ISBER 2019 Annual Meeting & Exhibits Abstract Categories

Unless otherwise noted, abstract categories include poster and oral submissions.

Biobank Tools (to be included in the **ISBER Tool Booth**)
Share your tool that has been developed to support the activities of a biobank! The tool should be exportable or able to be accessed by other biobanks. Examples include cost recovery tools, educational modules, quality assessment tools, public outreach, proficiency testing, etc.
Accepted Biobank Tools submissions will be assigned a time to showcase their tool at the ISBER Tool Booth in the Exhibit Hall.

Please note that the tools are from academic and non-profit sources and must be freely shareable with others.

Biobanking Profiles
- Description of a biobank or network
- Biobanks from Asia-Pacific regions

Biodiversity/Environmental/Animal Repositories
- Agricultural Repositories
- Veterinary/Animal Repositories
- Animal or Plant Networks
- Biobanks in Low-resource settings
- Environmental or Microbial Networks
- Other

Biospecimen Research and Science
- Cell Preservation
- Stem Cell and related Research
- Cryobiology
- Specimen Quality
- Other

Commercial Biobanking
- Biobank networks
- Business models
- Other

Human Specimen Repositories
- Biobanks in Low-resource settings
- Clinical Trial Biobanks
- Human Specimen Biobank Networks
- Therapeutic / Research Biobanks
- Predictive Analytics/Data Science
- Other

Ethical, Legal, and Social Issues
- Consent
- Legislation, Policy, Regulation
- Participant Perspectives, Community Engagement
- Patient Advocacy
- Privacy
- Return of Research Results/Incidental Findings
- Access and Benefits Sharing (ABS)
- Other

Hot Topics
- Precision Medicine
- Public Education
- "Breakthroughs in Biobanking": Major Contributions of biobanking to Advancements in Science and Medicine
- Other

Innovative Technology (Submit in this category to be considered for Innovative Technology Flash Talk presentation; those not chosen may have poster opportunity.)

Repository Automation Technology
- Automation pipelines/tools
- Semi-automation/full-automation
- Other

Repository Management
- Biobanking Operations (new and continued)
- Economics
- Education and Training
- Approaches to Clinical Annotation of samples
- Informatics/Big Data
- Marketing
- Risk Management
- Sustainability (social, financial, operational)
- Other

Repository Standards
- Accreditation and Certification
- Fit for Purpose/Quality Assessment
- Quality Assurance/Quality Control
- Performance Metrics
- Standard Operating Procedures
- Other