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The Conference Committee of Intensive Care Innovation 2027 Milan welcomes the submission of abstracts of original contribution to the field.
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- Do not submit abstracts reporting data already published.
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- Preference will be given to new and/or ongoing work.
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