



International Herpetological Symposium  
June 18-21, 2025  
Gainesville, Florida

## ***CALL FOR ABSTRACTS***

Abstracts are invited for oral and poster presentations at the annual meeting of the International Herpetological Symposium to be held June 18-21, 2025. Presentations are invited on all topics related to amphibians and reptiles, particularly the following:

- \* Programs on Specific Species In Nature: Life History of the Angle-headed Lizard, Observations on Lace Monitors in Biggaloo Park, Australia, A Research Project Centered on the Feeding Strategies of Hellbenders in Missouri, etc.
- \* Local conservation and herpetofauna: The Herpetofauna of SNP, Amphibian diversity of TN, etc...
- \* Ex-Situ Management of Reptiles and Amphibians: Husbandry, Natural or Artificial Reproduction, Exhibit Design and Maintenance, Health and Medical Issues, Assurance and Reintroduction Colonies, Research, Education Outreach, etc.
- \* In-Situ Conservation of Reptiles and Amphibians: Species Manipulation, Augmentation, Headstarting, Reintroduction, Habitat Management and Restoration, Monitoring, Research, Education Outreach, etc.
- \* Reptile and Amphibian Health and Nutrition: Infectious Disease, Common and Emerging Trends, Treatment, Diets, Vitamin Supplementation, Pathology, Research, etc.

Poster presentations are strongly recommended for general updates. Opportunities to interact with poster presenters will be facilitated during the symposium.

Oral presentations will range in time from 15 minutes to one hour and should only be given if there is new or innovative information to be shared with the audience. There are limited speaker slots, so some presenters may be asked to consider a poster presentation.



Registration is required for all presenters. The registration form can be obtained at: <https://www.iherpsymp.org/registration-hotel>

DEADLINE for submission of abstracts to be considered is 20th of April.

How to Submit Abstracts:

Abstracts should be submitted electronically to [myke@herpconservation.org](mailto:myke@herpconservation.org)

Please include "IHS Abstract" in the subject line. Include the abstract as an attachment (Microsoft WORD) and identify whether you prefer an oral or poster presentation. See instructions below for preparing abstracts.

#### INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING ABSTRACTS

Submissions should include a brief title, author's name, affiliation, email, abstract and preferred method of presentation (oral or poster).

- \* Abstracts should summarize the content of the oral or poster presentation and include important conclusions.
- \* The text of the abstract should be no more than 250 words.
- \* Use Times New Roman (12 point) for text. Scientific names should be italicized.
- \* List the senior author first and indicate the presenting author by underlining his or her name.

Applicants will be notified by email regarding receipt of submissions. If you have any further questions, please contact [myke@herpconservation.org](mailto:myke@herpconservation.org)