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### JOIN US AT THE IRPA2019

(KELSEY CLOUTIER, ICRP DEVELOPMENT AND COMMUNICATIONS MANAGER)



The International Commission on Radiological Protection (ICRP), the Australasian Radiation Protection Society (ARPS) and Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Agency (ARPANSA) welcome you to the 5th International Symposium on the System of Radiological Protection (ICRP2019), which will be held during 17-21 November 2019 in Adelaide, South Australia! ICRP2019 feathers a keynote address from Prof. Brendan Murphy, Chief Medical Officer of the Australian Government and some about 30 invited talks by world renowned scientists on various topics related to "Mines, Medicine, and Mars". Registrations are well under way. We encourage all to register before 1 August 2019, taking advantage of the early Organisations looking to sponsor ICRP2019, or attend as an exhibitor, are bird rate. encouraged to visit the **ICRP2019** website. or. contact Kelsey Cloutier (kelsey.cloutier@icrp.org), Development and Communications Manager for ICRP.

#### **IRPA15 "ABSTRACT SUBMISSION" IS OPEN**





11-15 May 2020 | COEX, Seoul, Korea

Bridging Radiation Protection Culture and Science -Widening Public Empathy

The International Congress Organising Committee (ICOC) is delighted to announce that "Abstract Submission" for IRPA15 is open! All abstracts are to be submitted online through the Congress website: https://www.irpa2020.org/. Topics for abstracts are available on the website. The Congress will offer 8 plenary and 20 topical sessions, as well as 25 refresher courses. The plenary sessions are: 1). Sievert Lecture; 2). Current Science: Radiation Health Effects; 3). The Future of the System of Protection; 4). Radiation Protection Culture [Radiation Safety Culture]; 5). Non-ionizing Radiation: Developing the System of Protection; 6). Fukushima; 7). Public Understanding; and 8). Ethics. Updates for the Congress will be shared through Facebook, Twitter and Youtube. Make sure you follow and like IRPA pages!



#### (WEI CHENG, CSRP MEMBER)

Chinese Society of Radiation Protection (CSRP) is a national non-profit organization dedicated to radiation protection science and technology. It was formally founded in 2013. The predecessor of CSRP was the radiation protection branch of Chinese Nuclear Society (CNS), which was established in 1980. CSRP is an associate society of the International Radiation Protection Association (IRPA).

The objectives of CSRP are to advance knowledge and practices in radiation protection and to facilitate communications in the radiation protection community in China. Activities include coordinating academic exchanges, providing technical consultations, promoting advanced technologies, facilitating international cooperation, protecting legal rights and interests of its members, communicating with the public, advising to the government authorities, managing projects, and coordinating technical training. Currently, CSRP has four working committees and 13 topical subcommittees:

**Working Committees:** 1). Committee on Science and Technology (CSRP/CoST); 2). Finance Committee; 3). Committee on International Cooperation and Exchange; 4). Panel of Youth.

Topical Subcommittees: 1). Committee on Protection Against Natural Radiation (CSRP/CPNR); 2). Committee on Nuclear and Radiation Emergency (CSRP/CNRE); 3). Committee on Radiation Environment Monitoring and Assessment (CSRP/CREMA); 4). Committee on Radiological Health (CSRP/CRH); 5). Committee on Radiation Protection in Nuclear Fusion (CSRP/CRPNF); 6). Committee on Radioactive Waste Management and Nuclear Facility Decommissioning (CSRP/CRWMNFD); 7). Committee on Radiation Protection in Nuclear Facilities (CSRP/CRPNF); 8). Committee on Ionizing Radiation Metrology (CSRP/CIRM); 9). Committee on Radiation Protection for Particle Accelerator (CSRP/CRPPA); 10). Committee on Education and Popular Science (CSRP/CEPS); 11). Committee on Radioecology (CSRP/CRE); 12). Committee on Radiation Protection for Transuranium Elements (CSRP/CRPTE); 13). Panel of Radiation Protection for Radioactive Materials Transportation Safety (PRPRMTS).

CSRP has its Secretariat office run by China Institute for Radiation Protection (CIRP) with Ms. Niu Yujuan as contact point at niuyujuan@cirp.org.cn. CSRP welcomes collaborations with other Associate Societies in the IRPA family!



#### (LUÍS NEVES, PRESIDENT)

The Portuguese Radiation Protection Society (SPPCR) is a non-profit association under the portuguese law, being recognized with the statute of public utility (www.sppcr.pt). It was founded in 1993 and has about 60 active members, mostly from universities, hospitals and public institutes, with some participation of professionals of the private sectors.

The Portuguese Society publishes regularly a journal, named "Radioproteção", and occasionally books, as exemplified by the title "Radiation Protection in the Portuguese Speaking Countries" edited in 2018 in collaboration with the Brasilian Radiological Protection Society (SBRP). The strong collaboration with SBPR has been also materialised through a series of international conferences jointly organized – the Radiation Protection Congresses of the Portuguese Speaking Countries. The 7th Congress will be held on 16-20 September 2019 at the Nuclear and Energy Research Institute, São Paulo, Brasil, jointly with the RADIO 2019 International Conference (www.sbpr.org.br/radio2019).



From left to right: José Marcus Godoy (President of SBPR), Luís Neves (President of SPPCR) and Eduardo Gallego (member of the Executive Council of IRPA) at the 5th Congress of Radiation Protection of the Portuguese Speaking Countries, held in Coimbra, Portugal, 2016.