

# 2026 Flux Poster Submission Guidelines

The Society for Developmental Cognitive Neuroscience

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## How to Submit

You do not have to be a member of Flux to submit a poster, but if accepted, you will be required to become a member. You may opt to submit a Poster only, or a Poster and a 5-minute Flash Talk. Flash Talk presenters will also present their posters at the Flux Congress. All abstracts will be blindly reviewed.

## Poster Abstract Submission Deadlines

**Abstract submission open - Wednesday, January 14, 2026**

**Abstract submission close - Tuesday, April 1, 2026**

**IMPORTANT:** Confirmations of accepted abstracts will be issued late-April.

## Poster Types

- **Standard submission:** A standard abstract is for data analysis that has already been completed for the study. The abstract should state the study's objective, briefly describe the methods used, summarize the results obtained, and state the conclusions. Abstracts should emphasize the significance of results and general principles rather than describe common methods and procedures.
- **Proposed Analysis submission:** Abstract for study that you plan to conduct (or have collected already, but not analyzed), and may or may not have pre-registered your hypothesis & data analysis plan. The data analysis should be completed before the Congress to include the results and conclusion in the presentation.
- **Data Analysis Plan:** This abstract is similar to the proposed analysis, but you are not required to have completed data collections or analysis before the Congress.

## Submission Guidelines

- Select a category that most closely aligns with your abstract.
- Enter your contact name, affiliation/institution name and email address. Submitters will be the main contact for all correspondence.
- Enter all co-authors in the order they should appear in the program. Please note - author names and affiliations will appear in the program EXACTLY as they are entered into the submission form.
- Prepare an abstract title (255 characters including spaces maximum).
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- By submitting an abstract, you agree to present at the Congress, should your abstract be selected for the program.
- You may submit multiple poster abstract, but can only be first author on one poster.
- Abstracts should not report findings published elsewhere prior to the meeting, although presentation of the work at a recent meeting (e.g., within a year) of another society is acceptable.
- If submitted a proposed analysis poster, be clear as to what is complete, what is in progress and will be complete by Flux, and what is planned.

## Submission Categories

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| • Attention            | • Education                 | • Mechanisms (hormones, neurotransmitter, physiology) |
| • Brain connectivity   | • Environment (stress, SES) | • Memory  |
| • Brain function       | • Executive functioning     | • Networks  |
| • Brain structure      | • Language                  | • Rewards/Motivation                                  |
| • Clinical populations | • Learning                  | • Socioemotional processing                           |