



10th European Society for Evolutionary Developmental Biology Meeting 2026

Tuesday 9th – Friday 12th June 2026

Abstract Guidelines Main Meeting

These guidelines provide information on how to submit an abstract for the Main Meeting of the 10th European Society for Evolutionary Developmental Biology Meeting 2026. If you wish to submit a presentation for Satellite meetings, this is a separate process.

Authors wishing to submit an abstract for a short talk or poster presentation are requested to submit a maximum of 50 words for the abstract title and 250 words for the abstract text in English.

Symposiums

- **S01**- Evo-Devo Principles of Plant Specialized Metabolism
- **S02**- From cell type- to tissue-evolution
- **S03**- Bioelectric signals as a new frontier in EvoDevo
- **S04**- Mechanical Forces in EvoDevo
- **S05**- The Impacts of Microbiota on Animal and Plant Development
- **S06**- Evolution through simplification and loss
- **S07**- Evo-Devo of complex life histories: agametic development, regeneration and clonality
- **S08**- Integrative Perspectives on Craniofacial Evo-Devo
- **S09**- Nutritional regulation of developmental processes
- **S10**- Skin Deep: Common Threads in the Evolution of Bilaterian Ectodermal Appendages
- **S11**- Pixels, patterns, and perception: integrative eco–evo–devo perspectives on biological colour
- **S12**- Genomics in Evo-Devo - And what next?
- **S13**- Leveraging evo-devo for conservation biology and agroecology
- **S14**- The Role of Soma-to-Germline Inheritance in Evolutionary Change
- **S15**- Evolution and development of digestive systems: from specialised cell types to complex ecosystems
- **S16**- Modularity, robustness and evolvability

- **S17**- Micro Evo Devo: Developmental Origins of Within Population Variation
- **S18**- Evo-Devo of plant forms & patterns
- **S19**- Integrating Gene Regulatory Networks into Evo-Devo: Linking Molecular Mechanisms to Trait Evolution
- **S20**- Open Symposium
- **S21**- Advances in theoretical evo-devo
- **S22**- Forty years of molecular paleontology and beyond

Authors may submit their abstract for a short talk or poster participation to one or two Symposia, depending on the relevance to their scientific theme; however, the abstract will be considered for selection in only one Symposium.

The Open Symposium will be organized by the Scientific Committee based on the quality and subject matter of the submitted abstracts. Authors who feel that their work does not align with any of the other Symposia are encouraged to apply to the Open Symposium.

All abstracts need to be submitted via the online abstract submission form.

When submitting your abstract, please note the following important instructions:

- Without exception, late submissions will not be accepted after Midnight (GMT), Thursday 5th March 2026
- Authors will be advised of the decision by the end of April / early May 2026
- All presenters (poster and short talk) will be required to register separately and pay the appropriate registration fee
- At the time of submitting your abstract, you will be asked to select the type of presentation you would like to give

Poster Presentations

Posters will be on display throughout the conference. There will also be allocated Poster Sessions.

If you intend to submit an abstract for Poster Presentation, please note the following:

- Poster boards are 2m high and 1m wide. It is recommended that posters do not exceed 90cm wide and 180cm high.