

# 2018 PDA Annual Meeting

March 19-21, 2018 | Loews Sapphire Falls Resort | Orlando, FL

Exhibition: March 19-20 | Post-Meeting Workshop: March 21-22 | Courses: March 22-23



## CALL FOR ABSTRACTS/CASE STUDIES

The Program Planning Committee encourages you to submit an abstract for a one-day poster presentation or an oral presentation at the 2018 PDA Annual Meeting. Case studies are particularly desired. Abstracts must be non-commercial, describe industry developments, strategies or practical implementation and contribute to the current body of knowledge for biopharmaceutical manufacturing, quality management and technology. Abstracts related to novel manufacturing and analytical technologies are preferable, but those addressing other bioprocessing topics are welcome.

Suggested topics include, but are not limited to:

- Manufacturing: Human Error Prevention
- Process Capability Improvements
- Process Monitoring Plans
- Process Validation/Lifecycle Approach
- Managing Supply Chain Complexity
- Shipping Validation
- Technology and Knowledge Transfer
- Microbial Control Program
- Control Strategy Design
- Quality by Design Application
- Process Analytical Technology
- Single-Use Bioprocess Technology and Validation
- Cell Line Development
- Cell Culture Systems and Expression Rates
- Continuous Bioprocessing
- High Throughput Analytical Methodology and Automation
- Quality Metrics
- Drug Shortages and Regulatory Submissions
- Supply Chain Security (Serialization, Track and Trace, Counterfeit)
- ICH Q12
- Post-Approval Change Management and Comparability
- Breakthrough Therapies
- Combination Products
- Managing Data Integrity Risks
- Aging Facilities
- Challenges in Manufacturing
- Single Use Systems Technology
- Emerging Methods for Adventitious Agents Detection and Clearance
- Viral and Microbial Contamination in Biopharmaceutical Manufacturing: Risk Mitigation, Preparedness and Response
- Pharmaceutical Package Integrity Testing: Industry Challenges, Technology and Advancement
- Bioprocess Upstream and Downstream Technology
- Continuous Manufacturing
- Flexible Processes and Facilities
- Biopharmaceutical Fill-Finish
- Integration of Risk Management in Product Strategy and Portfolio
- Big Data
- Personalized Medicines: The Latest in Technology
- Cell & Gene Therapy
- Process Analytical Technology (PAT)
- Robotics in Manufacturing
- Logistics from Raw Material: Supplier to Patient
- Effective Media and Buffer Preparation

## ABSTRACTS MUST BE RECEIVED BY SEPTEMBER 18, 2017 FOR CONSIDERATION.

Visit [pda.org/2018AnnualAbstracts](http://pda.org/2018AnnualAbstracts) to submit an abstract

Submitting an abstract confirms that an individual has received their company's required approval to present if selected. Submitters will be advised in writing of the status of their abstract by **October 18, 2017**. To confirm participation and be listed in the final program, poster presenters are required to register as a paid full conference attendee, no later than **January 19, 2018**. After **January 19**, poster presenters are required to pay the prevailing registration rate and will be listed in the online program agenda. Companies with multiple accepted posters are required to register a different individual for each display at the paid full conference rate. **Only one presentation per individual will be accepted.**

**ATTENTION EXHIBITORS:** Registrations included with exhibitor booth packages are not eligible to present a poster. Exhibitors are required to register as a paid full conference attendee to present a poster.

Each abstract must include the following information to be considered:

- Full Name
- Professional Title
- Company
- Mailing Address
- Email Address
- Phone Number
- Biography (*Max 200 words*)
- Abstract Overview (*Max 200 words*)
- Abstract Title (*Max 50 words*)
- Abstract Objectives (*Max 100 words*)
- Audience Take Home Benefits (*Max 100 words*)

### QUESTIONS?

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### ABSTRACT REVIEW

All submitted abstracts will be reviewed by the Program Planning Committee for inclusion as a poster or podium presentation.

### ATTENTION EXHIBITORS

PDA is seeking vendors who provide excellent products/services in support of this conference. Space is limited and is on a first-come, first-serve basis. To reserve your space, please contact **David Hall** at [hall@pda.org](mailto:hall@pda.org) or +1 (240) 688-4406.

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