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## ICP2020



### WORLD PSYCHOLOGY is coming to Prague, Czech Republic July 19 - 24, 2020

Prague will be hosting the International Congress of Psychology 2020 (ICP2020), the flagship event of IUPsyS. The first ICP was held back in 1889. ICP2020 is working hard to make the upcoming 32nd ICP in Prague the best, most productive and most memorable event.



The ICP is convened only once in four years. It will be a very special opportunity to personally meet colleagues in your field from around the world as well as prominent thought leaders of psychology, such as Philip Zimbardo, Robert Cialdini, Elizabeth Loftus, Christina Maslach and many others.

The Prague Congress Centre, the main venue of the event, is situated adjacent to the popular UNESCO cultural heritage site Vyšehrad a peaceful and spiritual complement to the conference buzz.



Philip Zimbardo



Robert Cialdini



Christina Maslach



Elizabeth Loftus

## CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

The Scientific Committee of the 32nd ICP congress is pleased to invite scholars from all around the world to submit their abstracts for oral presentations, symposia and poster sessions. Please go to [www.icp2020.com](http://www.icp2020.com)

Be inspired but by no way limited by thematic topics which we announced so far and by the congress motto: 'Open Minds, Societies and the World.'

Represent yourself, your nation,  
country and region and join us at the ICP2020!



See you in Prague at this extraordinary event!



## News from National Members and Affiliates

### DANISH PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION



The Danish Psychological Association was founded on 23 June 1947 by 37 psychologists. Currently the association numbers more than 10 000 members. The members consist of individuals with a:

- Masters of Science in Psychology (MSc)
- Masters of Educational Psychology
- Masters of Arts (MA)
- Psychology students at the Universities of Copenhagen, Aarhus, Aalborg and Southern Denmark .

The aims of the Danish Psychological Association are:

- To protect the professional, financial and copyright related interests of its members.
- To promote interest in the discipline of psychology and awareness of its significance.
- To try to ensure better conditions for psychological research and practical psychological work, and to ensure that the education, including further training of psychologists, is in accordance with the findings of psychological research.
- To promote cooperation and understanding between psychologists and other professional groups who have shared interests.
- To seek to ensure growth and development through psychological health and welfare.

The Danish Psychological Association is member of the International Union of Psychological Science, the European Federation of Professional Psychologists' Associations and the Committee of Nordic Psychological Association.

### LITHUANIAN PSYCHOLOGY ASSOCIATION CELEBRATES 60TH ANNIVERSARY



The Lithuanian Psychology Association (LPA) has been a member of IUPsyS for more than 17 years. LPA is the largest association of psychologists in Lithuania, comprising of more than 600 individual members, including psychologists working in state institutions, in private practice, or in the academic field. There are members from different psychology fields, such as clinical, health, educational, organisational, forensic psychology, etc. LPA is an organisation which actively promotes and coordinates the development of professional psychological care in Lithuania; promotes the development of a system of professional development of Psychologists; and seeks to contribute to the formation of the concept of professional psychology in society. To that end LPA takes care of the professional competence and qualification of psychologists; collaborates with other Lithuanian and international psychology organisations, consults various governmental and non-governmental institutions in drafting laws, programs, legal documents and other documents related to the role of psychologists or phenomena being investigated by psychologists; initiates laws and their amendments to ensure the quality of psychological services and qualified psychological practice.

LPA was established in 1958 by Professor A. Gučas. Accordingly, this year Lithuanian Psychology Association is celebrating its 60th anniversary. From 17-19 May 2018 the

Lithuanian Psychological Congress took place in Klaipėda, Lithuania, where the 60th anniversary was celebrated. Approximately 200 scientists and practitioners participated in the Congress. More information about Lithuanian Psychology Association and its member services can be found on their website: [www.psichologusajunga.lt](http://www.psichologusajunga.lt)



From left to right: Dr Neringa Grigutytė, LPA President; Dr Eleni Karayianni, EFPA Executive Council Member (2017-2019); and Dr Roma Šimulionienė, Head of the Psychology Department at Klaipėda University and Chair of the Organizing Committee of LCP 2018



