



## Invitation

On behalf of the Korean Society of Spine Surgery (KSSS), I would like to extend my sincere appreciation to all who will attend the 41st International Congress of KSSS (KSSS 2024). This event marks a significant milestone as KSSS celebrates its memorable 40th anniversary that will cover the past, present, and future. KSSS 2024 will be held in Seoul again, known as the fascinating and dynamic capital city of Korea, on May 22 (Wed) – 24 (Fri), 2024.

KSSS 2024 will serve as an invaluable platform where spine surgery professionals and medical experts come together to exchange their expertise and insights. I firmly believe that your contributions will add immense value to this meeting. Your active engagement and willingness to share knowledge will infuse dynamism into the Congress, making it an engaging experience for all involved. I am genuinely grateful for the effort you put into sharing your profound knowledge and insights.

I hope that you find KSSS 2024 to be a rewarding experience and that it provides ample opportunities for you to connect with colleagues in the field. Your presence will be highly valued, and we eagerly anticipate future opportunities to welcome you again.



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**Tae-Kyun Kim, MD, PhD**President of the Korean Society of Spine Surgery

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## **(i)** Congress Information

Title	The 41st International Congress of the Korean Society of Spine Surgery
Dates	May 22 (Wed) ~ 24 (Fri), 2024
Venue	Lotte Hotel Seoul in Sogong-dong, Seoul
Host Organization	Korean Society of Spine Surgery (KSSS)
Official Language	English
Type of Conference	In-person only
Abstract Submission Deadline	January 19 (Fri), 2024
Abstract Acceptance Notifications	February 23 (Fri), 2024
Presenter Registration Deadline	March 22 (Fri), 2024
Early Bird Registration Deadline	March 31 (Sun), 2024
Standard Registration Deadline	May 15 (Wed), 2024

#### Call for Abstracts

The KSSS 2024 Organizing Committee cordially invites you to submit abstracts for oral presentations and e-posters in professional areas relevant to the work of spine research as well as evidence-based practice spine surgery. All congress abstracts must be submitted online via the "Online Submission System". Submitted abstracts will be reviewed by the Scientific Program Committee. We would like to ask for abstracts that address or discuss diversity on reviews and analysis from diverse viewpoints and angles and look forward to your keen participation and interest.

## Important Dates

Abstract Submission Deadline: January 19 (Fri), 2024 Abstract Acceptance Notice: February 23 (Fri), 2024

#### Abstract Submission Information

The Scientific Program Committee cordially invites prospective authors to submit their abstracts for presentation at the KSSS 2024, which will be held on May 22 (Wed) ~ 24 (Fri), 2024 at the Lotte Hotel Seoul, Seoul, Korea.

#### Topic

Basic ResearchMISSDeformityTumorsInfections

Lumbar

Trauma

Miscellaneous

**Presentation Type** Oral, E-poster, Either

#### **Submission Method**

Online submission ONLY through the official website: www.ksss2024.org

#### Rules of Abstract Submission

- All required fields must be completely filled with correct information. Incorrect information inputted will automatically be dropped from the abstract evaluation process. (Submitters are responsible for all errors.)
- All abstracts must be written in English including Purpose, Method, Results, Conclusion and Keywords.
- Abstracts are limited to 400 words in English and should be structured into the following headings: Introduction, Materials & Methods, Results and Conclusion. Figures, tables, graphs and images are not allowed.
- If an author is affiliated with a hospital as well as university, please enter the name of the hospital for which he/she works.
- Presenters and corresponding author will receive an e-mail confirming the receipt of the abstract(s).
- After going through the review and submitting the abstract, you should register within the registration due date. Otherwise, your
  abstracts will be dropped from the registration process.

<sup>\*</sup>Based on Korean Standard Time (GMT +9 hrs.)

#### Abstract Modification

You may modify your abstracts through our official website.

\*Deadline for Modification: January 19 (Fri), 2024

#### Confirmation of Abstract Submission

An acknowledgment of abstract submission will be automatically sent to abstract(s) submitter by e-mail upon completion of e-submission. If you do not receive an Abstract Submission Confirmation e-mail in 5 days, please contact the KSSS 2024 secretariat by e-mail(program@ksss2024.org). It is the responsibility of each individual to verify the acknowledgments and carefully review the submitted abstract and linguistic accuracy is the responsibility of the authors.

