

Digitalization and innovation applied to the prevention and control of foot-and-mouth and similar transboundary animal diseases (FAST).

EuFMD Open Session – 26-28 October 2022

Guidelines for submission of abstracts

If you would like to present an abstract at the Open Session 2022 (OS22), please do follow the **guidelines** and submit your abstract by **15th JUNE 2022**. The OS22 will offer a showcase of scientific posters and limited slots for oral presentations: your abstract will be reviewed and you will be informed if it has been accepted as an oral presentation or a poster, by the 15 July 2022.

- Abstracts particularly relevant in relation to the OS22 theme will be accepted as oral presentations. Oral presentations will be allocated a slot of 7 minutes and will be followed by participants attending the event both in presence and virtually, thus granting them with higher visibility. The abstracts will be published on the EuFMD/FAO website.
- Posters will be accessible for participants attending the event both in presence and virtually. Authors will receive a one-slide PowerPoint template for developing the poster and will be asked to provide a 2-minute recording (audio or audio+video) to accompany it. After the closure of the OS22, posters will be disseminated through the EuFMD social media channels and will be published on the EuFMD/FAO website.

The abstracts should not exceed 500 words.

The document format must be custom size 17.6 x 25 cm, margins: 1.5 cm top/bottom, left/right, and single spacing throughout text.

The structure should be as follows:

- Title (Calibri 9, bold, uppercase, centred)
- Authors (Calibri 9, italics, centred) listed according to the level of technical contributions
- Affiliations (Calibri 9, italics, superscript numerals, left) including email of the main Author
- Introduction (Calibri 9, bold, left) presenting the context and research question or goals of the study
- Materials and methods (Calibri 9, bold, left)
- Results (Calibri 9, bold, left)
- Discussion (Calibri 9, bold, left) addressing the research question or the goals achieved and including the overall relevance and potential or actual impact and implications of your study
- Optional: one figure or one graph (jpeg format, left) with caption (Calibri 9, left). Make sure to refer to the image or graph in the text.
- Please do not include references in your abstract.

For any queries related to this Call for abstract, please contact: OS22-Abstracts@fao.org

The following awards will be assigned:

- Best poster for digitalization and innovation
- Best young presenter (<=35 years)