2025.
Scholarship winners will be notified via email by December 8, 2025.