

Abstract submission guidelines

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Please read the abstract submission guidelines carefully, if you have any specific inquiries contact us directly at isseeyoung24@univ-rennes.fr.

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Where to submit your abstract?

Abstracts can be submitted via the following link: https://enquetes-partenaires.univ-rennes.fr/index.php/454732?lang=en

The abstract submission system will close by the deadline of January 26, 2024 by 23:59 (UTC+1). Please make sure to check your time difference to determine the submission deadline according to your local time.

Overall guidelines

- All abstracts must be written in English.
- All abstracts must be submitted online through the abstract submission system by the deadline given above. Abstracts that are sent via e-mail will not be included in the abstract review process.
- Please do NOT submit multiple copies of the same abstract.
- Use acronyms only when necessary and define all abbreviations and concepts in your abstract at first use.
- The submitting and presenting authors are required to ensure that all co-authors are aware of the content of the abstract before the submission.
- Always make sure to check the final abstract with the system's preview function before submission, and edit or replace as necessary. It is the authors' responsibility to submit a correct abstract. Any errors in spelling, grammar or scientific fact will be reproduced as typed by the author.
- Only the accepted abstracts of presenting authors who have completed their registrations and paid their registration fees by the registration deadline for abstract presenters will be included in the Scientific Program and the Environmental Epidemiology Journal.

Accepted abstracts will be published in the Environmental Epidemiology journal as they are submitted in the abstract submission system. Since there will be no editing process on the abstracts, the authors are required to avoid any typing errors, misordering of the authors, wrong spelling/writing about the institutions, etc.





Abstract preparation and submission on the system

Step 1 – Presenting Author Information

• Please enter the presenting author's contact information correctly.

It's highly important for you to ensure that the e-mail address of the presenting author is entered correctly, as all communication regarding the acceptance, any required adjustments, and scheduling will be sent to the presenting author via e-mail by the Conference Organizing Secretariat.

The presenting author will be required to register for the Conference to confirm acceptance of the abstract. Please note that the conference will be face-to-face only, with no remote follow-up options. The presenting author therefore undertakes to come and present on site in Rennes.

Step 2 – Abstract submission

1. Preferred presentation format

At the ISEE Young Rennes 2024 conference, only oral presentations will be given.

Two formats are proposed:

- The Classic Oral Conference Presentation: the "classic" conference presentations are around 15 minutes total. This format allows the speaker to explain a few interesting side-analyses and technical details.
- The Speed Talk: speed talk speakers have only 3 minutes to present their key ideas, results and the implications of their research in a short, dynamic talk.
 Speakers may bring visual aid if they choose (e.g. Powerpoint, props), but are discouraged from using text on these slides.

Your preference will be taken into account, but the Scientific Committee reserves the right to change the presentation type according to the requirements of the scientific program.

2. Topics

At least one main topic that is relevant for your abstract must be selected during the submission process.

The Scientific Committee reserves the right to change the topics during the abstract review process.

The topics for the ISEE Young Rennes 2024 conference are the following:

Air pollution

Birth and pregnancy outcomes

Built environment: green space, blue space, noise, artificial night at night, etc.

Cancer and cancer-precursors

Cardiovascular and metabolic outcomes

Chemical exposures

Climate

Exposome

☐ Exposure assessment methods

☐ Greenspace☐ Methods for environmental epidemiology

 $\hfill \Box$ Meteorological factors: temperature, humidity, UV, etc.



Neurologic and mental health outcomes
Occupational exposures and epidemiology
Omic technologies
One health & Planetary health
Policy & Health Impact Assessment
Radiation
Reproductive outcomes
Respiratory and allergic outcomes
Well-being
Other

3. Authors

Names of all co-authors, including the presenting author.

Fist name Last name (first letter capitalized), separated by commas. The first, and last names of all the authors must be fully indicated correctly and in the right order.

4. Affiliation of the first author

Only the affiliation of the first author is required. You must write the author's affiliation as it should appear in the publications.

5. Abstract Title

- An abstract must have a short, specific title (containing no abbreviations) that indicates the nature of the investigation.
- Abstract titles can contain a maximum of 120 characters including spaces.
- Titles should not be written with all capitals.
- Use only generic drug names. Brand, product, or company names must not be used in the abstract title or text. The International Society for Environmental Epidemiology and/or the Organizing and Scientific Committees reserve the right to replace any brand name with a generic name.

6. Abstract body

The abstract body should not exceed **2000 characters including spaces**. The title of the abstract, authors, institutions, and keywords are not included in this limit, and those should not be entered in this section.

