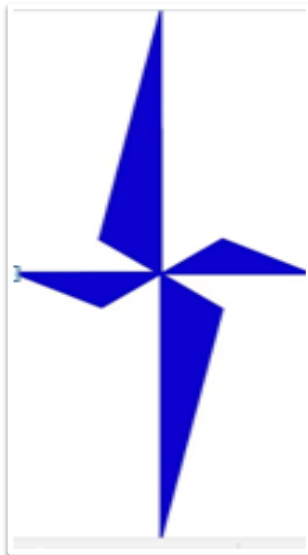


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2ND ANNOUNCEMENT
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CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

INVITATION AND GENERAL GUIDELINES

Dear Cross-Cultural Colleagues and Friends,

The Scientific Committee for the 9th IACCP European [Regional] Congress invites you to submit abstracts for our Warsaw 2017 conference. The deadline for abstract submission is **December 31th 2016**. All abstracts will be submitted to peer-review, coordinated by the Scientific Committee. Notification of acceptance will be e-mailed to the corresponding author latest by February 28th, 2017, together with detailed information and guidelines.

The motto of the Congress is: *From a Cross-Cultural Perspectives: Conflict and Cooperation in Shaping the Future of Europe*. From this formulation, Scientific Committee has derived five thematic tracks:

- Acculturation among Immigrants and Refugees vs. Multiculturalism in receiving society;
- Integration and Conflict: Identities in Europe;
- Intergroup processes: Ethnic and National Conflicts;
- Religions, Ideologies, Political Processes in Current and Historical Perspectives;
- Improving intergroup relations: Applications of Cross-cultural Psychology.

Proposals can be submitted for:

- Group sessions - Symposia and Panel discussions
- Individual Oral and Poster Presentations

We are looking forward to receiving your contributions in these tracks as well as other fields of your research and expertise. If you have any questions with regard to Abstract Submission, please contact us at iaccp_poland@swps.edu.pl. On behalf of the IACCP 9th European [Regional] Conference - Warsaw 2017 Scientific Committee,

Prof. Dr. Fons J. R. van de Vijver
IACCP President
Tilburg University,
The Netherlands

Prof. dr hab. Paweł Boski
Congress President
SWPS University of Social Sciences and Humanities
Warsaw, Poland

Confirmed Keynote Speakers and Invited Symposia

It is a great pleasure to let you know, that we have a list of excellent confirmed keynote speakers and invited symposia conveners.

INVITED SYMPOSIUM: GUIDELINES

Submission Guidelines

Please read this information carefully before proceeding to submit your Invited Symposium.

Submission process

Please submit your abstract using our [Abstract Submission Platform](#).

Important dates

Deadline for the submission of the invited symposium including title, contents and participants' documentation is **December 31th, 2016**.

Language

Submissions shall be done in English.

Symposium Format

An Invited Symposium is designed to be a focused session in which distinguished speakers present on a common theme, issue or question. As a major event of the Congress the invited symposium should target themes of particular relevance and able to attract a broad audience. It would usually consist of a chairperson briefly introducing the topic and providing an introduction to the session. This would usually be followed by 4 to 6 individual speakers (ideally 3 from different affiliations or countries), and ending with concluding remarks by a discussant. Every effort should be made to ensure close interaction between the speakers and to provide

new and non-overlapping presentations. There should be opportunity for the audience to ask questions to presenters and for an exchange of views.

Regular invited symposium will run for 90 minutes. With 6, or more, speakers and a discussant, the symposium can be planned as a double session (150 min).

Submission rules

All presenters and discussants are required to register at the Congress. The invited organizer will be waived from paying the registration fees at the Congress, but other participants/presenters should pay registration fees.

Disclaimer

The invitation to submit a symposium does not constitute an offer to pay travel, accommodation or registration costs associated with the Congress.

By submitting a symposium the organizer:

1. Confirms that presentations have not been published before;
2. Grants the Organizing Committee permission to publish the abstract in hard copy or electronic format;
3. Grants a non-exclusive right to publish, reproduce, distribute, display and store the abstract worldwide in all forms, formats and media now known or as developed in the future, including print, electronic and digital forms. Organizers will retain copyright of abstracts, although authors will be entitled to the moral rights of the abstract;
4. Grants permission for the presentations to be audio/video recorded and hereby grant to the Congress a non-exclusive right to reproduce or display and store the recorded material for the purpose of providing Professional Development either by download from the ECP 2015 or the hosts websites or via distribution of a CD/DVD;
5. Grants permission for the PDF of presentations to be made available online to all conference delegates following the congress.

