



Newsletter for the International Congress of Psychology 2016 (ICP2016) Yokohama, Japan

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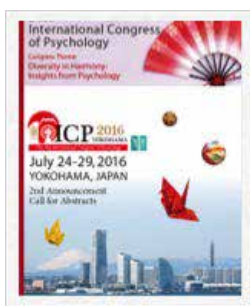
Diversity in Harmony: Insights from Psychology

In today's world, diversity in our world can be seen as both problematic and beneficial. Diversity is related to ethnicity and culture, as well as physical attributes and health. There is also diversity among the various domains of the field of psychology. The term 'harmony' is derived from Greek words meaning "joint, agreement, concord" and "to fit together, to join," and is most often used in music to indicate different tones that make a pleasing or striking sound when played together. This concept of "living together," i.e., of many diverse constituent parts coexisting in accord, forms the basis of ICP2016.



The International Congress of Psychology (ICP2016) will be held at [Pacifico Yokohama](#), Japan, from July 24th (Sunday) to July 29th (Friday) in 2016.

[Second Announcement](#)



To view the Second Announcement of ICP2016, please click the thumbnail image. This document includes the following details: Important days, Preliminary Scientific Program, Congress Information, etc.



The deadline for Oral and Poster presentations is approaching

ICP2016 will be held from 24 to 29 July 2016. The organizing committee eagerly hopes that all of you will come to Yokohama in 2016 to present your new ideas and research findings and to have face-to-face discussions with fellow psychologists from throughout the world, making ICP2016 a success.

Those interested in oral and poster presentations should submit abstracts through the [Registration & Abstract Submission](#) page by December 1, 2015 (no later than 24:00 Japan Standard Time). For more information please see <http://www.icp2016.jp/abstract.html#guidelines>.

Requests from the program committee

We expect a very high number of submissions between November and December 1, 2015, especially during the last hours before the submission deadline. During that time, the large amount of traffic on the congress web server may potentially result in difficulties or delays in accessing the submission webpage. We strongly encourage you to leave plenty of time for your submission.

JTB (Japan Tourist Bureau) Hotel Information Available

[Hotel information from JTB](#) (Japan Travel Bureau) is available. A list of hotels will be



The official Facebook and Twitter accounts of the events are now online.

[Congress Venue](#)



Pacifico Yokohama is one of Japan's most distinguished convention centers. It is located on the waterfront of Yokohama Bay, directly facing the water with a striking harbor view. The Pacifico consists of the National Convention Hall, the Exhibition Hall, and hotels. All buildings are designed in marine and nature motifs, such as the shapes of waves and wind. Visitors can relax as fresh breezes blow in off the ocean.

[Yokohama City](#)



The conference will be held in Yokohama, the harbor city first introduced to the world as the gateway to Japan. Yokohama is located in the heart of Japan, very near Tokyo. Information on Yokohama is available from [the website of the Yokohama Convention & Visitors Bureau](#).

constantly updated on our website. Congress participants are assured of a range of quality hotels and other accommodations at reasonable prices. Some economy hotels are also introduced on the website. These economy hotels can be booked directly through the Internet.

Introducing Several Keynote Speakers of the ICP2016

Twenty nine keynote speakers will speak at ICP2016. Six keynote speakers are introduced here. For the latest list of speakers and more information, please visit <http://www.icp2016.jp/program05.html>



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An upcoming newsletter will introduce other keynote speakers and provide more information about the congress, including details of the Emergent Psychologists Program, social events, etc.

A message in support of ICP2016 from the President of the Malaysian Psychology Association (PSIMA)

The ICP is a wonderful opportunity for psychologists to gain a truly global perspective on our field. There is no other psychology congress that draws so many participants from so many different areas of psychology from so many different countries in the world. It is an international experience that will change your perspective of the field forever.

The Malaysian Psychology Association is committed to supporting the ICP 2016 in Yokohama and has set as its target 100 Malaysian participants for this event. It is not often that a global psychology event of such significance takes place at our doorstep and so I urge all Asian psychologists to seize this golden opportunity that has been presented to our region.

Personally I am looking forward to reconnecting with my friends and colleagues from around the world and discovering the exciting new developments in psychology that have taken

place in the last 4 years.

See you all at ICP Yokohama 2016!



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Past President, ASEAN Regional Union of Psychological
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We look forward to welcoming you in [Yokohama](#), Japan.

Best regards,

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