- Abstract body should consist of the four sections given below:
 - o **Objective:** Clearly state the purpose of the abstract. Briefly describe the objectives of the study unless they are contained in the title.
 - Material and Methods: Describe your selection of observations or experimental subjects clearly. Include a brief statement of methods if pertinent.
 - o **Results:** Present your results in a logical sequence in text, table, and illustrations. State findings in sufficient detail to support conclusions.
 - Conclusion: Emphasize new and important aspects of the study (perhaps as a discussion section) and the conclusions that are drawn from them.
- Abstracts should not describe research in which the chemical identity or source of the reagent is proprietary or cannot be revealed.
- Standard abbreviations may be used without definition. Non-standard abbreviations (kept to a minimum) must be placed in parentheses after the first use of the word or phrase abbreviated.





- Do not include the names or personal information of any patient participating in a study or trial
- Phrases such as "results will be discussed" or "data will be presented" shall not be used.
- In order to be compatible with the universal coding system, only the special characters
 provided on the system should be used. Please note that the abstracts in which other
 special characters are used may not be displayed correctly in publications due to the
 coding systems.
- Use only generic drug names. Brand, product or company names must not be used in the abstract title or text. The International Society for Environmental Epidemiology and/or Organizing and Scientific Committees reserve the right to replace any brand name with a generic name.
- Images, tables, diagrams and graphs are NOT accepted

7. Keywords

- Keywords should not be included in any of the sections of the abstract body and written only in the section dedicated for keywords.
- 3 keywords are required
- All keywords should be written in lower case

Step 3 - Tweeser section

To promote submitted abstracts, we offer you the opportunity to submit a Tweeser (optional). A competition will be organized to elect the best Tweeser and there are prizes to be won!

The "Tweeser" is a cross-breed between a tweet and a teaser. It is short, snappy and captures the essence of your research and why it matters. The tweeser is a maximum 280-character teaser message with one image. Rather than explaining all the complexity of your research, the tweeser is an invite to the other attendees to talk to you in person and to come and see your talk.

Please note that the image submitted must be original and/or adapted from an existing image. In the case of adaptation of an existing image, the author undertakes to respect the rights and license of use of the image, in particular to credit the source and/or the author of the image.

You can upload png, gif, doc, odt, jpg, jpeg, pdf, png, heic under 10240 KB each.

Please name the file as follows: firstname LASTNAME ISEEYoung24





For example, below are the three Tweeser winners of the ISEE young 2021:



The gut microbiome holds key physiological functions including immunity and metabolism. Early life events such as mercury or tobacco exposures may alter its diversity, and have implications for child and lifelong health.

Léa Maitre

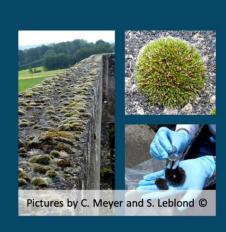
Early life and Perinatal health Spalentor OS3 Friday 11:15 - 12:30



Warm and humid weather could moderately reduce the transmission of the COVID-19 in the U.S, with humidity playing a larger role than air temperature.

Yiqun Ma

Air pollution: cardiometabolic health & Covid-19 Rathaus ST1 Thursday 15:15 - 16:30



Metals may affect human health yet assessing individual exposure to airborne metals remains difficult. Mosses -small plants that grow (almost) everywhere- offer a welcome help as they absorb airborne metals. We can use them to derive fine-gridded exposure surfaces in cities.

Emeline Lequy

Methods in exposure assessment Spalentor OS4 Friday 13:15 – 14:45



Submit to the Committee

- Any comments and/or additional information to be shared with the Organizing Committee can be submitted through the comment box.
- It is required to answer all questions before submitting your abstract.
- If you have not completed all required sections of your abstract, you won't see the submission button. Only after completing all required fields, the submission button will be enabled for you.

After submission

- Upon submitting of your abstract an e-mail will be sent to the presenting author.
- After the submission is completed, no edits will be allowed on the system even if
 there is time until the deadline. In that case, if you have to make some edits on your
 abstract after submitting but before the submission deadline, please contact with the
 Conference Organizing Secretariat at isseeyoung24@univ-rennes.fr.

Review process and acceptance letters

All submitted abstracts will be scored and pass through a review process after the submission closes. The notification letters about acceptance of the abstracts including the presentation details (date, time, venue, presentation number, etc.) will be sent to the presenting author's email address.

Registration of abstract presenters

The abstracts of unregistered presenting authors who do not complete registration (including payment) will be removed from the final program and all publications, including the Environmental Epidemiology Journal.

