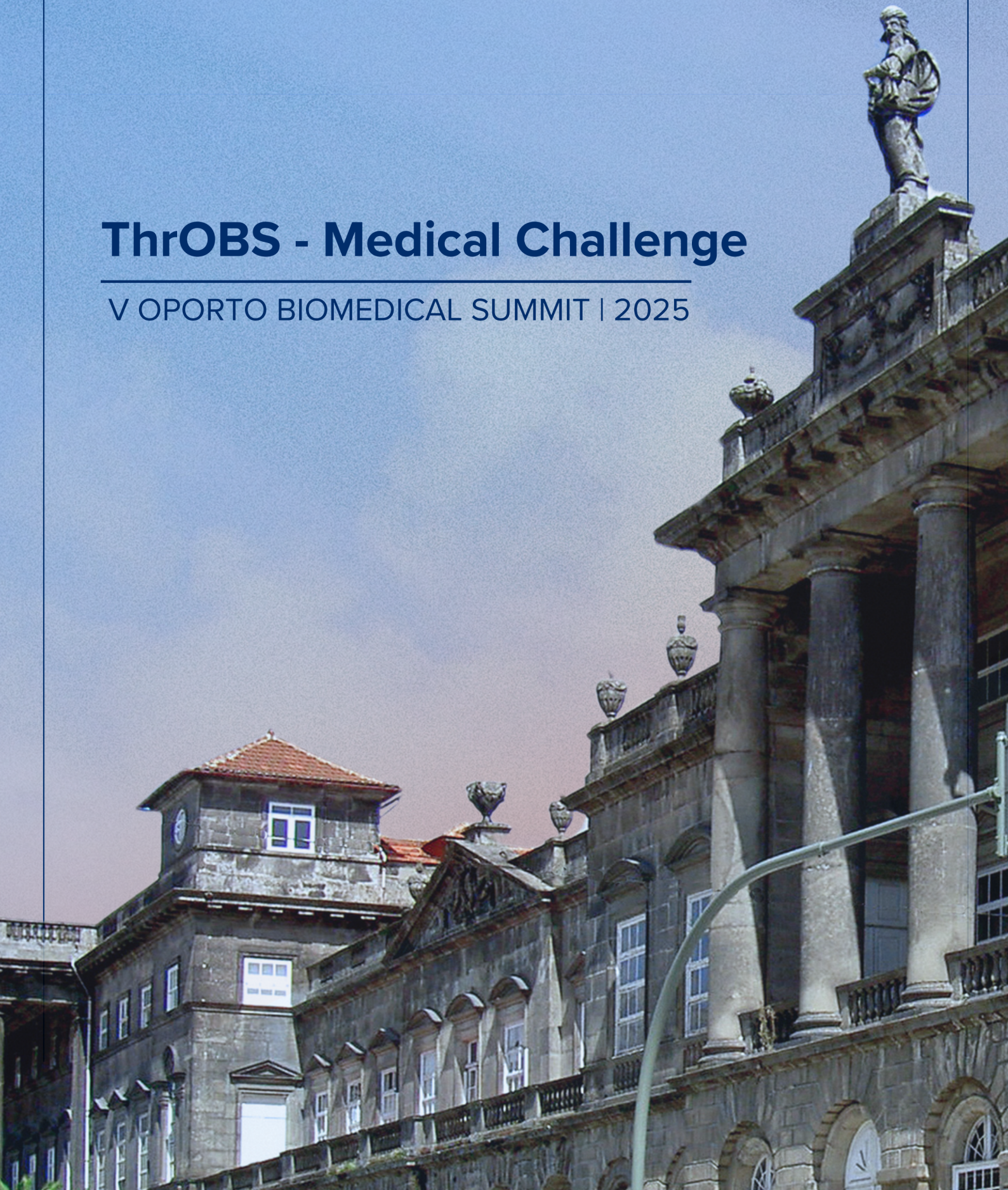


ThrOBS - Medical Challenge

V OPORTO BIOMEDICAL SUMMIT | 2025



THROBS - MEDICAL CHALLENGE

Article 1 - Introduction

1. This regulation applies to the competition *ThrOBS - Medical Challenge*, which aims to foster the **medical** and **scientific knowledge** acquired throughout the Medical degree and to stimulate **preclinical and clinical reasoning**, applied to clinical cases.
2. The *ThrOBS - Medical Challenge* will occur on **11th of April**, at **17h30min GMT**, at a place to be announced later by email.

