



How to Use the Online Abstract Submission System

Important Information

- Abstracts are submitted via an online submission system. Register with the [abstract submission website](#) and establish your user name and password.
- If you are submitting more than one abstract you **must** use the same login for each paper.
- Please note that at least one author **must** register in full to attend and present the paper at the Congress and that an author **must not** present more than two presentations (either oral or poster).
- You can alter your paper at any time up to the submission deadline of **1st June 2017**.
- Abstracts will be reviewed and any abstract that was submitted for oral presentation, but was unsuccessful in that regard, will be considered for poster presentation.
- The maximum length of an abstract is **300 words**.
- Do not include author names in the title or body of your abstract – these are entered online during the submission process.

1. The Submission Process

Submitting an abstract is a 3-step process.

Step 1: Register on the abstract submission system

For 47th WEFTA we are using a dedicated website for abstract submission. You must first register on the abstract submission system at <https://app.oxfordabstracts.com/events/69/submission>

Welcome.

You will need to login / register first

Sign in here to manage your account or [Register a New Account](#)

Email address

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The first time you see this screen, you must register a new account, entering your name and e-mail address. You will also be asked to supply a password for the system.

You only need to register once - each subsequent time that you visit this page, you will log in with your e-mail and chosen password.

This information will be used by the event organiser to communicate with you about matters relating to the event. By clicking "Submit", you agree to our [terms of service](#) and [privacy policy](#).



Step 2: Submit your abstract

- Log in to the submission system when you have prepared your abstract - enter your email address and the password you chose when you registered.
- Submitting an abstract requires that you complete a questionnaire for each abstract. Some questions are mandatory (marked with an asterisk) and you will not be able to complete your submission until these questions have been answered. You will be required to provide the **names and affiliations of all authors, confirmation that all authors have approved the submission and details of your research area**. You will also be able to indicate your preferred mode of presentation.



47th West European Fish Technologists' Association

Welcome to the abstract submission website for the 47th Conference of the West European Fish Technologists' Association. Detailed instructions on how to submit are available on the conference website. Submissions can be made until 1st June 2017. We look forward to receiving your abstract. With best wishes, John Fagan, Chair of Scientific Committee, 47th WEFTA.

* - indicates field is mandatory

Title *

Enter the FULL TITLE of your submission. This will be used for printing in the final programme.

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Title of abstract - 20 words maximum

Please enter the title of your abstract (**maximum length of 20 words**) – do NOT include author names or affiliations in the title.

Abstract *

Please enter an abstract of your paper (max 300 words).

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It is our great pleasure to invite you to take part in the 47th West European Fish Technologists Association ([WEFTA](#)) Conference taking place in Dublin, Ireland from the 9 - 12 October 2017.

The theme for this year's conference is "**Innovative Technologies for Healthy and Sustainable Seafood production**" with international experts across every field of seafood R&D providing in-depth insights across all fish, shellfish and seaweed species.

Bord Iascaigh Mhara ([BIM](#)) works closely with the Irish seafood sector to add further value to processing, aquaculture and fisheries companies and individuals with a key role of ensuring our clients have access to the best-in-class innovative technologies and knowledge-base internationally. The scientific content at WEFTA is of direct relevance to the Irish seafood sector and the Irish research base and presents opportunities to learn from the leaders in seafood R&D and to integrate knowledge

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Word Limit: 300

Please enter the abstract of your paper, (**maximum length of 300 words**) – do NOT include any author names or affiliations as these are added at a later point.

Author Approval *

I confirm that this submission has been approved by all authors.

You must also indicate that all authors have approved the submission.



Affiliations and Authors *

You MUST enter the names of ALL authors here - including yourself if you are an author - in the order in which you wish them to appear in the printed text. Names omitted here will NOT be printed in the author index or the final programme.

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Check this box to give us permission to print your submission on CD, in hardcopy or online if it is accepted for presentation.

Author will attend *

I confirm that at least one author will register in full to attend and present the paper at 47th WEFTA.

Presentation *

Please choose your preferred means of presentation.

Please give the names and affiliations for all authors. Each author can have up to 2 affiliations.

