

MoReMED Student Congress

10th Edition

April 10-11, 2025

REGULATIONS

1. Purpose of the Project

The "MoReMED Student Congress" aims to provide medical and healthcare students with the opportunity to become peer educators rather than mere recipients of scientific research. The congress experience allows students to expand the educational offer beyond the standard curriculum of the Degree Course in Medicine and Surgery. The project's goal is to foster students' education and interest in specific extracurricular fields and to encourage the development of skills in autonomous research of scientific sources, teamwork, and effective communication of scientifically accurate and verified information.

1.1 Event Format for the 10th Edition

The 10th Edition of the MoReMED Student Congress will be held in person.

2. Active Participants – STUDENT PRESENTERS

"Active Participants" or "Student Presenters" are students who apply to present a paper as part of one of the 26 available "Student Presentation" slots.

2.1 Who Can Apply?

Students from across the country belonging to the following categories may apply as presenters:

- Students officially enrolled in the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th years of the Degree Course in Medicine and Surgery
- Students officially enrolled in the 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th years of the Degree Course in Dentistry and Dental Prosthetics
- Students officially enrolled in the 3rd year of any Healthcare-related Bachelor's Degree
- Students officially enrolled in the 3rd, 4th, and 5th years of the Master's Degree Courses in Pharmacy and CTF
- Students officially enrolled in the following Master's Degree Courses in Biology:
 - Applied to health and nutrition
 - Applied to biomedical research
 - Biomedical applications
 - Biometodologies

- Biotechnologies applied to biomedical research
- Medical and pharmaceutical biotechnologies
- Cellular and molecular biology
- Genetics
- Functional genomics
- Neurobiology
- Neuropsychobiology
- Neuroscience
- Health biology
- Biological sciences
- Applied biological sciences
- Biological and health sciences
- Applied biomolecular sciences
- Biomolecular and cellular sciences
- Biological monitoring sciences and technologies
- Experimental and applied biology
- Recent graduates in Medicine and Surgery or in any Healthcare-related Bachelor's Degree who graduated during the academic year preceding the Congress

To promote greater inclusion, applications from students enrolled in Medicine and Surgery at non-Italian universities may also be accepted.

2.2 How to Apply?

Applications may be submitted individually or in groups of up to 3 members. Each person may be part of only one group, and each group may submit only one paper. Applications that do not comply with these requirements will be disqualified.

2.3 What Kind of Papers Are Required?

Considering the goal of expanding the educational offer beyond the standard curriculum, students in Medicine and Surgery must present topics that are either extracurricular or advanced insights into curricular topics.

Students in Dentistry, Healthcare-related Bachelor's Degrees, Biology, Medical Biotechnologies, and Pharmacy & CTF must present topics related to the medical field.

2.4 What Types of Papers Can Be Presented?

Two types of papers are accepted:

- **Original Article:** A recently published or unpublished article presenting the results of a study conducted by a supervising doctor/professor, in which the student participated or had access to data.

- **Review Article:** A critical review of the scientific literature on a specific topic.

Each category will have separate registration, evaluation, ranking, and available slots. During registration (via the official website www.moremed.unimore.it), applicants must select the type of paper.

If a mismatch between the selected category and the submitted work is found, organizers will inform applicants to allow reassignment.

2.5 Application Process

The application form must include:

- Personal details of all group members
- The supervising doctor/professor
- The abstract of the paper

The abstract must not exceed 3,000 characters (including spaces) and must be accompanied by a concise bibliography with a maximum of 3 key references (not included in the character count). Abstracts must be submitted in either Italian or English.

To help you draft the abstract, we recommend consulting the short guide "How to write an abstract for the MoReMED Congress", available on our website.

2.6 Selection Process

A **Selection Committee**, composed of professors from the University of Modena and Reggio Emilia, will evaluate the abstracts based on:

- Scientific approach
- Expansion of the educational offer
- Relevance to the project's goals

For **Original Articles**, preference will be given to papers in advanced stages of research. Priority will also be given to students over recent graduates. The selection committee will assess submissions anonymously.

2.7 Selection Outcome

The Congress will feature 24 presentation slots:

- **14 in Plenary Session**
- **10 in Poster Session**

The **14 top-ranked papers** will be presented in the **Plenary Session**. The next **10 papers** will be presented as **Posters** in a dedicated session.