LCP 2018 Keynote Session



LCP 2018 Keynote Speaker, Prof Albinas Bagdonas. On the right: Dr Robertas Povilaitis, EFPA's Vice President and Secretary-General (2011-2019, second mandate)

## News from International Bodies

### UNITED NATIONS

#### IN MEMORIAM: KOFI ANNAN



Kofi Annan

UN Photo/Evan Schneider

The former United Nations Secretary-General and Noble Peace laureate Kofi Annan died on 18 August at the age of 80 after a short illness. Kofi Annan was born in Ghana in 1938. He attended a Methodist school and a technical college in his home country before continuing his academic studies in Switzerland and the United States. Annan pursued a varied career in the UN system until 1993, when he was appointed Deputy Secretary-General for peacekeeping operations, a position he held until 1997, when he took over as the United Nations' seventh Secretary-General. Kofi Annan was awarded the Peace Prize for having revitalized the UN and for having given priority to human rights. The Nobel Committee also recognized his commitment to the struggle to contain the spreading of the HIV virus in Africa and his declared opposition to international terrorism (<https://www.nobelprize.org/prizes/peace/2001/annan/facts/>).

A pictorial tribute to his life may be viewed at: <https://news.un.org/en/gallery/543382>

### WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION



World Health  
Organization

#### WHO RELEASES NEW INTERNATIONAL CLASSIFICATION OF DISEASES (ICD 11)

The World Health Organization (WHO) released its new International Classification of Diseases (ICD-11) on 18 June 2018. The ICD is the foundation for identifying health trends and statistics worldwide, and contains around 55 000 unique codes for injuries, diseases and causes of death. "The ICD is a product that WHO is truly proud of", says Dr Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus, WHO Director-General. "

ICD-11, which has been over a decade in the making, provides significant improvements on previous versions. For the first time, it is completely electronic and has a much more user-friendly format. And there has been unprecedented involvement of health care workers

who have joined collaborative meetings and submitted proposals. The ICD team in WHO headquarters has received over 10 000 proposals for revisions. ICD-11 will be presented at the World Health Assembly in May 2019 for adoption by Member States, and will come into effect on 01 January 2022. This release is an advance preview that will allow countries to plan how to use the new version, prepare translations, and train health professionals all over the country. For more information, see: [http://www.who.int/news-room/detail/18-06-2018-who-releases-new-international-classification-of-diseases-\(icd-11\)](http://www.who.int/news-room/detail/18-06-2018-who-releases-new-international-classification-of-diseases-(icd-11))

#### WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION BULLETIN

The WHO Bulletin is one of the world's leading public health journals. It is a peer-reviewed monthly journal with a special focus on developing countries, giving it unrivalled global scope and authority. The Bulletin is one of the top public and environmental health journal and details may be accessed at:

<http://www.who.int/bulletin/en/>



## News from International Bodies

### INTERNATIONAL SCIENCE COUNCIL



**International  
Science Council**

### GLOBAL SURVEY ON THE GENDER GAP IN SCIENCE NOW OPEN

As part of efforts to better understand and address the gender gap in science, the 2018 global survey of mathematical, computing and natural scientists aims to develop a broader picture of the status of mathematicians and scientists across the world, especially women. For more information, see:

<https://council.science/current/news/global-survey-on-the-gender-gap-in-science-now-open>

### 2018 WORLD SOCIAL SCIENCE FORUM

The 2018 Forum will focus on security, in all its dimensions. The last four decades have seen the development of new forms of war and conflict, environmental change, emerging risks from new technology, and growing tensions as a result of increasing numbers of refugees and displaced people. At the same time, insecurity is increasingly being used to justify attacks on freedom and democracy. Security is one of the most critical issues of today, and its various dimensions are connected in ways that make it impossible to address one aspect of security independently from the others. Between 25 and 28 September 2018, approximately 1000 participants from 60 countries will converge in Fukuoka, Japan, to debate various dimensions of security, interrogating how the demand for security relates to societies' quests for equality and sustainability.

For more information, see:

<https://council.science/current/news/world-social-science-forum-to-focus-on-security-and-equality-for-sustainable-futures>



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