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ICAP2018: WHAT DOES IT MEAN FOR THE CPA AND ITS SECTIONS?

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As first reported to the membership in 2012, the CPA will host the International Congress of Applied Psychology (ICAP) in Montreal, QC, from June 26-30, 2018. The theme for ICAP2018 – *Psychology: Connecting Science to Solutions* – was chosen to promote the exchange of science and science-based solutions among psychologists from around the globe. We are working with the International Association of Applied Psychology (IAAP) and MCI Canada to plan a world class event. We are pleased to provide our Sections with regular planning updates.

Congress Invited Speakers

We have convened an exciting lineup of congress-invited speakers that will be delivering State of the Art Lectures, Master Lectures, Keynote Addresses and Symposia. We have been [updating our website](#) as we receive new details from our confirmed speakers, many of whom were nominated by either a CPA Section or an IAAP Division.

Submissions and Review Update

The submission system closed mid-December! Many thanks to all of you for promoting ICAP amongst your members. We received 3x more submissions than the CPA's National Convention normally receives. ICAP2018 will feature [six exciting and different presentation formats](#) for the general program, including the now popular GIMME-5 sessions, and in-congress workshops. Featuring programming that will span five days and world-renowned speakers, ICAP2018 is sure to get you thinking about the field of psychology in new and exciting ways!

Many thanks to all Section Chairs, Review Coordinators and Reviewers who participated in the ever-important review process. Submission notifications began going out on February 9th, 2018.

Section-Invited Program

Many thanks to Sections that submitted their various Section-Invited Components. If you made submissions for Section Invited Keynote/Featured Speaker(s) or Invited Symposia, they have been accepted; we will be sending confirmation notices to all speakers but do please feel free to notify them as well so that they can register by the early bird deadline (February 28, 2018).

Over the coming days, we will be posting information on your Section Invited Program Components to the ICAP website. As a reminder, any expenses related to the Section Invited Program are to be covered by the Section or the presenters (i.e., registration, travel, hotel).

We have begun working on the schedule but are still missing invited Program Components from some Section Chairs. If you wish to submit something for your Section-Invited Program, please contact us no later than February 23, 2018 by email at icap2018@cpa.ca.

Registration: Early Bird Deadline is February 28, 2018

The registration system is [now open](#)! All CPA members will benefit from lower registration fees; however, **full members who register before the early bird deadline of February 28th will automatically receive an additional subsidy of \$100.** CPA student affiliates will receive a subsidy of \$75 regardless of when they register.

Pre-Congress Workshops

The CPA will be overseeing all Pre-Congress Workshops (PCWs) at ICAP2018 and we will feature 16 exciting workshops covering a range of topic areas offered in either English or French. [Registration for the PCWs](#) is now open!

Accommodations

There is no CPA-specific hotel for ICAP2018, but we have secured [room blocks at varying price points](#) at hotels within walking distance of the Palais des congrès. ICAP2018 is book-ended by two major holidays so book early.

Key Congress Events

Be sure to note the following “not to be missed” congress events in your calendars:

- Welcome Reception: Monday June 25th from 5-7pm
- Opening Ceremony: Tuesday June 26th
- Congress Gala Dinner: Thursday June 28th
- CPA’s Annual General Meeting: Thursday June 28th
- CPA Board and Section Chairs Meeting and Dinner: Wednesday June 27th
- Closing Ceremony and Reception by ICAP2022 Host: Saturday June 30th at 4pm

Planning Meetings

The ICAP2018 Organizing Committee did not meet for its monthly planning meeting. Instead representatives from the CPA and MCI met with the Congress Co-Presidents and members of the IAAP Executive in Montreal for a 2-day planning meeting.

Communication and Promotion

We continue to promote the congress at various international conferences and to various international psychological associations, as well as through regular updates via the [ICAP2018 website](#), e-newsletter, and social media accounts. Please follow us and [subscribe to the mailing list](#) for all the latest details. You can also find [previous issues of this newsletter](#) on our website and previous issues of [ICAP newsletters](#) on the ICAP website.

Where can I get more information?

For more information, visit the [official ICAP2018 website](#) or [contact us](#). We look forward to seeing you in Montreal!

