

**12th ICBEN Congress on Noise
as a Public Health Problem**



Welcome to ICBEN 2017

Zurich, Switzerland – June 18 to June 22 2017

It is our great pleasure to invite you to the 12th ICBEN Congress on Noise as a Public Health Problem, which will be held June 18 – 22 2017 in Zurich, Switzerland. The 12th ICBEN Congress aims to present the current state of research on the biological effects of noise and welcomes researchers, scientists, policymakers, and anyone with an interest in the impact of noise on public health. The congress is organized under the auspices of the International Commission on Biological Effects of Noise (ICBEN), by the Swiss Acoustical Society (SGA-SSA), the Federal Office for the Environment (FOEN), the Swiss Federal Laboratories for Materials Science and Technology (Empa), and the Swiss Tropical and Public Health Institute (SwissTPH).

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VENUE

ICBEN 2017 will be held at ETH Zurich (the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology) in the lively university quarters in downtown Zurich, just a stone throw away from the picturesque old town, with plenty of hotels and restaurants in vicinity. The close-by main railway station and Zurich's international airport provide optimal transportation connections to/from everywhere.



KEY DATES

15th January 2017 Abstract submission deadline
19th March 2017 Full paper upload deadline
31st March 2017 Early bird registration deadline

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CONGRESS TOPICS

- Noise-induced hearing loss
- Noise and communication
- Non-auditory health effects of noise
- Effects of noise on cognition, performance & behavior
- Effects of noise on sleep
- Community response to noise & noise annoyance
- Noise policy & economics
- Noise exposure assessment in health effect studies
- Special topics related to noise effects

SOCIAL PROGRAM

The congress social program includes welcome and farwell receptions on site as well as a savory congress dinner at Zurich's beautiful lakeshore.



REGISTRATION

Registration will be available online as of August 2016 at www.icben2017.org.



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