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YOUR VIBRANT JOURNEY TO BUSINESS SUCCESS



Attend one or more of the following meetings industry events!

ICCA Latin American Chapter meeting and Client Supplier Workshop, San Jose, Costa Rica - 20 - 24 August

ICCA Asia Pacific Chapter Client/Supplier Business Workshop Xi'an 2018, Xi'an, China - P.R. - 03 - 05 September 2018

IBTM Americas, Mexico City, Mexico - 05 - 06 September 2018

IBTM China, Mexico City, Mexico - 05 - 06 September 2018

ICCA Qatar International Meetings Expert Session, Doha, Qatar - 17 - 18 September 2018

ITCMA 2018 - Bangkok, Thailand - 18 - 20 September 2018

UAI Roundtable Asia Pacific - Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia - 26 - 27 September 2018

ICCA Venue European Client/Supplier Business Workshop, Valencia, Spain, Valencia, Spain - 27 - 29 September 2018

ICCA Middle East Meetings Forum 2018, TBC, Jordan - 03 October 2018

IMEX America 2018, Las Vegas, NV, U.S.A. - 16 - 18 October 2018

ASAE, Grand Hyatt Singapore - 29 - 31 October 2018

57th ICCA Congress, Dubai, United Arab Emirates - 11 - 14 November 2018

Forum for Young Professionals 2018, Barcelona, Spain - 25 - 27 November 2018

IBTM World 2018, Barcelona, Spain - 27 - 29 November 2018

Dear Tom,

Please find below your digital ICCA association newsletter for July.

NEW KNOWLEDGE HUB ARTICLES

ICCA and BestCities Incredible Impacts entries – final call

A grant programme that celebrates international associations for making inspiring, lasting impacts to their meeting destinations is calling out for final submissions for 2018 - with a chance to secure US \$7,500 towards creating a legacy with future events. [Read more ...](#)

ICCA International Association Meetings Market 2017 Report now available!

This Report has been compiled by analysing all the international association meetings included in the ICCA database. Association Executives appreciate the importance of knowing where their peers are organising international meetings, understanding trends in the meetings market, discovering new potential destinations, and obtaining advice from colleagues about suppliers, venues and destination-specific challenges. To meet these needs ICCA has created an online platform - the [Association Portal](#) - where you can obtain exactly this kind of information.

SURVEY: Relationship between Association Culture and Performance

This message has been posted on the ICCA website on behalf of one of ICCA's verified association executives, Silke Schlinnertz from Euroheat & Power.

"Just like cultures in general, organisational culture especially in associations can be complex. Organisational culture is, very simply, "how we do things here". [Read more...](#)

Elections of new directors at ESAE AGM on 15 June 2018

On 15th June 2018 the European Society of Association Executives (ESAE) held its Annual General Assembly Meeting in Brussels. ESAE President, **Florence Bindelle (European Issuers)**, presented the report of activities 2017 and the priorities for 2018. She expressed her deepest thanks to the fellow Board members for their commitment and support during the year. [Read more..](#)

How sustainable destinations are helping the shift to a circular economy

The Global Destination Sustainability Index (GDS-Index) releases their second [white paper](#) "*Sustainable Destination Management Trends and Insights: The Road to a Circular Economy*" following the success of their [first white paper on benchmarking](#) and how it can drive sustainability performance. The GDS-Index is a collaborative partnership between [ICCA](#), [ICCA's Scandinavian Chapter](#), [IMEX](#), [ECM](#) and [MCI Group](#). [Read more...](#)

ISPIM - The International Society for Professional Innovation Management is hiring!

Applications are invited for the post of Senior Coordinator (International Projects, Events and Membership), which will start soon. This exciting post has been created to help [ISPIM](#) meet its commitments as the principal dissemination partner in European-funded innovation projects (such as <https://www.tacitproject.org/>), as well as to its membership base in terms of international conferences, publications, communication and membership. [Find out more.](#)

Visit the Knowledge Hub on the ICCA website for more resources on international association meetings.

ICCA NEWS FOR ASSOCIATIONS

IMEX America, 16-18 October 2018 – Las Vegas, USA

Registrations for the meetings tradeshow IMEX America in Las Vegas, US taking place from **16-18 October 2018 are open!** We still have places available for US based associations who can register via this [link](#). Associations based outside the US, please email Ksenija.p@iccaworld.org for more information on availability and criteria.

Deadline for registration for the Forum for Young Professionals (FYP) prior to ibtm world in Barcelona fast approaching

The FYP brings together 35 young industry professionals from a diverse array of backgrounds. Over 3 days, the selected applicants are given networking opportunities, educational sessions, guidance & social activities.

The [Forum for Young Professionals 2018](#) is taking place from 25-27 November 2018 in Barcelona. This sponsored 3-day education programme will kick-start any young association executives' career in the meetings industry.

Please note: To be fully hosted (including flights), the young professionals need to be eligible to attend the ibtm world tradeshow as a hosted buyer. For more information on the application criteria please visit our [website](#).

Join the ICCA hosted buyer group at ibtm® world

If you would like to be part of the ICCA hosted buyer group at the [ibtm® world](#) tradeshow taking place in Barcelona, Spain from 27-29 November 2018 please email your interest to claire.j@iccaworld.org

Support the ICCA Education Fund

And [donate a prize](#) to the ICCA Silent Auction and contribute to the future of the meetings industry!

Association meeting planners and ICCA members are once again invited to donate and bid for fabulous prizes in the categories:

- Destinations
- Business/Education
- Items

To see what donors from previous years contributed, please click [here](#). The online auction will close on **Tuesday 27 November 2018 at 12:30 CET**.

For more information and to donate a prize visit: www.auction.iccaworld.org or contact [Irina Bryksin](#).

ICCA MEMBER NEWS

Saving the world, one medical congress at a time

Malaysia will be the focus of the medical industry again in two years, as the country prepares to welcome the World Federation of Hemophilia (WFH) Congress 2020. Leading healthcare experts from 125 countries are expected to gather at the WFH Congress 2020 from 14 to 18 June 2020 at the Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre. [Read more...](#)

BID WINS



[Luxembourg Convention Bureau](#) wins Congress of the Union International de Avocats for 2019

[Helsinki Convention Bureau](#) wins HIMSS Europe & Health 2.0 for 2019

[Region Stavanger Convention Bureau](#) wins International Sensometrics Meeting for 2020

For the full list of latest bid wins of ICCA members please visit our [website](#)

ICCA ASSOCIATION RELATIONS PARTNERS NEWS

Team Oman: Oman Convention & Exhibition Centre implements new strategy to promote and engage association business

A testimony: winning the International Symposium on Atherosclerosis for Oman in 2024 in Canada (pictured) was due to the strength, professionalism and achievements of the [Oman Society of Lipids and Atherosclerosis](#) led by Dr Khalid Al Rasadi and Dr Fahad Al Zadjali, and the teamwork that evolved with the Oman Convention Bureau and the [Oman Convention & Exhibition Centre](#) behind them – all working together as Team Oman. [Read more...](#)

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More resources, advice and case studies can be found on the ICCA Association Portal – designed to assist Association Executives in organising quality meetings. To register for the ICCA Association Portal and learn more about the various benefits ICCA offers to associations please visit www.associations.iccaworld.org.

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