



13TH ANNUAL MEETING AND 8TH CONFERENCE OF HEPA EUROPE

15 – 17 NOVEMBER 2017, ZAGREB, CROATIA

Conference theme:
**MODERN APPROACHES TO
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY PROMOTION
AND MEASUREMENT**



First announcement

Dear colleagues,

We are pleased to invite you to the 13th Annual Meeting and 8th Conference of HEPA Europe.

What is HEPA Europe?

European Network for the Promotion of Health-Enhancing Physical Activity (HEPA Europe) is a network of organisations and institutions in the WHO European Region that share a common goal of enhancing population health through physical activity. More information about HEPA Europe can be found at the website: <http://www.euro.who.int/en/health-topics/disease-prevention/physical-activity/activities/hepa-europe>

What is the goal of the Conference?

HEPA Europe organises annual conferences, open for both members and non-members, with the aim to provide a platform for researchers, practitioners, policy makers and other public health stakeholders to share their knowledge and experience in physical activity research and promotion.

Who are the participants?

Most participants are researchers, practitioners from health, education, fitness and sports sectors, and representatives of government bodies, non-governmental organisations, sport associations, and media.

This year's conference is hosted by the University of Zagreb, Faculty of Kinesiology. It will take place in Zagreb, Croatia, 15–17 November 2017.

We look forward to warmly welcoming you in Zagreb!

Keynote Speakers and plenary sessions

- Fiona Bull**, World Health Organization - Current practices and issues in physical activity promotion: From small-scale interventions to changes in national policy
- Susan Michie**, University College London, UK - Applying behavioural science to developing and evaluating digital interventions: implications for physical activity
- Zeljko Pedisic**, Victoria University, Australia - Issues and challenges in physical activity surveillance
- Gregory J. Welk**, Iowa State University, IA, USA - The use of wearable technologies in measurement and promotion of physical activity

Conference topics

- Physical activity policy
- Physical activity interventions in different settings
- Modern technology in physical activity promotion
- Active transport
- Sport and health
- Prevalence and determinants of physical activity
- Physical activity and health outcomes
- Physical activity in children and adolescents
- Active ageing
- Physical activity in clinical and special populations
- Physical activity measurement
- Compositional data paradigm in physical activity research
- Sedentary behaviour

Dates to remember

Abstract and symposia submission opens:

3 April 2017

Research-, policy-, and practice-related abstracts are welcomed

Abstract and symposia submission deadline:

11 September 2017

Abstract acceptance notification:

Continuously, latest 1 October 2017

Registration opens:

3 April 2017

Early bird registration deadline:

5 September 2017

Registration for authors closes:

15 October 2017

Late registration for participants (non-authors) closes:

1 November 2017

Conference fee

	Early registration	Late registration
HEPA members	€240	€290
Non-members	€310	€350
Domestic participants	€150	€190
Students	€125	€150
Accompanying person	€75	€100

*The conference dinner (€25/person) is not included in the registration fee

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