You must also indicate who the presenting author will be.

Please give the e-mail address of the presenting author. You must also confirm that you give your permission for your abstract to be published if it is accepted for presentation and that at least one author will register to attend 47th WEFTA.

You must also select your preferred means of presentation.



Topic Area *

Please select the topic area for which you would like to submit an abstract.

Research into consumer attitudes and market drivers for seafood ▼

Species Category *

Please select the species category to which your research applies.

- Finfish
- Shellfish
- Algae
- All
- Other (Please describe)

Details of Other Species Category (if chosen)

Please give details of the Other Species Category to which your research belongs.

Please indicate to which topic area you are submitting your abstract:

- **É**nvironmentally sustainable aquaculture and fisheries technologies
- **I**nnovative and sustainable processing and packaging technologies
- **R**esearch into consumer attitudes and market drivers for seafood
- **E**merging health and wellness attributes of seafood products.

You must also give details of the Species Category.

R&D Category *

Please indicate the R&D category which best represents your abstract.

- Aquaculture technology
- Fisheries technology
- Processing technology
- Analytical methodology
- Consumer and market
- Other (Please describe)

Details of Other R&D Category (if chosen).

Please describe the Other R&D Category to which your research belongs.

Please indicate the R&D category which best represents your work. If the category is not listed, please indicate “Other” and supply details.

Category of Research *

Please select which category best describes your area of research.

- Early stage R&D
- Industry-led R&D
- Commercially ready Technologies
- Consumer and market insight
- Evidence-based methodology
- Other (Please describe)

Details of Other Category of Research (if chosen).

Please give details of the Other Category of Research to which you research belongs.

Please indicate the R&D category which best represents your work. If the category is not listed, please indicate “Other” and supply details.



Funding Mechanism *

Please select which funding mechanism best describes your project

- National funding
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Please indicate the Funding Mechanism which best describes your project. If the category is not listed, please indicate "Other" and supply details.

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Please give details of the Other Funding Mechanism.

Target Audience *

Please indicate who your target audience is.

- Academic interest
- Industry interest
- Marketing interest
- Consumer interest

You must also indicate the target audience for your work.

Reason for research *

Why is this research important?

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This research is important because ...

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Finally, please give details of the importance of your research.

Contact us if you have a problem or wish to withdraw a submission:

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Submit

You must click "Submit" to complete your submission.

If you should stop part way through the process your submission will be held in temporary storage until you return later and complete all the questions. When you log in again, you can click on your incomplete abstract and resume submission.



Step 3: Confirmation e-mail

You will receive an e-mail confirming that your submission has been received. If you do not receive an e-mail, it means that your submission is not complete, i.e. an answer is unfinished. You **must** log back into the submission system, click on the title of the abstract and complete it. Once complete you will receive the confirmation e-mail.

47th West European Fish Technologists' Association		New Submission
Aviva Stadium, Dublin, Ireland 09-10-2017 - 12-10-2017	Submission Deadline Date: 01-06-2017 Notification Date: 10-07-2017	
1. Abstract Title - please do NOT include author names and a...	incomplete	
2. 350 word abstract	complete	

If you wish to make another submission, please click on New Submission and a new blank submission form will open.

2. Amending a Submission

You may wish to change your submission. You can do this at any time up to the deadline of **1st June 2017**.

- Log in to the abstract submission system.
- You will see the abstract(s) that you have submitted. Click on the abstract title to open the file.
- Amending an abstract is just the same as the original submission process except that the online form will be automatically filled in with the answers that you gave previously. You don't have to change an answer if you don't want to.
- Once you click "Submit", your changes will be saved and you will be sent an email confirming that your abstract has been amended.

3. Conference Topics

Authors are welcome to submit under the conference topics:

Environmentally sustainable aquaculture and fisheries technologies

Innovative and sustainable processing and packaging technologies

Research into consumer attitudes and market drivers for seafood

Emerging health and wellness attributes of seafood products.

4. Queries

If you have any queries about the submission process or you want to withdraw an abstract, please contact the conference administrator at wefta2017abstracts@keynotepco.ie