



**CALL FOR PROPOSALS
2019 ALAPTA ANNUAL CONFERENCE
AUGUST 16-17, 2019**

**Ready to share what you know with PTs, PTAs and students across the state?
Now's your chance to PLUG-IN!**

ALAPTA is seeking proposal submissions for the 2019 ALAPTA ANNUAL CONFERENCE scheduled for August 16-17, 2019 in Birmingham, Alabama. **Proposals for 3-hour education sessions/courses are now being accepted. Proposals for sessions lasting less than 3 hours will not be considered/reviewed.** Presenters can submit a proposal for a 2-session course (two 3-hour sessions); please be very clear if individuals must register for/attend BOTH sessions.

Proposal submission deadline - April 1, 2019

We are looking for content in the following overall areas, but will consider other content related to other topic areas as well:

- *Orthopaedic/Sports Physical Therapy
- *Acute Care Physical Therapy
- *Neurologic Physical Therapy
- *Geriatric Physical Therapy
- *Pediatric Physical Therapy
- *Leadership/Management

Proposal Submission Information:

- Proposal submissions for educational sessions must contain the following:

- 1) Title
- 2) Course Description
- 3) Course Objectives
- 4) Speaker Information
 - Name
 - Degrees/Credentials

- Institution
- City/State
- Brief Biographical information for each speaker

5) Target Audience (PTs, PTAs, Student PTs, Student PTAs, Other Disciplines)

6) MAXIMUM number of participants for any lab-based session.

• Important things to consider when submitting your proposal:

- 1) Sessions with lab components are popular; if your session will include a lab component, please indicate that in the description.
- 2) Please indicate if your session will require any materials/equipment that the participant will be expected to bring and list them.
- 3) Speaker information will appear exactly as submitted in all publications both in print and online. Please ensure the accuracy of this information before finalizing your submission.
- 4) The ALAPTA Education Committee will review all proposals. Selection of proposals will be based on the foundation in evidence, clarity of proposal, probable interest to participants, fiscal feasibility, and space/time constraints.
- 5) Proposals should reflect cultural and/or ethical components related to clinical practice and research as related to session content.
- 6) Proposals should be devoid of any promotional content.
- 7) Honorariums are offered at \$100/hour (\$300 per session) for one person or split among multiple speakers. One night accommodation in the conference hotel may be offered to out of town speakers. If there is more than one speaker, they will be expected to share.

Submit proposals to:

info@ptalabama.org by April 1, 2019.