
RAISING THE BAR



HASANZ CONFERENCE 2018
5-7 SEPTEMBER, TE PAPA, WELLINGTON

HASANZ
HEALTH & SAFETY ASSOCIATION NZ

Call for papers

HASANZ welcomes abstracts for its 2018 conference. We are seeking presentations that will raise the bar for professional standards for workplace health and safety professionals and raise the standard of workplace health and safety advice in New Zealand.

Presentations will be given at the concurrent sessions in our conference programme on the morning and afternoon of Thursday 6 and Friday 7 September. Each session is comprised of three streams: **Culture, Capability** and **Collaboration**. Papers should relate to one of these streams and to our conference theme, **Raising the Bar**.

We are seeking compelling, informative, future focused presentations that will build professional capability. We are interested in presentations that push our thinking above and beyond the ordinary. These may include case studies, innovative practice examples, research based presentations or technical and academic papers across all areas of workplace health and safety.

Submission of abstracts

Abstracts are to be no more than 300 words (2100 characters) and should meet the selection criteria.

Selection criteria

- » Relevance to conference theme
- » Originality
- » Currency
- » Interest
- » Fit with proposed stream: Culture/Capability/ Collaboration

Papers should contribute to the improvement of workplace health and safety in New Zealand.

Please **CLICK HERE** to submit your abstract.

The online submission form will request the following information: contact details for the principal presenter and co-presenters, co-authors, presenter profiles and conference theme and stream association. Abstracts should include target audience, aims, methods, results, conclusion (where appropriate) and learning objectives.

Important dates

TIMELINE	DATE
Registration opens	Monday 9 April
Abstract submission deadline	Friday 4 May
Accepted presenters notified	Tuesday 5 June
Full papers submitted for peer review (by request)	Friday 29 June
All other full papers due	Tuesday 31 July
Presenter registration deadline	Tuesday 31 July



Presentation format

Presenters will be allocated 40 minutes – a maximum 35 minutes for the presentation and 5 minutes for questions.

They will have access to a data projector, laptop, screen and sound system.

Abstract review

Abstracts will be evaluated by the HASANZ Conference Committee against the selection criteria. Accepted presenters will have the opportunity to have their full paper peer reviewed and published on the HASANZ website following the conclusion of the conference. Please advise us on the submission form if you wish your paper to be peer reviewed.

Presenters' registration

If your submission is accepted for presentation, you must register for the conference. Principal presenters can register at the discounted early rate until 31 July. Registrations open on 9 April.

Terms and conditions

On acceptance, presenters are expected to register and pay. A discounted registration is available to all presenters – one day or full conference options are offered. Registrations open 9 April. The deadline for presenter registrations is 31 July 2018.

All abstracts must be original work. The author is responsible for the accuracy of the abstract. All submissions must be completed electronically via the online submission form.

Further information

For further information about the conference, please check out the HASANZ CONFERENCE 2018 website.

Please direct any questions about abstract submission or the conference to:

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