

October 10, 2017

Dear Colleague,

Abstract submission

You only have a few weeks left to submit an abstract for the 5th European IRPA Congress.

The deadline for submission is **1 November 2017**.

After this deadline the extended Scientific Programme Committee (SPC) will start its difficult work to establish a highly attractive congress programme.

Posters

Unfortunately the number of time slots for oral presentations will be limited. The SPC therefore decided to offer the best contributions that are not selected for an oral presentation the opportunity to present their poster during **short pitches**.

For this purpose we will for the first time in IRPA Congress history use **digital screens** to present these poster pitches.

Apart from that, there will be regular poster sessions with all posters mounted in the old fashioned way. However, the congress organization will take care of printing and mounting posters in order to prevent empty poster screens during the congress. We will therefore ask your cooperation in submitting your poster timely, e.g. a few weeks before the start of the congress.

We are awaiting your abstracts!



The Local Organizing Committee of the 5th European IRPA Congress



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<https://www.linkedin.com/groups/8633053>

You will find further detailed information on our website:

- www.irpa2018europe.com
General Congress News
- <http://www.irpa2018europe.com/registration>
Registration – Note the deadline for early bird registration: February 1st, 2018
- <http://irpa2018europe.com/registration/call-for-abstracts/>
Call for Abstracts – Deadline 1 November 2017

For questions, please contact our congress secretariat at info@irpa2018europe.com.

We look forward to meet you at the IRPA Congress next year and we thank you in advance for your cooperation with regard to our special request.

You are kindly requested to distribute this invitation among the members of your Associate Society and other interested professionals.

We would specifically notify you about the approaching deadline for abstract submission.