

**2012 PATS ANNUAL MEETING PRESENTATION
PROPOSAL SUBMISSIONS**



*June 7-9, 2012
Lancaster Convention Center*

The PATS Convention Program Committee has begun to assemble the programming for the **2012 PATS Annual Meeting and Clinical Symposia** to be held June 7-9, 2012 at the Lancaster Convention Center in downtown Lancaster, PA. The PATS Convention Program Committee is dedicated to the development of an educational program designed to serve our membership. We are committed to providing an educational experience that will expand the skill sets utilized daily by athletic trainers throughout the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In an effort to continue providing high quality educational content, the Convention Program Committee will be working to develop a program consisting of both Committee-developed programming AND a proposal submission process. We are offering this opportunity to both PATS members and nonmembers to ensure a well-rounded educational program with professional development opportunities for our growing and clinically-diverse membership.

We welcome proposal submissions from PATS members and nonmembers for the following program formats.

Please read the proposal guidelines for each program format prior to submission.

FORMAT	LENGTH	# OF SPEAKERS	TYPE	Proposal Guidelines
Feature Presentations	1 hour	1-3	Lecture Only	Feature Presentations
Workshops	1 hour	1-3	Lecture, Discussion & Lab	Workshops
Case Studies/Original Research	15 min	1	Lecture Only	Case Studies

IMPORTANT INFORMATION RELATED TO FEATURE PRESENTATIONS, WORKSHOPS, AND CASE STUDIES

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION BEFORE SUBMITTING YOUR PROPOSAL

- Proposed topic must fall within one of the six domains of practice for athletic training and must contain content above entry-level.
 - I. Prevention
 - II. Clinical Evaluation & Diagnosis
 - III. Immediate Care
 - IV. Treatment, Rehabilitation & Reconditioning
 - V. Organization & Administration
 - VI. Professional Responsibility

For additional details on the domains please consult the Board of Certification Role Delineation Study.

- Proposal applications are due **January 5, 2012**. All [applications](#) should be submitted to the Convention Committee electronically as Word documents.
- Proposals affiliated with any commercial product or service will not be accepted.
- Late and incomplete proposals **WILL NOT** be considered. The topic and speakers must be confirmed upon submission of the proposal.
- After **March 1, 2012** the Convention Program Committee will only approve a speaker change if the original speaker is unable to attend the annual meeting.
- Due to programming time constraints and the size of the convention facilities, all proposals will not be accepted. In this instance, proposals will be selected based on the quality of the content, organization of the meeting, equipment needs (when applicable), significance of the material to the PATS membership, and PATS/NATA membership status.

FEATURE PRESENTATION, WORKSHOP, AND CASE STUDIES ONLY

Proposal Submission Process

Your [proposal](#) must include the following pieces of information in order to be complete and acceptable for review.

- I. Presentation Information
 - a. Primary title and sub-headings if appropriate
 - b. Domain of practice for athletic training under which the topic falls
 - c. Three to five keywords that best describe the focus of the presentation
 - d. Abstract (100 words or less) outlining the purpose and content of the presentation
 - e. Presentation format
 - f. Number of presenters

- II. Speaker Information
 - a. Names and credentials of each presenter
 - b. Contact information for each presenter
 - c. NATA and PATS membership status
 - d. Copy of CV from each presenter

- III. Proposal Deadlines & Format
 - a. All proposals are due to the convention committee for review by January 5, 2012
 - b. All proposal must be submitted [electronically](#) using the provided format
 - c. Proposals should be forwarded electronically to Scott Heinerichs
sheinerichs@wcupa.edu
 - d. Incomplete or late proposals will not be accepted.
 - e. Student poster presentations will still be due April 1, 2012 and will be reviewed separately.

Descriptions of Presentation Formats

Feature Presentations

- Featured presentations are in-depth presentations on one topic and should fall within one of the practice domains for athletic training
- Featured presentations are one hour in length
- Featured presentations must avoid any affiliation with a commercial product or service
- Priority will be given to NATA/PATS members
- Proposals must be submitted by January 5, 2012
- The 2012 PATS Meeting and Clinical Symposium is June 7-9 at the Lancaster Convention Center. Speakers must be available for all days of the meeting
- Feature presentation speakers will receive an honorarium of \$400.00. Speakers will also receive complimentary conference registration and one Moyer Award Luncheon ticket. If multiple speakers are conducting a feature presentation, each speaker will receive a \$200.00 honorarium.
- Proposals will be reviewed by the Convention Committee

Workshops

- Workshops are 60 minute events that include small group discussions or demonstration and practice of skills that fall within one of the practice domains of athletic training
- Workshop presenters may be asked to present their information twice.
- Featured presentations must avoid any affiliation with a commercial product or service
- Priority will be given to NATA/PATS members
- Proposals must be submitted by January 5, 2012
- The 2012 PATS Meeting and Clinical Symposium is June 7-9 at the Lancaster Convention Center. Speakers must be available for all days of the meeting
- Speakers conducting a workshop will receive an honorarium of \$400.00. Workshop speakers will also receive complimentary conference registration and one Moyer Award Luncheon ticket. Multiple speakers combining to provide a workshop will each receive a \$200.00 honorarium.
- Proposals will be reviewed by the Convention Committee

Case Studies and/or Original Research

- Case study and/or Original Research presentations are 15 minute presentations on a unique topic within one of the practice domains of athletic training
- Featured presentations must avoid any affiliation with a commercial product or service
- Priority will be given to NATA/PATS members
- Proposals must be submitted by January 5, 2012
- The 2012 PATS Meeting and Clinical Symposium is June 7-9 at the Lancaster Convention Center. Speakers must be available for all days of the meeting
- Speakers (lead author only) participating in the 15 minute case study presentations will receive complimentary conference registration and one Moyer Award Luncheon ticket.
- Proposals will be reviewed by the Convention and Free Communication Committees

PATS Presentation Proposal



Speaker Information

Presenter 1: _____ Credentials: _____

Address: _____

NATA or PATS Member #: _____

Presenter 2: _____ Credentials: _____

Address: _____

NATA or PATS Member #: _____

Presenter 3: _____ Credentials: _____

Address: _____

NATA or PATS Member #: _____