Article 2 - Competition

1. This competition consists of a **quiz** featuring **clinical cases**, organized into **two categories**: a **Pre-clinical quiz** and a **Clinical quiz**, in partnership with **Perguntas da Especialidade**©.
2. The **Pre-clinical** quiz is aimed at students enrolled from the **1st to the 3rd years**, whilst the **Clinical** quiz is intended for students from the **4th to the 6th years** of Medical school.
 - a. The **Pre-clinical** quiz consists of questions about **Basic Sciences**, such as Anatomy, Physiology and Physiopathology.
 - b. The **Clinical** quiz consists of clinical cases about **Medical and Surgical Specialties**.
3. The ThrOBS session will have an estimated **total duration of one hour**.
 - a. The quizzes are being held in separate rooms and will be occurring simultaneously.
 - b. Both quizzes will have a duration of approximately 30 minutes, with the rest of the time being used for the setting and organization of the competing groups.
4. The participants must be **Medical students** in a **Portuguese Medical School** who are **participants of the V Oporto Biomedical Summit** (holding either a Full ticket or a Partial ticket).
 - a. Mobility students may attend this competition, but not participate in it.
 - b. The participation is **free of charge** (i.e. it is already included both in Full and Partial tickets).



5. Each competing group must be composed of **three members**.
 - a. All team members must be enrolled in the **appropriate curricular years for the chosen category**.
 - b. Every team must have **at least one mobile device** that can connect to the platform Kahoot®, through which the quiz will take place.
 - i. The Organizing Committee does not take responsibility for any break in the Wi-Fi connection or any other problem pertaining to personal devices that may occur during the challenge. It is up to the team members to solve the situation as they see fit.
6. The maximum capacity for the Pre-Clinical and Clinical quizzes is **twenty teams per category**.
7. The answers will be cumulatively ranked according to the following criteria (in order of priority):
 - a. Correct and timely answer;
 - b. Correct and late answer;
 - c. Incorrect answer.

Article 3 - Registrations and Selection Process

1. Registrations will take place online, via Google Forms®, whose link will be provided on the V Oporto Biomedical Summit's social media.
2. Registrations will take place between **17th of March (21h30min GMT)** and **31st of March (23h59min GMT)**, 2025.
 - a. Students attending different curricular years will be distributed according to the cycle of studies they are in (considering what is stated in the Sigarra platform).
3. Only one registration should be submitted per team, i.e. **one member will be responsible for filling out the form** with the requested information (Article 3, point 4) regarding all members of their respective group.
4. The registration process will require the following personal data:
 - a. Data Protection Policy Agreement;
 - b. Category (Pre-clinical or Clinical);
 - c. Name of the team;
 - d. Each participant's data:
 - i. Full name;
 - ii. Preferred Pronouns;
 - iii. E-mail;



- iv. Phone Number (with International Dialing Code);
 - v. Citizen Identification number;
 - vi. Medical school;
 - vii. Curricular year;
 - viii. Proof of enrollment.
5. Once the application form is submitted, it is implied that all the members of the team accept the terms of this regulation and agree with the ICBAS-UP Students' Association (AEICBAS) Data Protection Policy.
6. The **validation of the registration** is subject to **receipt of a confirmation email** from the Organizing Committee.
7. The **selection criteria** will be the **order of registration**.
- a. In the event that more than one form is submitted per group, the one that will count as valid for the selection will correspond to the last submission.

Article 4 - Prizes

1. Prizes are **not convertible into monetary value** in each of the Quizzes and are **only valid for courses at Perguntas da Especialidade**©.
- a. **Pre-clinical** quiz prizes for the top 3 groups, by descending order of the ranking:
 - i. **PNA Preparation Module** of choice (except the Medicine module) at Perguntas da Especialidade©, **individually** to the **three elements** of the winning team (first prize);
 - ii. **150€ voucher**, discounted in **training modules**, **individually** to the **three elements** of the team ranked in second place (second prize);
 - iii. **75€ voucher**, discounted in **training modules**, **individually** to the **three elements** of the team ranked in third place (third prize);
2. **Clinical** quiz prizes for the top 3 groups, by descending order of the ranking:
- a. **Intensive Course** at Perguntas da Especialidade©, **individually** to the **three elements** of the winning team (first prize);
 - b. **300€ voucher**, discounted in **training modules**, **individually** to the **three elements** of the team ranked in second place (second prize);
 - c. **150€ voucher**, discounted in **training modules**, **individually** to the **three elements** of the team ranked in third place (third prize).
3. Perguntas da Especialidade© is responsible for further contact with the team elements to arrange the prizes attribution and discuss more detailed information.



Article 5 - Final Provisions

1. Any questions may be clarified via email to scientific.obs@gmail.com with the subject "QUESTION - ThrOBS Medical Challenge"

Article 6 - Omissions

1. All the omissive situations in the present regulation shall be deliberated by the present OBS Organising Committee, whose decision will be final.

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