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The Psychodermatology Association of India (PDAI) invites postgraduate students (Dermatology/ psychiatry) to participate in the **Postgraduate Award Paper and E-Poster Competition** during PSYDERMCON 2026.



1. ELIGIBILITY

Applicants must fulfil all of the following criteria:



Must be pursuing MD/DNB/Diploma in Dermatology, Venereology & Leprosy or Psychiatry



The submitted work should be original.



NOC forwarded by the Head of Department



PDAI membership is not mandatory with mandatory conference registration.



The presenting author must be physically present in the conference.





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2. CATEGORIES

Applicants may submit abstracts under either of the following:



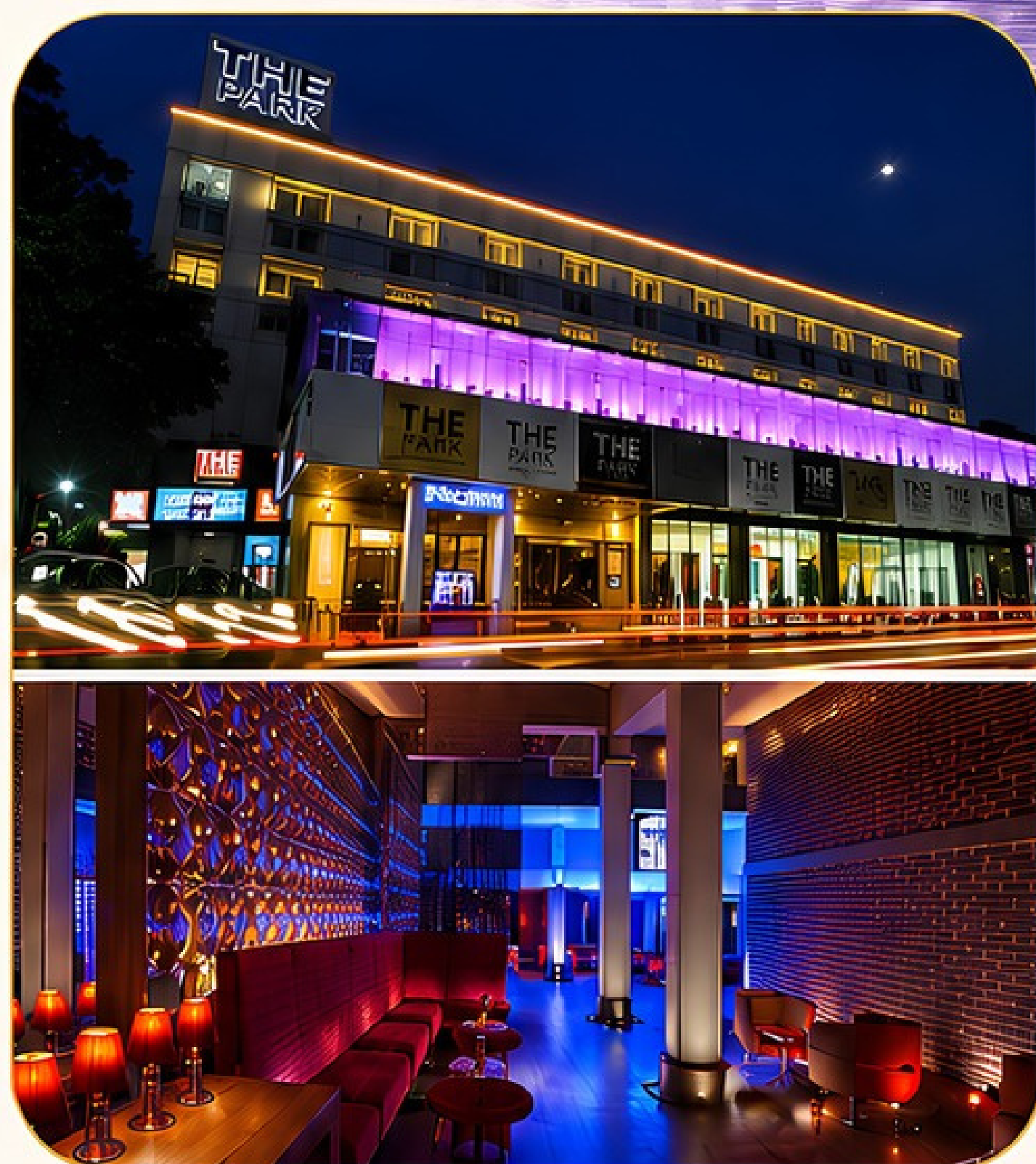
A. AWARD PAPER (ORAL PRESENTATION)

Original Research/ Case Series related to Psychodermatology.



