## **BAUS Section of Oncology - Abstract Submission Information and Guidelines**

Abstract submissions are now being accepted on the following topics:

• COVID-19 Preparation/Outcome/Impact on Patients/Staff/Training/Rotas - How You Coped?

The deadline for submissions will be 23:59 (BST) on Thursday 13 August 2020.

Abstracts should be submitted in English and must be a maximum of 250 words.

The names of the author(s) and institutions should appear only where requested and should not be included in the text of your abstract. Adjudicators have been instructed to give a nil mark to any abstract in which the author or institution is identifiable.

The abstract should be in four sections; Introduction; Patients (or Materials) and Methods; Results; Conclusions. The information provided should be that which would normally comprise an abstract for a published paper and not a slightly briefer version of a full paper.

Avoid detailed descriptions of methods and results, which can be provided during the oral or poster presentation.

In general, references should not be cited but, if they are deemed essential to the abstract, they should be in the form (Smith et al. BJUI 1999; 75: 100-1) within the text.

## **Please Note**

This is an additional abstract call owing to the merger of the BAUS annual meeting and the Section of Oncology meeting. Due to short turnaround times and deadlines, these abstracts will not go through the same processes as those for the BAUS annual meeting have and as such will not appear in the abstracts book or result in a JCU citation.

## Presentation

Those abstracts accepted will be invited to present in the COVID-19 paper session on Tuesday 10 November. Presentations will be required in PowerPoint format and further information will be emailed to you closer to the meeting.