



VS Review

“VS Review is hands-down the easiest abstract submission system I’ve ever encountered.”

- Dr BH Rowe,
Dept. of Emergency Medicine,
Faculty of Medicine, University of Alberta

Key VS Review Benefits:

- Multipurpose system is flexible and cost-effective; power and affordability combine in a single solution.
- Comprehensive toolkit increases administrator productivity.
- Intuitive user-interface reduces end-user frustrations and eliminates barriers to submissions.
- Worry-free hosted environment eliminates technical hassels.
- Customizable forms enhance data consistency and reliability.
- Validated review criteria can improve scoring objectivity and competition fairness.
- Superior service and support help to make your conference or event a success.

The Integrated Abstract Submission Management System

VS Review is the ideal tool for managing conference abstract submissions and peer-reviews because it delivers a comprehensive online submission management toolkit via a worry-free hosted environment.

Many leading universities, research institutes, and professional associations have already realized the advantages of trusting *VS Review* for managing conference abstract submissions and reviews.

VS Review gives you more time to plan your event, and the information to better plan it. Features such as daily submission status reports delivered directly to your email in-box, a graphical dash-board, and comprehensive planning tools will leave more time to attend to the important details of ensuring the success of your event.

For submitters, *VS Review* provides an easy-to-use interface for entering submissions. *VS Review* removes the guesswork of content submission - all submissions are available for viewing and editing right up to the deadline. Plus, the acceptance status of submissions are instantly available on authors’ accounts once results are released.

For reviewers, the intuitive peer-review capabilities facilitate careful consideration of submissions. Content can be presented in a blinded fashion if desired, and reviewers are able to review and re-score submissions as many times as necessary until the review deadline.

For administrators, the peer review management process is more efficient than ever. Integrated tools for processing submissions, administering reviewers, assigning acceptance status and presentation slots, and preparing conference documentation (such as proceedings) streamline the most time-intensive tasks of peer-review management.

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VS Review Applications

Use *VS Review* to manage **abstract** submissions and reviews for:

- Academic research days at universities and colleges
- Conferences and symposia of local, national, or international scope.

Use *VS Review* to manage **manuscript** and **article** submissions and reviews for:

- academic journals
- trade journals
- magazines
- newsletters
- websites

VS Review is ideal for managing **proposal** submissions and reviews for:

- granting agencies such as research foundations and non-profit organizations
- government agencies
- request for proposal (RFP) evaluations.

The *VS Review* team is available to assist in customizing the system to meet your particular peer review system requirements.

Features of VS Review

- Suitable for many types of organizations, including: academic institutions, conferences, academic journals, trade journals, magazines, web sites, newsletters, web sites, granting agencies, and government.
- Submissions can be “text-only” or can include attachments such as graphs and word processing documents
- PDF “print-ready” previews of submissions are generated on demand
- Review criteria are customizable - use our standard templates, or create your own review criteria.
- The system is accessible to your clients through a hypertext link directly from your organization’s or conference’s website
- *VS Review* can be tailored to custom-suite many dif-

ferent requirements using flexible options, including:

- Pull-down menu options that can be customized
- Labels of standard data collection elements that can be changed
- Custom fields that can be added to submitter information and submission forms to suite your data collection requirements.
- All submissions with file attachments are automatically scanned for viruses to enhance security
- Privacy and security of information is protected using industry-accepted standards
- Submission and review administration capabilities include:
 - tracking the number of submissions received and reviews completed
 - assigning reviewers to submissions
 - viewing and comparing scores
 - assigning submission status (accept/reject)
- Immediate availability of submissions, review scores, and submission status (when published)
- Supports administrators in navigating and managing the submission process and flow of information

Pricing

Whether you’re expecting 50 or 5000 submissions, *VS Review* is the ideal choice for a web-based peer review management system. Our flexible pricing options ensure that *VS Review* is a cost-effect solutions no matter how many submissions you manage.

Special pricing (and sponsorship options) are offered to academic institutions - contact us for more information.

About VS Communications

VS Review is developed by *VS Communications Inc.*, a leading provider of advanced information management software including research survey management software and a personalized internet portal system.

For more information

To learn more about *VS Review* (or our other software solutions), please email us at info@vsreview.com or visit our website at www.vsreview.com.