

Call for abstracts and posters

The organisers of the 6th Outdoor sports Euro'Meet conference, "Green Sports for a Greener and healthier Europe", taking place on 14 to and 16 September 2022 in Silkeborg, Denmark, invite the submission of abstracts and posters contributing insights into the topics of the conference. Abstracts and posters may come from academic research or highlight practical programmes and good examples from the field.

The conference will provide an international platform for academia and research, to discuss recent research results and how these results can be transferred to practitioners and stakeholders outside of academia: policymakers, stakeholders from civil society. Furthermore, the conference will debate new, challenging research questions related to the [themes of the conference](#) that need to be addressed in the future.

It is also the ambition of The EuroMeet to provide the opportunity for organisations and practitioners in both the public and private sector as well as in civil society to share knowledge and experiences from projects and activities close to practice. The poster presentations will, furthermore, provide the opportunity to showcase project activities and get valuable input from the audience.

Through their posters, researchers and practitioners will have the opportunity to share their findings with peers, policymakers, representatives from national and regional authorities, outdoor sports associations, professionals, unions of professionals, park managers, active tourism agencies, and representatives of civil society organisations from throughout Europe. Around 300 participants are expected to take part in the conference.

This call is open to projects funded under all levels of funding programme (regional, national, EU, international) and project type (individual and consortium). Posters and abstracts should address one or more of the [conference topics](#).

Speakers corner and exhibition

The posters will be exhibited during the three days of the conference in a dedicated and central area of the venue.

During a dedicated poster exhibition session on day 1, conference attendees will be invited to go through the exhibition exchange with one another to learn more about the posters on display, introduced to visitors by a representative of the selected posters to the visiting conference audience.

Promoting the initiatives beyond the event

In addition to the presentation and poster exhibition, the selected projects will also be featured on the conference website, on ENOS website and in the conference report.

Guidelines for submission of abstracts and draft posters

1. **An abstract , one page in length** on the projects contributions included in the poster containing the following aspects:

- ☒ ~~Title of project~~
- ☒ ~~Authors and affiliation(s)~~
- ☐ Project runtime
- ☐ Funder
- ☐ Goals of the project
- ☐ Background information on project
- ☐ Explanation of the relevance of the project in relation to the topic and the anticipated impact of the contribution

2. **A draft/mock-up of the actual poster to be displayed** containing the following aspects:

- ☐ Title of project
- ☐ Author(s) and affiliation(s)
- ☐ Project runtime
- ☐ Funder
- ☐ Main focus/goals of the project
- ☐ Outcomes/results to date with a clear connection to the conference theme
- ☐ Measures to maximise impact of results

Format

Abstracts, one-page in length, single-spaced, and poster drafts must be submitted in PDF format. Final poster versions must be in A0 format (118.9 cm x 84.1 cm). Both abstracts and posters must be written in English.

For the posters, please use 20+ font for titles; 12 point font or larger for text, using a sans serif font (e.g. Arial, Calibri, Geneva, etc.).

Evaluation criteria

- ☐ Successful posters will be judged on the following criteria:
- ☐ The project has already generated results
- ☐ The relevance of the project/research results in relation to the theme of the conference
- ☐ Stakeholder involvement
- ☐ Quality and clarity of presented information and/or findings

A maximum of 20 posters/abstracts will be selected for presentation during the conference.

Abstract and poster submission deadline

Please submit your materials using the dedicated [form](#), latest by **August 15th 2022**. Selected candidates will be informed of their selection by august 20th at latest.

Final version of the posters

All posters selected for presentation will be required to submit a finalised version of their poster, in PDF format, by **August 20 th 2022** for penultimate review that all required criteria for exhibition have been fulfilled. Printing will be taken care of by the organisation committee by late august 2022.

For posters stemming from consortium projects, it is the responsibility of the applicant to receive permission from project members to submit the poster for exhibition during the conference. By submitting a poster to this call, applicants agree to the publication of their poster on the conference website and in the conference report, should their poster be selected.

For questions related to this call, please contact simonhartwell.christensen@silkeborg.dk

Key message for dissemination of the call promotion

In the context of the 6th Outdoor Sports Euro'Meet which will take place in Silkeborg in Denmark on 14 – 16th September 2022, a call for abstracts and posters will be launched with the intention to exhibit projects within the thematic focus of the conference. Abstracts and posters may come from academic research or highlight practical programmes and good examples from the field.