#### Notification of Abstract Acceptance

Acceptance notifications will be sent to applicants on February 23 (Fri), 2024, including presentation time, session and location by e-mail.

- If your abstract is accepted, the presenting author must reply to the acceptance notification in order to acknowledge confirm attendance by email no later than March 22 (Fri), 2024. Unless you confirm on time, your abstract(s) may not be included in the KSSS 2024 program.
- The decision of the Scientific Committee on the acceptability of the abstract is final. While an author's preferences for either an oral or poster presentation will be considered, the committee may suggest an alternative format. Authors can not dispute the committee's final decision.

The KSSS Secretariat will use personal information gathered during abstract submission process only for contact purposes to notify abstract acceptance authors.

#### Withdrawal of an Abstract

If you want to withdraw an abstract and cancel your presentation, please contact the KSSS secretariat. Deadline for abstract withdrawal is March 22 (Fri), 2024.

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# **Program at a Glance**

#### May 22 (Wed)

Time		
14:00 – 17:00	KSSS 2024 Basic Research Symposium (Belle-Vue Suite 36F)	
17:00 - 18:00	President Roundtable Meeting (Astor Suite 36F)	
18:00 – 20:00	Welcome Reception (Belle-Vue Suite 36F)	

#### May 23 (Thu)

Time	Crystal Ballroom A	Crystal Ballroom B	
07:50 - 08:00	Opening Remarks (Crystal Ballroom A+B)		
08:00 - 08:30	Free Paper 1	Free Paper 2	
08:30 - 09:00	Free Paper 3	Free Paper 4	
09:00 - 09:30	Free Paper 5	Free Paper 6	
09:30 - 09:50	Invited Lecture I	Invited Lecture II	
09:50 - 10:10	Coffee Break		
10:10 - 10:50	Plenary Lecture I (Crystal Ballroom A+B)		
10:50 - 12:05	Asian Spine Society Presidential Session	Asian Spine Society Presidential Session	
12:05 - 13:05	Sponsored Luncheon Symposium	Sponsored Luncheon Symposium	
13:05 - 14:05	Symposium	Symposium	
14:05 - 14:25	Coffee Break		
14:25 - 14:45	Invited Lecture III	Invited Lecture III Invited Lecture IV	
14:45 - 15:15	Free Paper 7	Free Paper 8	
15:15 - 15:45	Free Paper 9	Free Paper 10	
15:45 - 16:15	Free Paper 11	Free Paper 12	
16:15 - 16:40	Symposium (Crystal Ballroom A+B)		
16:40 - 17:10	KSSS General Assembly (Crystal Ballroom A)		
17:10 - 18:10	Cocktail Reception (Exhibition Hall, 3rd Floor)		
18:10 - 20:30	Gala Dinner (Crystal Ballroom A+B)		

#### May 24 (Fri)

Time	Crystal Ballroom A	Crystal Ballroom B	
08:00 – 08:30	Best Paper Candidates Presentation I (Domestic)	Free Paper 13	
08:30 - 09:00	Best Paper Candidates Presentation II (Domestic)	Free Paper 14	
09:00 - 09:30	Best Paper Candidates Presentation III (Domestic)	Free Paper 15	
09:30 - 10:00	Best Paper Candidates Presentation IV (International)	Free Paper 16	
10:00 - 10:20	Coffee Break		
10:20 - 10:50	Best Paper Candidates Presentation V (International)	Free Paper 17	
10:50 - 11:20	Best Paper Candidates Presentation VI (International)	Free Paper 18	
11:20 - 11:40	Invited Lecture V	Invited Lecture VI	
11:40 - 12:20	Plenary Lecture II (Crystal Ballroom A+B)		
12:20 - 13:20	Sponsored Luncheon Symposium	Sponsored Luncheon Symposium	
13:20 - 14:20	Symposium	Symposium	
14:20 - 14:40	Coffee Break		
14:40 - 15:10	Free Paper 19	Free Paper 20	
15:10 - 15:40	Free Paper 21	Free Paper 22	
15:40 - 16:00	Best Paper Awards (Crystal Ballroom A+B)		
16:00 - 16:10	Closing Remarks (Crystal Ballroom A+B)		
16:10 - 16:20	Farewell and Inauguration Ceremony for the President of KSSS (Crystal Ballroom A+B)		



# KSSS 2024

The 41st International Congress of Korean Society of Spine Surgery

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