



# International Surgical Week ISW 2009

Adelaide, Australia, September 6-10, 2009



## Breast Surgery International (BSI)

### Call for Abstracts

Abstracts based on original unpublished clinical or basic research in the field of Breast Surgery and Oncology are invited for consideration for presentation as **posters or oral papers** at the **BSI scientific program** during the **ISW 2009** at Adelaide, Australia September 6-10, 2009. All abstracts must conform to the abstract submission guidelines, and be submitted online through the ISW 2009 abstract center before the deadline of February 15, 2009. Authors submitting abstracts for presentation as oral papers, if successful, should be willing to submit full length original article for publication in the World Journal of Surgery WJS.

Please also refer to the **detailed general guidelines for the submission of Abstracts ISW 2009**.

It is recommended that the abstracts be prepared, uploaded on the abstract center, and be validated at an early date. The validated abstracts can still be modified and up-dated at this stage of process. The validated abstracts would have to be **finally submitted** before the **deadline, i.e. February 15, 2009**. Only such abstracts that have been validated and submitted before deadline will be evaluated. Maximal length of abstract text has been set to 2'500 characters including blanks.

Deadline for the submission of Abstracts is strictly **February 15, 2009** (extended deadline for logistical reasons)

Information regarding **acceptance of Abstracts** will be given at [www.isw2009.org](http://www.isw2009.org) by the **end of March 2009**.

**Presenting Authors** must have **fully registered and paid** for congress participation by **April 30, 2009**. Abstracts of Presenting Authors who have not correctly registered may not be included in the Final Congress Program.

Information on the exact **day and time of presentation** will be communicated to the Presenting Author at the given e-mail address by the **end of June 2009**. Additionally, these information will be published on the congress website [www.isw2009.org](http://www.isw2009.org).

Presenting authors of **all abstracts accepted for presentation as oral papers** (including those chosen for BSI best oral paper prize session) will have to **submit a full length manuscript to the World Journal of Surgery** through its online submission system at <https://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/wjs> **latest by April 30, 2009**. Failing presenters may be prevented from presenting the paper at ISW 2009. All manuscripts must fully conform to the guidelines for submission of original articles to World Journal of Surgery.

Presenters of posters too are encouraged to submit full length manuscripts of their work to World Journal of Surgery for publication.

In case of difficulties regarding your submission contact

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