

NATA COPA Con 2024: *Trends and Technology*

Virtual Conference on Practice Advancement

The athletic training profession is rapidly evolving, driven by technological advancements and emerging trends. To support and propel this progress, we are pleased to announce the opening of the call for proposals for the COPA Con 2024.

[Submission Portal](#)

The NATA Council on Practice Advancement (COPA) is a settings-based council comprised of members who represent the following settings:

Armed Forces	Rehabilitation Clinic
Health Care Administration	Occupational
Performing Arts	Physician Practice
Private and Emerging Practice	Public Safety
Community Outreach	Analytics and Outcomes

Submission Deadline: Dec.8, 2023

Theme: Trends and Technology

Location: Event opens April 12, 2024

This conference aims to foster a dynamic exchange of ideas and insights, facilitating a deeper understanding of how technology and current trends are shaping the future of athletic training.

We invite submissions that:

- Highlight innovative strategies, best practices and evidence-based approaches that embrace the latest advancements in technology and address the evolving trends in the athletic training profession.
- Demonstrate the transferability of these insights to multiple emerging practice settings.
- Share practical and relatable ways of applying the presented skills and technology.

Note: *Presenters should plan to discuss how the focus of their presentation is relevant to the settings listed above.*

Programming Review Process

- All programming proposals will undergo a blind review for completion and adherence to the submission guidelines. Any proposal that doesn't follow the guidelines or is incomplete will be returned without review.
- Speakers will be notified of acceptance in January 2024 and be required to schedule a time to pre-record prior to Feb. 28, 2024.
- Speakers will be required to submit their slides and content at least one week prior to recording to undergo review to ensure proper citations, permissions and disclosures are included.
- Proposal submissions must avoid any affiliation with a commercial product or service.