



# 28<sup>th</sup> World Congress on Ultrasound in Obstetrics and Gynecology

20 – 24 October 2018, Singapore

Incorporating ASUM 2018



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## Congress Location

Sands Expo and Convention Centre  
at Marina Bay Sands, Singapore

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Society of Ultrasound in  
Obstetrics and Gynecology**


# Welcome to Singapore

We are delighted to welcome you to Singapore for the 28th World Congress on Ultrasound in Obstetrics and Gynecology.

As one of the most culturally diverse and dynamically progressive cities of the world, Singapore is a perfect destination for our internationally renowned forum of education, clinical updates and networking for ultrasound professionals.

Submit your research to ISUOG 2018 and get a chance to present alongside our world-renowned international faculty, benefit from our partnerships with other societies, including the Australasian Society for Ultrasound in Medicine (ASUM), and experience a leading event in ultrasound.

We look forward to seeing you in Singapore and hope you will enjoy a rich week of scientific and cultural discovery at ISUOG 2018!



**George Condous**  
Congress Chair



**George Yeo**  
Congress Chair

## Critical dates 2018

### January

Registration and abstract submission opens

### 9 April

Abstract submission and submitter registration deadline

### July

Abstract acceptance notification

### 20 August

Early bird deadline

### 20 October

Pre-Congress courses

### 21 October

Congress opens

# Topics for abstract submission

## Obstetrics

- Fetal brain and CNS anomalies
- Fetal heart, CHD and cardiac function
- First trimester screening of chromosomal anomalies (including Cell free DNA and genomics)
- Fetal structural abnormalities
- Fetal growth: normal and abnormal
- Abnormally invasive placenta (including accreta)
- Screening for pregnancy complications (stillbirth, preterm birth, pre-eclampsia)
- Ultrasound in the labour ward
- Multiple pregnancy
- Fetal interventions
- Ultrasound education and simulation in obstetrics

## Gynecology

- Early pregnancy complications
- Early pregnancy development and placentation
- Managing ovarian masses
- Pelvic pain and endometriosis
- Reproductive medicine
- Bleeding, endometrial and myometrial pathology
- Imaging in oncology
- Urogynecology

## Why submit an abstract at ISUOG 2018?

*"The ISUOG World Congress time after time is the leading scientific and educational event on ultrasound in OB/GYN. It is a must for interested clinicians and researchers in the field."*

*"Attending this Congress made me even more enthusiastic about ultrasound and doing research! It was a great opportunity to present my results and to build up a small network of people doing research in the same field."*

**- 2017 Congress Delegates**

**95%**

**of survey respondents  
would recommend  
ISUOG's Congress**

ISUOG 2017 Top abstract winner Wouter Froyman presenting at the Congress.



# Provisional program at a glance

## Saturday - 20 October

- Pre-Congress courses
- Endometriosis
  - Genetics
  - ISUOG Basic Training: A practical approach to the Obstetrics and Gynecology ultrasound examination

## Sunday - 21 October

- Keynote and plenary speakers
- AGM
- Coffee and electronic poster viewing
- Plenaries and top abstracts
- Lunch, electronic poster viewing and satellite symposia
- Workshops
- Coffee and electronic poster viewing
- Awards and plenaries

**Opening ceremony and Welcome drinks**

## Monday - 22 October

- Masterclasses
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|--------------|---------------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| Fetal growth | Neonatal ultrasound | Reproductive medicine | Interactive Hubs |
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- Coffee and electronic poster viewing
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| Fetal heart | MRI | Oncology | Interactive Hubs |
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- Lunch, electronic poster viewing and satellite symposia
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| cfDNA | Preterm labour | Endometriosis | Interactive Hubs |
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- Coffee and electronic poster viewing
- Workshops

## Tuesday - 23 October

- Masterclasses
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| Fetal anomalies and syndromes | Abnormally invasive placenta | Ovarian masses | Interactive Hubs |
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- Coffee and electronic poster viewing
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| Fetal brain | Fetal therapy and ultrasound | Uterine / endometrial anomalies | Interactive Hubs |
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- Lunch, electronic poster viewing and satellite symposia
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| Multiple pregnancy | How genetics impacts ultrasound | Early pregnancy and acute gynecology | Interactive Hubs |
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- Coffee and electronic poster viewing
- Workshops

## Wednesday - 24 October

- Masterclasses
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| Pre-eclampsia | New technologies to image the fetus | Urogynecology | Interactive Hubs |
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- Coffee and electronic poster viewing
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| Ultrasound in the labour ward | First trimester ultrasound | Abnormal bleeding | Interactive Hubs |
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- Lunch, electronic poster viewing and satellite symposia
- Workshops
- Closing plenary lectures
- Leaving drinks and welcome to Berlin 2019!**

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## Essential information

- Abstracts must be submitted online through the following website: [www.isuog.org/events/world-congress/abstracts](http://www.isuog.org/events/world-congress/abstracts)
- Your abstract email confirmation, which you will receive after submission, will contain your Congress registration discount code
- You can only register, submit abstracts and find accommodation on the official ISUOG website: [www.isuog.org](http://www.isuog.org)
- The official language of the Congress is English
- If you do not want to present your abstract orally please select this option during submission
- Accepted abstracts will be published in a supplement to *Ultrasound in Obstetrics and Gynecology (UOG)*. By submitting your abstract you agree to transfer the copyright to ISUOG should your abstract be accepted
- All presentations will be recorded and may be selected for inclusion on the On Demand portal. Recordings will run online but will not be downloadable

For full instructions and regular updates on the scientific program, invited faculty and CME accreditation please visit the Congress website [www.isuog.org/WorldCongress](http://www.isuog.org/WorldCongress)



## Session types explained

Accepted abstracts may be presented in the following ways:

### Oral communication (OC)

Presented within the main sessions, OC abstract authors are allocated 5 minutes for their presentation (of no more than 5 slides), plus 3 minutes for discussion.

### Short oral presentation (OP)

OP abstract authors are allocated 2 minutes to orally present their poster (1 slide only), plus 2 minutes for discussion.

### Poster discussions (P)

Poster discussions take place in the Hubs. These are intimate, flexible and friendly spaces designated to offer the author the opportunity to meet delegates interested in their research, discuss any comments and answer questions on their work.

### Electronic posters (EP)

Abstracts accepted as view only posters are available for viewing throughout the Congress on the On Demand stations located at the ISUOG lounge.

*All OC, OP, P & EP presentations are published in the abstract book and online.*



**90%**

of survey respondents  
agree ISUOG is the  
leading event in  
the field

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- Trainees and sonographers
- Early registrants
- Endorsing partner organisations members

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[www.asum.com.au/asum-membership](http://www.asum.com.au/asum-membership)

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