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ASCS Conference 2024

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Abstract Submission Guidelines

- It is mandatory for the Author of the Poster/Free Paper Podium Presentation to be registered for the conference.
 - The abstract should have the Title as well as the Author's name.
 - All abstracts must be submitted in text format only.
 - Abstracts should be in English, with a maximum of 250 words.
 - Only Times New Roman, 12-point font with single spacing should be used.
 - Abstracts of Research Papers should be of originally, previously unpublished work and should provide a brief description of research objectives, methodology, theory and summary of results and/or conclusions.
 - Do not include any charts, bibliographies or footnotes.
 - Standard abbreviations may be used without definition, but nonstandard abbreviations / acronyms should be placed in parentheses after the first use of the terminology. It is important to keep nonstandard abbreviations / acronyms to a minimum, to allow for readability and understanding.
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 - Theme Tracks :
 - S1 - Evidence-based Beauty and Wellness through functional ingredients
 - S2 - New sensory trends in formulations
 - S3 - Next-generation perfumery
 - S4 - Sustainable supply chains and Circular Economy models
 - S5 - Evolving Safety and Regulatory Landscape in Asia
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- S6 – New and emerging science
- Papers presented in the ASCS 2024 Goa could be **accepted for publication by the IFSCC magazine** provided they comply with the [IFSCC Authors' Guidelines*](#)
 - **Deadline for Abstract Submission : 30th September 2023.**
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Papers are selected on the merit of their scientific content, originality, innovation, relevance, and general interest to IFSCC members. The Magazine strives to uphold the scientific integrity of the Federation and relies on the expertise of the IFSCC Publication Committee and/or its designated experts to review all submitted papers.

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Because research relating to animal physiology, as opposed to human physiology, is not the subject of the IFSCC Magazine, papers reporting such research will not be considered for publication in the Magazine. Papers submitted containing data obtained from animal testing will be returned to the author without review. In case of uncertainty, please contact the editors.

Any research involving human subjects, materials or data must conform to the ethical principles for medical research as stated in the Declaration of Helsinki, if this is applicable, or at least have been approved by the local ethics committee. In addition, all papers based on such research must include a statement to the effect that all subjects had given their informed consent to participate.

Manuscript Protocol

The following format will be used for all papers submitted to the IFSCC Magazine. Articles need to be double spaced for the benefit of the reviewers. Names and affiliations of all authors will need to be provided together with contact details (phone and e-mail address) of the corresponding author.

Do not create footers or headers or short running titles.

Title

The title should be concise and generally describe the content of the paper.

Include the full names of all authors listing the primary author first followed by the name of each author's company and/or professional affiliation, address and, if applicable, the name of the meeting, date and site where the paper was originally presented.

In all cases, an e-mail address is to be submitted to facilitate communication regarding progress of the paper throughout the editorial process.

Abstract

The paper must be preceded by a clear abstract of no more than 200 words. The abstract should include in the following information:

- the research objective(s)
- the experimental approach used in the research and
- the main observations and major conclusions of the research.

Keywords

Specify five keywords that characterize your publication best.

Paper

The paper should begin with a brief **introduction** section which should include the basis for the research, background information on the subject, a proposal on why the research is being conducted, and anticipated results. The introduction is to be followed by an **experimental** section that is to include all details on the experimental materials, methods and instrumentation used throughout the research as well as an explanation of any statistical analysis techniques employed for the validation of data. A **results and discussion** section (either as separate sections or combined into one section) will follow which should include a discussion on the analysis and significance of the data presented. The paper should be summarized with a short and concise **conclusion** section. Professional acknowledgements of colleagues and other associates involved in the research are encouraged.

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All tables and figures should be numbered consecutively as they appear in the manuscript text. Tables are to use Roman numerals (I/II/III). All figures are to be labeled with Arabic numerals (1/2/3). Tables are written with a capital throughout the text. Captions should always be included for all tables where appropriate. All tables, figures, graphs and accompanying photos should be submitted separate from the text and the accompanying descriptions are not to be included in graph-formats. If such insertions need to be positioned at specific positions within the text, clear instructions must be provided to the publisher at the time the manuscript and accompanying files are submitted.

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