Research, are you a part of our broad and inclusive arthritis community? Then CARC 2022 is the event for you!

The Arthritis Society (AS), Canadian Rheumatology Association (CRA), and CIHR-IMHA are delighted to co-host the third annual Canadian Arthritis Research Conference (CARC), virtually February 7-8, 2022. The conference will feature a range of presentations, discussions, and networking opportunities with experts, researchers, consumers and emerging leaders who make up the arthritis community.

In keeping with equity principles, open science, and the wisdom of crowds, we invite you to submit applications for keynote speakers and symposia for February 7 and 8, 2022.

Submit applications

Specifically, we are inviting submissions for:
• 20 minutes keynote (two individuals) and
• 90 minutes symposia (3-speaker panel)

Given that CARC 2022 will be virtual there is an opportunity to have a mix of national and international speakers. All speakers must be available to present virtually on February 7, 8, 2022, 11:40 a.m. – 16:30 p.m. ET.

Submissions will be evaluated by the CARC Scientific Committee. We will consider the importance and impact of the topic, stakeholder involvement, principles of equity, diversity, inclusivity and indigenous rights, and in the case of symposia, a panel composed of multiple disciplines.

Guidelines for applications can be found here. Submissions should be through CARC’s online system.

All applications must be received by August 31, 2021, 11:59 p.m. ET.