The symposium summary cannot contain more than 3000 characters (blank spaces and punctuation are included. Title and authors' list & affiliation are not included).

The structure should be as follows:

1. Title of the symposium;
2. List of authors (including the symposium organizer as first author and discussant if any);
3. Macro Area and topic;
4. Introduction & Objectives of the Symposium (max. **3000** characters, spaces included);
5. Speakers presentations' titles, full names, affiliations, cities and countries;
6. Abstracts of presentation (max.**1500** characters, spaces included, each);
7. It is not possible to insert tables or images;
8. Abbreviations may be used after defining them first.

For your convenience please [download an IACCP Invited symposium template](#).

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Invited symposium structure

1. Title

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2. List of authors

Convenor:

Paul Smith

Presenters:

Adrian Jones

Andrew Williams

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Adam Brown

Carl Davies

Discussant:

James Wright

3. Thematic Track and topics:

Thematic Track:

Topics:

4. Introduction & Objectives (3000 characters, spaces included)

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GUIDELINES PROPOSED SYMPOSIUM

Submission Guidelines

Please read this information carefully before proceeding to submit your proposed Symposia.

Important dates

Submission deadline for the submission of the proposed symposia including title, contents and participants documentation: **December 31th, 2016**

Acceptance notification: **February 1, 2017.**

Language

Submissions shall be done in English.

Symposium Format

A Proposed Symposium is designed to be a focused session in which distinguished speakers present on a common theme, issue or question of particular relevance. It would usually consist of a chairperson briefly introducing the topic and providing an introduction to the session. This would usually be followed by at least 3 but no more than 5 individual speakers (ideally from different affiliations or countries), and ending with concluding remarks by a discussant. Every effort should be made to ensure close interaction between the speakers and to provide new and non-overlapping presentations. There should be opportunity for the audience to ask questions to presenters and for an exchange of views. A regular symposium session will run for 90 minutes; double sessions may be considered for important topics and strong panels.

Submission rules and criteria for review:

All submissions will be considered on the basis of the interest of the individual submission and will be ranked according to the following criteria:

1. Relevance to Congress themes (see themes);
2. Significance of content in terms of applications;

3. Relevance of content to audience;
4.
 - coherence with the general theme and the five thematic tracks relevance for advancement of psychological knowledge and practice;
 - theoretical and empirical basis;
 - clarity of ideas and soundness of methods applied;
 - ecological and ethical implications.

All presenters and discussants are required to register and pay to attend the Congress. The acceptance of a submission does not imply funding of registration, travel arrangements, accommodation or other costs by the Congress Organizers.

A submission which does not adhere to these rules is likely to be rejected.

Proposed symposium: Structure

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3. The research area and specific topic;
4. Introduction & Objectives of the Symposium (2000 characters, spaces included);
5. Speakers presentations' titles, full names, affiliations, and countries;
6. Abstracts of presentation (1000 characters, spaces included, each);
7. It is not possible to insert tables or images;
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For your convenience please [download the IACCP Warsaw 2017 Proposed Symposium Template](#).

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PANEL DISCUSSION: GUIDELINES and STRUCTURE

Panel discussions consist of 3 to 5 speakers selected for some shared interest or expertise in an area. Panelists respond to one or more questions or issues, with time allotted (generally 90 minutes) for interaction among the speakers and with the audience. A panel discussion is organized by a chairperson who serves as the session's moderator. In service of being more data aware, we encourage you to include research and data pertinent to your presentation (if applicable) with your proposal. **The deadline for submission is December 31, 2016.**

- Title
- Components
- Topic Areas (primary)
- Target Audience
- Abstract
- Panel Chair, Affiliation, Email Address
- Panelists Names, Affiliations, and Email Addresses
- CVs for all presenters (to attach) (doc, pdf, etc.)
- 3 Educational Objectives
- Audio & Visual Needs
- Commercial Support Information & Disclosure
- Other information

By presenting a Panel the organizer:

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The criteria for Panel Proposal review are:

- coherence with the general theme and the five thematic tracks relevance for advancement of psychological knowledge and practice;
- theoretical and empirical basis;
- clarity of ideas and soundness of methods applied;
- ecological and ethical implications.

The panel session summary cannot contain more than 2000 characters (blank spaces and punctuation are included. Title and authors' list & affiliation are not included)..

