

# SASBCP 2026 – FIRST CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

University of the Free State | Bloemfontein, South Africa  
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## Conference Theme

Inclusivity, Innovation, and Internationalisation for Integrative Medicine: Pharmacology at the Forefront

## Call for Abstracts

The South African Society for Basic and Clinical Pharmacology (SASBCP) invites researchers, clinicians, entrepreneurs, policy makers, regulators, scientists, and postgraduate students to submit abstracts for presentation at the SASBCP 2026 Conference, hosted by the University of the Free State.

## Key Dates

- First Call for Abstracts Opens: 01 March 2026
- Abstract Submission Deadline: 07 August 2026
- Notification of Outcomes: Dates to be communicated

## Areas of Interest

Abstracts are welcome in all areas of pharmacology, including but not limited to:

- Digital therapeutics & Clinical Pharmacology
- Basic Pharmacology & Drug Discovery
- Toxicology & Drug Safety
- Pharmacovigilance & Predictive Analytics
- Ethics and Regulatory Pharmacology
- Regenerative Pharmacology
- Pharmacogenomics & Precision Medicine
- Infectious Diseases Pharmacology (HIV, TB, malaria etc)
- Chronic Diseases & Non-Communicable Diseases Pharmacology
- Education & Training in Pharmacology
- Traditional and Indigenous Medicines (TCIM Traditional Complementary and Integrative Medicine)
- Translational / Bench-to-Bedside Pharmacology
- Pharmacology Method Development & Computational Modelling (in vitro, in silico, analytical)

Abstracts outside these themes will still be considered if aligned with the mission of SASBCP.

## Why Participate?

- ✓ Engage with national and international experts
- ✓ Showcase innovative pharmacology research
- ✓ Contribute to inclusive and integrative medicine discourse
- ✓ Network across basic, clinical, R&D, manufacturing and translational domains

## Abstract submission guidelines

- Abstracts must be written in English
- Maximum 300 words (excluding title and author details)
- Structured format:
  - Background
  - Aims / Objectives
  - Methods
  - Results
  - Conclusion
  - References
- Include 3–6 keywords
- Submission details/link will be communicated separately

## Review and Presentation

- All abstracts will undergo peer review by the Scientific Review Committee.
- Accepted abstracts will be allocated to:
  - Oral presentations, or
  - Poster presentations, based on scientific merit and thematic fit.

## Further Information

Kindly submit your abstract to [SASBCP26Abstra@ufs.ac.za](mailto:SASBCP26Abstra@ufs.ac.za)

Details regarding presentation guidelines and registration will follow in subsequent communications.

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