

April 24 – 26, 2025 | Sheraton Toronto, Toronto, Canada

ANNOUNCEMENT

Call for Proposals

Dear Colleagues

We are delighted to announce the 2025 Annual Meeting of the Society of Biological Psychiatry (SOBP) taking place on April 24 – 26, 2025 at the Sheraton Toronto, in Toronto, Canada. The meeting will offer a dynamic platform for sharing groundbreaking research, fostering collaborations, and advancing the field of biological psychiatry.

The theme of the 2025 meeting is "Artificial Intelligence and Mental Health: A New Landscape for Research and Practice" highlighting both the challenges and the transformative potential of AI in understanding brain function and in diagnosing and treating psychiatric conditions.

We invite you to submit proposals for the upcoming Annual Meeting of the Society of Biological Psychiatry (SOBP). This prestigious event, set to take place from April 24 to 26, 2025 at Sheraton Toronto, in Toronto, Canada, is an unparalleled opportunity to share your groundbreaking research, innovative ideas, and clinical advancements in the field of psychiatric neuroscience.

We welcome proposals that cover a broad spectrum of topics, including but not limited to:

- Artificial Intelligence and Mental Health: Exploring AI applications in diagnosing, treating, and understanding mental health conditions.
- Neurobiology of Psychiatric Disorders: Advancing our understanding of the biological underpinnings of psychiatric conditions.
- Innovative Therapies and Interventions: Presenting new treatments and strategies for mental health care.
- Diversity and Inclusion in Research: Addressing understudied factors and treatment gaps in marginalized populations.

We particularly encourage submissions from diverse groups of scientists and clinicians, including early-career researchers and those from underrepresented backgrounds in science and technology. <u>Click here</u> to see a list of primary, secondary and research type submission categories.

The submission guidelines are available below. Please read these very carefully before submitting a proposal. As a reminder,

- Symposia must include 1 chair who will present a 10-minute introduction to outline the goal of the session and 4 presenters who will have 25 minutes each, including a 20-minute presentation and a 5-minute discussion period.
- A co-chair is optional.
- All participants in a session must commit to registering for the meeting and to be available for all meeting days.
- No person can serve in more than 2 symposia sessions, regardless of their role in the session.
- Submissions that do not adhere to guidelines will not be reviewed.

Symposium Submission Guidelines

Oral/Poster Submission Guidelines

All submissions must be submitted through the online submission system. Please <u>click here</u> to access the submission system. If you require any specific information, please contact SOBP at <u>sobp@sobp.org</u> or (615) 432-0096.

DEADLINES*	
*ALL DEADLINES 5:00 P.M. CENTRAL	
Panel	Oral/Poster
Chairs to Begin Proposal & Add Presenters	
DEADLINE: Friday, September 20th	
Submission of Individual Presenter Abstracts DEADLINE: Thursday, September 26th	DEADLINE: Friday, November 22nd
Chairs Review, Provide Overall Abstract & Finalize Proposed Sessions DEADLINE: Friday, September 27th	

We look forward to your contributions and to welcoming you to an event that promises to inspire, inform, and connect our community.

Warm regards

Sophia Frangou, MD, PhD, President

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