



# NEW DIRECTIONS IN LEUKAEMIA RESEARCH

2 - 4 March, 2026  
Adelaide Convention Centre  
Adelaide, South Australia

## Abstract Guidelines and Submission Terms and Conditions

The New Directions in Leukaemia Research Meeting (NDLR), 2 - 4 March 2026 at the Adelaide Convention Centre, provides the forum to showcase emerging paradigms and breakthroughs at the forefront of Leukaemia research and treatment, from the molecular basis of Leukaemia to new therapies emerging in the clinic.

### **Presentation Formats**

When completing an abstract submission, you may indicate your preferred presentation format by selecting 'oral', 'poster' or 'oral or poster (no preference)'. Your preferred presentation format will be considered but not guaranteed. The NDLR Scientific Committee will assess all abstract submissions and allocate the presentation format deemed most suited to the topic and Program.

#### ***Oral Presentations***

Oral Presentations will take place from 2 - 4 March 2026 during Meeting sessions with the appropriate research theme. The presentation format and duration will vary, and guidelines will be made available to successful authors at a later date. Please note that there are a limited number of positions available for Oral Presentations. These will be selected by the Scientific Committee.

#### ***Poster Presentations***

Some abstract authors selected for poster presentation may be asked to participate in a Poster Preview session, providing a two-minute oral summary of their poster.

Please note that Posters are to be AO portrait size i.e. 841mm wide [left to right] x 1189mm high [top to bottom].

### **Key Dates**

**Abstract Submissions Open** August 2025

**Abstract Submissions Close** 23 September 2025

**Author Notifications** Expected early December 2025

**Author Meeting Registrations** By close of earlybird registration – Mid January 2026

## **Program Themes**

- Acute Lymphoblastic Leukaemia
- Acute Myeloid Leukaemia
- Cell Therapy
- Chronic Lymphocytic Leukaemia
- Epigenetics
- Genomics
- Immunotherapy
- Lymphoma
- Metabolism
- Myelodysplastic Syndrome
- Myeloma
- Myeloproliferative Neoplasms including Chronic Myeloid Leukaemia
- Paediatric Leukaemia
- Stem Cells and Microenvironment
- New Therapeutic Approaches

## **Abstract Submission Terms & Conditions**

By submitting an abstract, you agree to the following:

- At least one author will register to attend and present at the Meeting.
- All authors whose abstracts have been accepted and who are presenting at the Meeting are responsible for all costs including registration, travel, accommodation, any costs associated with preparation and/or presentation of the abstract, or any other costs associated with attendance at the Meeting.
- All authors whose abstracts have been accepted and are presenting, must register for the Meeting by the close of earlybird registration.
- If your abstract submission is accepted, you give NDLR permission to publish your abstract and related presentation materials and/or poster on the NDLR website and in the Meeting Program.
- You confirm that the abstract submission has been approved by all authors.
- The number of abstract submissions is not limited.

## **Abstract Submission Requirements and Guidelines**

Please comply with the Abstract Guidelines. Any abstract that does not comply with these specifications will not be accepted for review.

## **Abstract Format Requirements**

- Complete your abstract using the abstract template provided on the Meeting website.
- Your abstract must be written in English.
- Maximum word count is 300 words.
- Do not include references in your abstract text.

- Figures and tables are not permitted within the abstract.
- When using abbreviations spell out the name in full at the first mention and follow with the abbreviation in parenthesis.

## **Online Abstract Submission Guidelines**

If you wish to submit an abstract for consideration, you must use the online submission link below.

[<<NDLR 2026 Presentation Portal>>](#)

Please prepare your abstract using the formatting guidelines below and submit your abstract using the abstract template as a Word .doc or .docx – **not PDF** or other file type:

1. Create a user account with EventsAir:
2. Complete contact details. The Presenting Author must submit the abstract and will act as the *main point of contact* for the abstract with organisers.
3. Complete key questions, ie theme, preferred presentation platform. You should select the most appropriate theme for your paper.
4. Upload your abstract using the abstract template provided on the meeting website.
5. An abstract confirmation email will be sent to the submitting author once submitted. If you have not received a confirmation email, please check your emails spam/junk folder and/or that your abstract is not left in draft form and is fully submitted by logging back into the portal and checking on the Edit/View Abstracts page.

If you have questions, please contact the Event Managers via:

**Phone: +61 08 8379 8222**

**Email: [NDLR2026@eventstudio.com.au](mailto:NDLR2026@eventstudio.com.au)**

The submitting author will be notified of the outcome of the review by early December 2025.

## **Abstract Review, Evaluation and Selection Process**

### ***Abstract Review***

All submitted abstracts will go through a review process carried out by the Scientific Committee. Each abstract will be assessed by three reviewers at a minimum.

### ***Abstract Selection***

The Scientific Committee makes the final selection of abstracts to be included in the NDLR Program. Only the submitting author will receive communication concerning the abstract and is responsible for informing all co-authors of the status of the abstract. Authors whose abstracts have been accepted will receive additional guidance relating to their presentation from the Scientific Committee.