

4th Schizophrenia International Research Society Conference

Fostering Collaboration in Schizophrenia Research

5-9 April 2014 | Firenze Fiera Congress Center | Florence, Italy

We are excited to invite you to participate in the 4th Biennial Schizophrenia International Research Conference to be held in Florence, Italy, 5 – 9 April 2014. The 3rd Biennial conference of the Society attracted more than 1600 researchers from 53 countries. The five-day conference will include a keynote address delivered by Huda Akil, Co-Director of the Molecular and Behavioral Neuroscience Institute, four plenary sessions, 35 symposia sessions, and oral and poster presentations. The theme will be *Fostering Collaboration in Schizophrenia Research*.

Submit an Abstract to the 4th Biennial Schizophrenia International Research Society Conference. Visit the conference website, www.schizophreniaconference.org, then go to the “Abstract Submission” tab under Science of the Meeting.

- Symposia Submission deadline is **Tuesday, 24 September**
- Travel Award Application Deadline is **Monday, 21 October**.
- Oral and Poster Submission Deadline is **Tuesday, 3 December**

Conference Registration and Housing is Open. Go to www.schizophreniaconference.org and visit the Registration and Housing page of the website. The most significant registration discounts are extended to 2013 and 2014 members of the Society. To join the Society or renew your membership, visit www.schizophreniaresearchsociety.org.

Plenary Sessions

Four Plenary sessions have been scheduled for the Conference:

- Sunday, 6 April: *Impact of Genomics and Connectomics Approaches on Schizophrenia Research*
- Monday, 7 April: *Behavioral and Imaging Translational Paradigms in Drug Development*
- Tuesday, 8 April: *Update on Therapeutics: Improving the Clinical Yield*
- Wednesday, 9 April: *The Clinical Challenges of Comorbid Disorders*

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