2.8 Deadlines

Registration for applications for Active Participants will open on **Monday 4 November 2024**, at 00.00, and will close on **Wednesday 12 February 2025**, at 23.59.

The rankings will be communicated no later than **Monday 10 March 2025**.

The students and groups selected for the Plenary Session will have to send the final Power-Point file of their presentation to the email moremed@unimore.it. Students and groups selected for the Poster Session must send the final Poster (in .pdf or .jpg format) to the email moremed@unimore.it.

All the above material must be sent no later than **Monday 7 April 2025**.

The students selected for the Poster Session are responsible for printing the paper in paper form. It must be delivered to the Organizing Committee on the same day as the exhibition at the Congress.

2.9 Presentation Guidelines

The students' presentation in the Plenary Session will take place in person on **Thursday 10 and Friday 11 April 2025**, at the Teaching Services Center of the UNIMORE Faculty of Medicine and Surgery. Each student, or each group of students, will have a maximum of 12 minutes available to present their paper, followed by a maximum of 3 minutes of discussion. Compliance with the times provided is mandatory, under penalty of interruption of the exhibition in progress.

The Poster Session will take place in person, at the “**Centro Servizi**” of the **UNIMORE Faculty of Medicine and Surgery**, Via Largo del Pozzo 41, Modena (MO)

Please note that the event will be broadcast live on the YouTube channel of the MoReMED Student Congress and that the Abstracts and Posters of the Student Exhibitors will subsequently be published on the Congress website

2.10 Language

All abstracts, PowerPoint presentations, posters, and oral presentations can be in **Italian or English**.

2.11 Awards

In the Plenary Session, the works will have their own Evaluation Committees, which will judge the works on the basis of various parameters: expository correctness, communicative effectiveness, rigor of the exposition and quality of the Power-Point

presentation. For further information we recommend reading "Student Exhibitor Evaluation Criteria - Plenary Session".

In the Poster Session, a special Evaluation Committee will judge the works on the basis of the following parameters: correctness of presentation, effective communication and quality of the poster. For further information we recommend reading "Student Exhibitor Evaluation Criteria - Poster Session".

The awards will take place at the end of the second Congress Day and will be divided by type of work: the best works between the Plenary Session and the Poster Session will be awarded.

2.12 Academic Credits

- **Medicine and Surgery UNIMORE students:** 1 ADE Credit for accepted presentations
- **Other students:** Subject to agreement with their respective Course Presidents

3. Passive Participants – STUDENT AUDIENCE

Any interested student may attend as a spectator, with registration required via the official website. Participation is **free of charge**.

Academic credits for attendance vary by enrollment year.

3.1 Who can participate?

The “MoReMED Student Congress” is open to anyone who wishes to take part, after registering in the appropriate section of the official website; however, it is preferentially aimed at students enrolled in degree courses in Medicine and Surgery, Dentistry and Dental Prosthetics, Bachelor's Degrees in Healthcare, Biological Sciences, Biotechnology, Pharmacy and CTF and related Master's Degree Courses.

3.2 How do I register?

Registrations will open on Monday 24 March 2025 and will take place exclusively electronically using the appropriate form on the official website.

3.3 Registration costs?

Participation in the “MoReMED Student Congress” is completely free.

3.4 Credits

For UNIMORE Medicine and Surgery students enrolled before the academic year.
2019/2020 0.25 ADE Credits are foreseen for participation as "Student Spectators"
for each half day of the conference.

For UNIMORE Medicine and Surgery students enrolled in the academic year.
2020/2021 0.2 ADE Credits are foreseen for participation as "Student Spectators"
for each half day of the conference.

For students of other UNIMORE degree courses or from other universities,
everything is postponed to the individual initiative of agreement with the presidents
of the respective degrees.

4. Communication

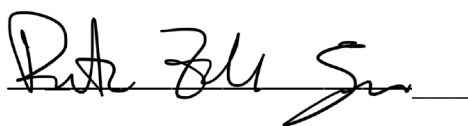
For any inquiries:

- **General Info & Press Office:** info.moremed@unimore.it
- **Sponsorships:** sponsor.moremed@unimore.it
- **Organizational Matters:** moremed@unimore.it

Any modifications to the regulations will be promptly communicated by the organizers.

Modena (MO), lì __28/10/2024__

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