17th World Congress of the International Confederation for Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery

SANTIAGO, CHILE
24th February - 1st March 2013

Mark your calendar for the biggest & one of the most important scientific events ever in the history of IPRAS:

3000 expected participants!!!!!!
Top International Speakers from more than 90 countries!!

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Long and narrow, Chile is the seventh largest South American country that extends from the Andes Mountains to the Pacific Ocean on the southwest side of South America. Home to important inter-oceanic passages, like the Strait of Magellan, the Beagle Canal and the Drake Passage, its iconic figure is the "huaso," which refers to a country dweller known for his friendliness and wit. For those who treasure the wealth of spectacular natural attractions - desert, snow, beaches, vineyards, hot springs, volcanoes, river and lakes – Chile is a destination that shouldn’t be missed!!!

The country’s capital and the main political, economic, cultural and industrial center. It is the gateway to Chile and one of the most modern capital cities on the continent. In addition to its modern highways, event centers and five-star hotels, Santiago offers a rich selection of restaurants, vibrant culture and nightlife and a variety of attractions. It is located less than an hour drive from excellent ski centers, beaches and wine routes, and just 90 minutes from the wonderful port of Valparaiso and the beaches of Via del Mar, Reñaca and Concón.

Espacio Riesco Convention Center by offering the right space, latest technology and excellent service, promises to be an “out of the world” experience for highly effective and successful conferences. With more than 130,000 m of land, meeting rooms of 10,000 m that can easily hold around 6,500 guests as well as an indoor expocenter of 17,000 sq.m. and an outdoor expocenter of 28,000 sq.m. By providing a parking facility for around 2,000 vehicles, the center is internationally deemed fit to meet all the requirements of global exhibitors as well.
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RATES

REGISTRATION

Registrations fees include:
• Attendance to all scientific sessions
• Access to the exhibition area
• Conference Bag
• Coffee and tea breaks
• Light lunches
• Participation in the Opening Ceremony and the Welcome Reception

Registrations fees for Accompanying persons include:
• Participation in the Opening Ceremony and the Welcome Reception
• Access to the exhibition area
• Wine day tour

Prices are quoted above on
* bed and breakfast basis
* 5 nights minimum stay

DAILY SHUTTLE SERVICE:
12 € per day/person- 5 days package
(Round-trip transportation between the Conference venue & your hotel)

FEES

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Dear Colleagues,

Santiago de Chile is the destination for our World Congress 2013. The 17th IPRAS World Congress will be held in Espacio Riesco – a unique Congress venue in Santiago – from 24th February to 1st March 2013. The Congress is organized by IPRAS and the Chilean Society of Plastic Surgery and enjoys the support of numerous societies and associations.

South America is an area where plastic surgery has made giant steps of development. You are strongly recommended to add this important event to your plans for 2013 and take advantage of the opportunity to attend the biggest and most important scientific event in the history of IPRAS. Our colleagues in South America are eagerly waiting to share their knowledge and expertise with us. Together we shall prepare an outstanding scientific program, covering all aspects of Plastic, Reconstructive & Aesthetic Surgery, but also unforgettable social events and unique pre- and post-congress tours.

You all have noticed the dynamic development of our Confederation into a society that is eager to serve its individual members more efficiently and to increase the benefits for its members continuously. Our next congress in Santiago de Chile will define another turning point. IPRAS becomes more and more green and thinks ECOlogically. For this reason, IPRAS in cooperation with our Chilean colleagues will donate a percentage of sponsorships for “green activities” in the beautiful country of Chile.

With the foundation of our Board of Trustees, we span the generations from the youngest to our senior role models, our giants, our heroes. Recently we honored our new Board of Trustees members during the Brazilian Congress of Plastic Surgery: Ricardo Baroudi and Ivo Pitanguy. They do not only stand for progress and technical excellence in plastic surgery, they are charismatic philosophers as well and we feel really proud of having them with us in IPRAS 2013.

In 2012 IPRAS is more aware than ever that the future of Plastic Surgery is very strongly related with its residents and therefore decides to give a series of opportunities to residents to present their scientific achievements and organize special meetings within the framework of each congress scientific program. These meetings will be the first of their kind in the history of IPRAS and trainees from many countries will be encouraged to participate and also be represented by Trainees’ Organizations. Every plastic surgeon who is working in a training faculty is more than welcome to encourage participation of his or her residents in all IPRAS Congresses at a reduced registration fee. The official PCO of IPRAS, Zita Congress, will always propose cheap hotel accommodation to encourage furthermore trainees’ participation. In our World Congress in 2013 we will make every effort to have as many residents as possible with us and encourage their participation in IPRAS.

In our efforts to encourage participation of as many plastic surgeons as possible, we have kept registration fees in lower levels than ever and moreover we have secured hotel rooms in the best hotels of Santiago at very competitive rates.

Santiago recently, without even being noticed by the rest of the world, has changed into a vibrating city with an incredible spirit. It is considered now to be the Manhattan of South America. And it is surrounded by a breathtaking beautiful landscape between endless beaches and eternal snow, volcanoes and rain forests, deserts and penguins!

We promise to make this trip an unforgettable experience for you.

We look forward to meet you there!

Marita Eisenmann-Klein  Ivo Pitanguy  Patricio Leniz  Nelson Piccolo  Wilfredo Calderon  Daniel Marchac

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