

VII MEETING OF YOUNG RESEARCHERS OF THE USC

BASES FOR PARTICIPATION

The *Encontro de Mocidade Investigadora* (Meeting of Young Researchers) is an open activity for anyone enrolled in a doctoral programme of the three Galician universities and their different campuses, the aim of which is to promote research among young people in various fields of knowledge in order to provide a suitable forum in which they can present their work.

The meeting will take place on 27, 28 and 29 May 2019 at the Faculty of Journalism of the USC (University of Santiago de Compostela).

1.- PARTICIPANTS

Any person of any age and nationality enrolled in a Doctorate programme at the USC, the UDC and the UVigo may participate in the VII Meeting of Young Researchers. Below, you can consult the doctoral programs belonging to each School of the USC: International Doctoral School in [Arts and Humanities, Social and Legal Sciences](#); International Doctoral School [Terra Campus](#), International Doctoral School in [Health Sciences](#) and International Doctoral School in [Sciences and Technology](#). In the case of inter-university doctoral programmes, students enrolled in such universities may also participate.

Only one project/summary per participant will be admitted. The number of participants is limited and their selection will take place in order of registration.

2.- REGISTRATION

Registration will be free and will allow the presentation of papers in any of the following languages: Galician, Spanish and English. Abstracts may be submitted either for oral communication or for poster. It is possible the simple attendance to the congress without active participation in the same one, with obtaining of acreditative certificate.

A Certificate of participation and attendance will be given to the presenter of the paper, not to the other co-authors of the work, if any.

The participants undertake to take part in the acts programmed for the Meeting, which the Organization will control and, if necessary, may deny the delivery of the Certificate, which will take place personally at the closing ceremony. Likewise, participation in the Meeting implies full acceptance of these rules.

Registration will be done through an [online registration form](#), which will indicate whether to attend the Congress as an attendee or to make a presentation.

In the form one of these two alternatives will be selected: oral presentation or poster and a summary of the work to be presented will be sent.

The **deadline** for submitting documentation and sending the form begins on **April 8 and ends on April 28, 2019.**

The papers will be published in a Book of Abstracts, which will be printed through the USC publications system and sent to the participants.

3.- SUMMARY

Abstracts, which will have a maximum length of 250 words, will be sent through the registration form template. It will be necessary to include:

1. Title of the paper (maximum 20 words)
2. Author(s)
3. Area of knowledge
4. Summary (maximum 250 words)
5. Keywords (maximum 3 words)
6. Figures (optional, max. 2 figures)
7. References (optional, up to 5 references)

4.- TYPES OF COMMUNICATION:

A) ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

Oral presentations should not exceed 5 minutes, followed by another 3 minutes of Question Time and accompanied by a presentation, preferably in PDF format. The organizing committee is not responsible for compatibility with other formats. It is the responsibility of the participants to respect the indicated time limit. The language in which the talk is given must coincide with the language in which the presentation is written and with the language in which the abstract was sent.

B) POSTER

Posters will be grouped, as far as possible, by area of knowledge and shifts will be assigned per participant and panel. Participants who opt for this presentation must be present, defending their poster in the shift that has been assigned and answering questions that arise. The schedule of presentations will be indicated in the final program. It is the responsibility of the participants to place the poster on the first day of the Meeting, as well as to withdraw it on the last day. The organization will provide adhesive material for the placement of the posters. The panels for the placement of the posters will have measures of 100 cm high by 90 cm wide. The criteria of structure and design of the posters is the following:

1. Dimension DIN A1
2. Title
3. Author(s)
4. School and doctoral program
5. It is recommended to provide a contact email
6. Texts and illustrations must be clearly visible and sufficiently prominent so that they can be read at a distance of 1 metre.

5.- SELECTION AND EVALUATION PROCESS

The registration form will indicate the type of presentation desired, but the Organizing Committee may assign another format if it deems appropriate. This decision will be taken taking into account the creation of a balanced programme for the Congress and the total number of attendees. The order of registration will be the criterion of preference. Confirmation of the final type of presentation will be notified on **10 May 2019**.

6.- PRIZES

An award will be given to the best presentations, one being given by each Doctoral School of the USC, as branches of knowledge. The Scientific Committee of each area will be in charge of selecting the winners using as criteria the quality of the presentation, the novelty of the idea and the repercussion among the assistants to the Congress.

7.-DOUBTS AND CLARIFICATIONS

All doubts and questions that may be put to the organisation should be sent to the following e-mail address: vii.encontro.mocidade.investigadora@usc.es, indicating the contact details of the sender.