The structure should be as follows:

1. Title of the panel discussion;
2. List of authors (including the panel organizer and moderator);
3. The research area and specific topic;
4. Introduction & Objectives of the Panel (2000 characters, spaces included);

5. Speakers presentations' titles, full names, affiliations, and countries;
6. Abstracts of presentation (500 characters, spaces included, each);
7. It is not possible to insert tables or images;
8. Abbreviations may be used after defining them first.

For your convenience please [download the IACCP Warsaw 2017 Panel Discussion Template](#).

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GENERAL ABSTRACT GUIDELINES: INDIVIDUAL PAPER OR POSTER PRESENTATION

For each abstract submitted, the proposer must specify no more than one thematic area that best describe the contents of the contribution in order of relevance. **The deadline for individual paper and poster submission is January 15th, 2017.** The Scientific Committee reserves the right to change the topic if necessary.

All abstracts will be subjected to peer-review, coordinated by the Scientific Committee. Original work that has not been published or accepted for presentation elsewhere is preferred. Anti-plagiarism software will be used before an abstract is accepted.

The criteria for review are:

- coherence with the general theme and the five thematic tracks relevance for advancement of psychological knowledge and practice;
- theoretical and empirical basis;
- clarity of ideas and soundness of methods applied;
- ecological and ethical implications.

Notification of acceptance by the Scientific Committee will be emailed to the corresponding author. Please note that the Scientific Committee reserves the right to change submissions for oral presentations to posters, rather than refusing abstracts, depending on the number, theme, and quality of submissions.

Submitting authors grant congress organizers permission to publish their abstracts online and in electronic devices. Likewise authors grant congress organizers permission to use personal information, received and required from participants, before and after the congress, for statistical purposes.

The acceptance of abstracts by the Scientific Committee does not imply any financial assistance or fee deduction. Presenting authors must register by April 15th 2017 to ensure that their presentation will be included in the IACCP 2017.

Below are listed some general guidelines relating to the required formatting and content of the abstract. Carefully prepared abstracts facilitate the review process, as it is easier to judge the quality of presentations that are thoroughly and concisely described.

1. Abstracts must be in English. If English is not the authors' first language, it is recommended that the abstract should be proofread by an English native speaker;
2. Please follow the pre-formatted fields indicated in the forms. It should be noted that the abstract should not exceed **1500** characters (including spaces), not counting the title of the paper;
3. The title should be brief (a maximum of 150 characters including spaces), clearly indicating the contents of the abstract;
4. Use Arabic numerals for all numbers except at the beginning of a sentence where they should be written out. Use standard abbreviations and symbols. Keep abbreviations to a minimum and define each one when it is used for the first time. Do not include any figures or tables in abstracts, and do not submit attachments, slides, or any reference materials with the abstracts;
5. Please write the abstract with a word-processing program, check spelling and grammar, proofread carefully, copy and paste it into the form. Choose appropriate thematic areas and topics from the list provided. Please ensure you choose your areas and topics in order of relevance;
6. Abstracts cannot be modified (in their authorship, title and contents) after the deadline for abstract submission. Log in on the Personal Page using username and password;
7. Things to consider including when writing the abstract:
 - (i) A statement of the purpose of the presentation (preferably in one sentence);
 - (ii) A brief mention of the theoretical framework, if applicable, and/or the rationale for the contribution;
 - (iii) A summary of the results obtained (if it is an empirical study), or the major points to be made;
 - (iv) A conclusion;
 - (v) A brief reflection on theoretical, methodological, and ethical implications.

For your convenience please download the IACCP General Guidelines.

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Submission Deadlines

Submission period is open with this Announcement going public.

Type of submission	Deadline	Acceptance decision I	Acceptance decision II
Symposia and round table sessions	December 31, 2016	February 1, 2017	February 15, 2017
Individual papers and poster presentations	January 15, 2017	February 15, 2017	February 28, 2017

Registration fees and dates

Categories of participants	Registration Fee (Euro)	
	Early Bird 03/1 - 04/15/17	Regular after 04/16- 06/15/17
Regular IACCP members	250	310
Non-members of IACCP	360	450
Participants from low income countries (irrespective of membership)	160	200
Students (all categories)	130	160
Accompanying persons	130	160

Attention

There will be a substantial financial support for participants originating from low income countries, probably with an emphasis on participants from Eastern Europe. Rules for applications and granting will be announced separately by an IACCP Committee, chaired by Prof. Klaus Boehnke.