



## *Call for Tucson Symposium 2017 scientific poster abstracts*

The scientific community is invited to submit abstracts for the Tucson Symposium 2017 (TS17) which will be held February 28 to March 1, 2017 at the Hilton Tucson El Conquistador in Tucson, Arizona.

### **Abstract submission guidelines:**

1. Abstracts should relate to non-commercial topics such as immune therapies and biomarkers, tumor heterogeneity, molecular pathology, disease states and health informatics.
2. Abstracts must include research title, author names and affiliations.
3. Abstracts should reflect current research studies with data and briefly describe the background, methodology, results and conclusion (not to exceed 350 words).
  - Please ensure the abstract is formatted according to standard scientific abstract guidelines with an Introduction, Methods, Results and Conclusion (all accepted abstracts will be available for view by all TS17 participants on the TS17 mobile app).|
  - By submitting an abstract for review and selection by the TS17 Committee, you are representing to the Committee that you are the owner of or are otherwise authorized to submit those materials to be displayed at the TS17 and uploaded to the TS17 mobile app and that by submitting any materials, you agree that Ventana Medical Systems, Inc may display the materials at the TS17 and upload the materials to the TS17 mobile app. No other licenses are intended to be created or exchanged by the parties.
4. Submission deadline: Thursday, January 19, 2017
  - Please submit abstracts by email to Marissa Blackburn, [marissa.blackburn@roche.com](mailto:marissa.blackburn@roche.com)

### **Acceptance and registration**

- The TS17 Scientific Committee will review and select the abstracts to be presented as posters.
- Acceptance of an abstract for poster presentation will be communicated via email on or before February 2, 2017.
- All abstracts accepted will be displayed on the TS17 mobile app for access by TS17 registrants.
- Upon acceptance of abstract, the poster presenter must register on-line for the TS17

### **Poster session guidelines:**

1. Posters need to be delivered and mounted on display boards before noon on Tuesday, February 28, 2017. The poster number will be given onsite.
2. Poster presenters will be assigned display board space in horizontal format 48" x 96" (122cm x 244cm)
  - The suggested printed poster size is 34" x 56" (86cm x 142cm).
3. The poster presenter must be present during the poster session on Tuesday, February 28, 2017 from 1:30 to 3 pm to answer questions.
4. Posters will be displayed at TS17 on Tuesday, February 28, 2017 until after lunch on Wednesday, March 1, 2017.
5. Presenters will need to remove their poster by 3 pm on Wednesday, March 1, 2017.