B. E-POSTER

Original research, interesting case series, or case reports related to Psychodermatology.



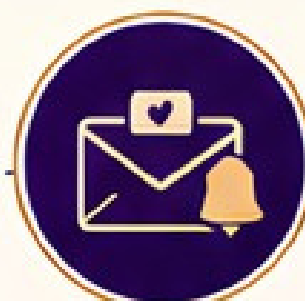
3. IMPORTANT DATES



ABSTRACT
SUBMISSION OPENS
25TH
JULY 2026



LAST DATE FOR
ABSTRACT SUBMISSION
17TH
AUGUST 2026



NOTIFICATION OF
ACCEPTANCE
20TH
AUGUST 2026



PRESENTATION DATE
6TH
SEPTEMBER 2026



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4. ABSTRACT GUIDELINES



MAXIMUM
300 WORDS

- ✓ **For original research / case series**
Background, Aim, Methods, Results, and Conclusion
- ✓ **For case reports**
Background, Case report, Conclusion,
Novelty of the case
- ✓ **Do not include author names or
institution within the abstract body.**



5. DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED



Applicants should upload:



Structured
Abstract
(Word/PPT)



Institutional
Ethics Committee
Approval
(if applicable)



HOD's
Recommendation
Letter



The applicant must certify that:

- ✓ The work is original.
- ✓ There is no conflict of interest.
- ✓ IEC approval has been obtained wherever applicable.
- ✓ Appropriate patient consent has been obtained.
- ✓ The work has not been presented earlier in any National conferences.



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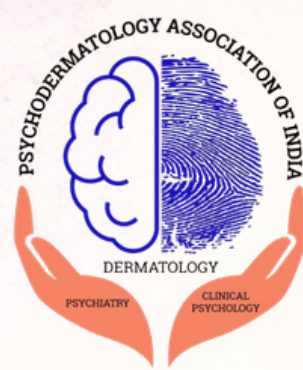
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6. EVALUATION CRITERIA

Abstracts will undergo
blinded peer review.

Evaluation will be
based on:



Originality



Scientific merit



Relevance to Psychodermatology



Methodology



Novelty of the study



Clinical importance



Overall presentation



The Scientific Committee reserves the right to recommend conversion of an Award Paper submission to an E-Poster categories, if considered more appropriate.



7. PRESENTATION

Time slot: (Strict adherence to time limit is mandatory)

For Award Papers:



Presentation 6 minutes



Questions (only by judges) 1 minute
and answers

For E-Posters:



Display during
conference



8. AWARDS

Award Paper & E-poster:
prize money will be
announced separately



First Prize



Second Prize



Third Prize

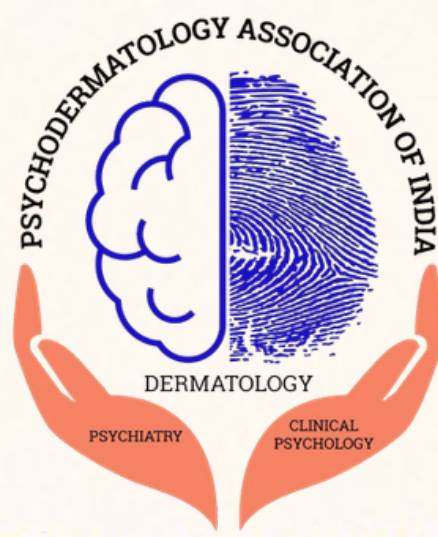


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9. GENERAL RULES



Only one abstract per presenting author in each category.



Duplicate submissions are not permitted.



The decision of the Scientific Committee shall be final.



Failure to present personally will lead to disqualification.



Any ethical misconduct or plagiarism will result in immediate rejection.



10. SUBMISSION

Submit abstracts through:



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11. QUERIES

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