IACCP 9th European Conference

Warsaw 2017

[July 16 - 19]

2nd Announcement
And
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.

Violence as the means of attaining societal goals

A world leading political psychologist, and the dean of Polish psychologists; in his long and very productive academic career, Professor Reykowski's research endeavors have covered a wide range of topics: the psychology of emotions; personality, prosocial orientations and altruism; and political psychology, for the last 30 years. He has been a champion of non-antagonistic and deliberative democracy. Actively involved in the transformation from communism to democracy in Poland. He is the founder of Psychology Institute, Polish Academy of Sciences, and co-founder of SWPS University of Social Sciences and Humanities. Internationally, he served as President of the International Society for Political Psychology.

Professor Janusz Reykowski
Institute of Psychology
Polish Academy of Sciences
What does it mean to be a European? - The challenge of diversity

Professor Peter Smith is a renowned cross-cultural psychologist, former editor of the *Journal of Cross-Cultural Psychology*, and President of the International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology. He specializes in methodology, and particularly in studies on response biases across cultures.

His other fields of expertise include organizational psychology and social identities, where he represents the Tajfelian legacy in British social psychology.

The Theory of Emancipation: A Psychological Explanation of Societal Progress

Professor Christian Welzel is a political scientist, widely known for his involvement in the World Values Survey, and research on democracy in connection with cultural values and culture transformation. Theory of emancipation is the leading theme of his work, on which his lecture will be focused.

Professor Constantine Sedikides is the Director of the Research Center on Self-identity at University of Southampton. His illustrious academic career is connected with studying various aspects of the human self: self-evaluation motives (self-enhancement, self-protection, self-improvement); cultural/religious influences on self-esteem; narcissism; implicit and explicit strategies deployed to protect the self against threatening feedback; and nostalgia.

50 years on from the first cross-cultural investigations of perceptual categories, is there anything left to learn? [State of the Art lecture]

Professor Debi Roberson is highly recognized for her categorical perception studies on color and facial expressions. She has been continuing the research thread initiated by Ekman and Friesen; and Heider-Rosch in the sixties of last century. She will summarize these studies, comparing advanced civilizations of the West and East with traditional cultures in Papua New Guinea and Africa,. In light of the current European situation (mass migrations, refugees, etc), discussion of the importance of understanding subtle differences on fundamental psychological processes will be provided.
Invited Symposia

Europe’s culture(s): Negotiating cultural meanings, values, and identities in the European context

Professor Veronica Benet-Martinez has an outstanding research record in personality and social psychology. In the field of cross-cultural psychology she is particularly known for her work on culture frame switch and bicultural identity integration.

The symposium she convenes will aim to: (1) showcase and integrate the emerging, and yet already diverse, cultural and cross-cultural psychological research conducted within the European context, (2) formally discuss how European-based findings might compare with previously observed findings based on research with non-European cultures, and (3) shed light from a (cross-)cultural perspective onto the current challenges that European identity faces.

Cross-cultural issues in political psychology

Professor Michael H. Bond, has for decades been one of the central figures in cross-cultural psychology, specializing in personality and social psychology research. He is, with the late Kwok Leung, a co-author of social axioms theory.

Here, he convenes a symposium on cross-cultural issues in political psychology.
The impact of history and it's representations on current psychological processes

Professor Michał Bilewicz is director of the Center for the Study of Prejudice at Faculty of Psychology, University of Warsaw. He specializes in historically entrenched, antagonistic and prosocial intergroup relations. Psychological studies on prejudice and discrimination occur within the context of current events and historical events which feed collective memory across generations. Studies from various arenas, bridging psychology and history will be presented.

Cultures and religions: Understanding Muslim-Christian relations in secularized Europe

Professor Vassilis Saroglou is a former President of the International Association for the Psychology of Religion, Fellow of the Society of Personality and Social Psychology, and recipient of the William James Award 2017 from the American Psychological Association-Division 36.

The symposium will focus on cross-cultural psychological issues related to (a) the interplay between religion and ethnicity, (b) inter-religious relations and conflict, and (c) the role of the secular cultural context of European countries.
Intercultural dialogue between antagonists: Is it possible?

Professor Vladimir A. Yanczuk holds a position at the Belarus State University and at the Academy of Postgraduate Education in Minsk. Professor Yanczuk is a regularly invited scholar to top universities in the former Soviet Republics. He is member of numerous Belarus, Russian and international committees and associations, and group research projects on academic and applied psychology.

National conflicts between Russia and its neighbors, former USSR republics, have escalated in recent years. The symposium will present research data and panel discussion between East European scholars.

The Unfulfilled Promise of Intercultural Identity?

Professor Milton J. Bennett is the author of Developmental Model of Intercultural Sensitivity (DMIS), which offers theoretical foundations for research and professional practice. His stage model proposes a developmental path from ethnocentrism to ethnorelativism. This model is broadly implemented in intercultural training programs.

Professor Bennett is a Director of Intercultural Development Research Institute, he splits his scholarly and professional activities between Oregon in USA and Milano in Italy.

Prior to the conference, he will lead a workshop in Gdańsk, and in Warsaw he leads a symposium/panel discussion.
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;
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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

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PROPOSED SYMPOSIUM GUIDELINES

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

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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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

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- 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;
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INDIVIDUAL PAPER OR POSTER PRESENTATION GUIDELINES

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;
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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.

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**Submission Deadlines**
Submission period is open with this Announcement going public.

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**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.

**More to come soon....**

Information about hotels, student residence accommodation; conference and post-conference tours, and anything pertaining to your visit and stay in Poland will appear on our web page shortly. Our mission is to make your Conference time scientifically fruitful, interpersonally enjoyable, and culturally enriching.
ON THE ROAD TO THE WARSAW 2017 CONFERENCE:

THE FLASHBACK FROM PULTUSK 2000 AT THE NAGOYA 2016

we invite you all,

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