

## Subject: Invitation letter *ERGONOMICS 2020*

Dear colleagues and friends, prospective participants,

on behalf of the Organizing and Scientific committees, we are delighted to invite you to the 8<sup>th</sup> International Ergonomics Conference - *ERGONOMICS 2020* that will take place from 2-5 of December 2020 at the University's campus Borongaj "ZUK Borongaj", in the capital, Zagreb, Croatia.

Ergonomics in Croatia has existed as a scientific and professional discipline for several decades. Let's remember that it all started in 1974 when Prof. Emeritus Dragutin Taboršak, PhD, our founder and the first president of Croatian Ergonomics Society (CrES), established CrES in Croatia. Achievements as well as recent and relevant ideas in the field of ergonomics have been continuously discussed and exchanged with the international scientific community at the Conferences in series "Ergonomics", along with other means of communication and networking.

The Conferences in this series have been organized by CrES since 2001. The Conference traditionally brings together enthusiasts, experts and scientists from Croatia and from all over the world and they bring their know-how to the table. *ERGONOMICS 2020* is this time a joint project with:

- Chinese Association of Ergonomics Societies (CAES);
- Romanian Society on Ergonomics and Workplace Management (ErgoWork);
- Hungarian Ergonomics Society (MET);
- Faculty of Transport and Traffic Sciences (FPZ), University of Zagreb;
- Faculty of Mechanical Engineering and Naval Architecture (FSB), University of Zagreb;
- Faculty of Textile Technology (TTF), University of Zagreb.

Furthermore, ERGONOMICS 2020 is this time endorsed by:

- International Ergonomics Association (IEA);
- Federation of the European Ergonomics Societies (FEES);
- Acoustical Society of Croatia (ASC).



The Conference will be held **under the auspices of the Ministry of the Sea, Transport and** Infrastructure of the Republic of Croatia. We are in the contact with the Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs of the Republic of Croatia, and we have ensured an easiest way for overcoming the procedure to ensure a visa for entering the Republic of Croatia only by using a Personal letter of invitation.

**The official language of the Conference is English.** Authors are invited to submit original and previously unpublished research papers for oral and poster presentations and/or to make proposals of original research presentation, challenges, solutions, and technologies within field of Ergonomics.

The **Book of Abstracts** (USB and print), which is published every two years, contains reviewed and accepted abstracts. All rights are reserved by CrES.

The **post-conference Proceedings** indexed in Scopus with full texts of all accepted and reviewed papers will be published by Springer titled "Proceedings of the 8th International Ergonomics Conference - ERGONOMICS 2020". The ISSN numbers of the series "Advances in Intelligent Systems and Computing" where the Proceedings will be included are: ISSN 2194-5357 (print) and e-ISSN: 2194-5365 (available online). As soon as the post-conference Proceedings is published we will provide a special link to Springer platform which will allow temporary (4 weeks) eBook free access for all authors and conference participants.

We are very happy to inform you that, if you would like so, you can perform your oral and /or poster presentation of your research and professional ideas, hypothesis and results, along with research infrastructure and methodology, all in the framework of the "Research and project space" section of the Conference.

**Participants are mandatory** to fill in the Registration form before abstract submission, following guidelines from our website <u>http://www.h-e-d.hr/conferences.htm</u> by using documents: **Registration form** and **Abstract template.** 

All submissions will be peer-reviewed by the Scientific Committee.

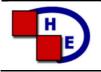
Also we would like to remind you that you will be able to use the benefits of the "10 % discount voucher for the Ergonomics 2020", for each accepted paper whose presenter was also participant of the *Ergonomics 2018 – Emphasis on Wellbeing*, as well as at any other Conferences in series "Ergonomics" organized by CrES.

Do not hesitate to ask for more information at <a href="mailto:ergonomicscro2020@gmail.com">ergonomicscro2020@gmail.com</a>

We are excited to meet you in Zagreb, and you are very welcome to inform others who might be interested to participate at the Conference.

On behalf of the Organizing Committee of Ergonomics 2020,

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