“ON THE MOVE”
9th EORNA Congress
The Hague, The Netherlands
16 - 19 May 2019
First Announcement

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Welcome Message

Dear Perioperative Colleagues,

On behalf of EORNA and its Organising Committee, it is a great pleasure for us to invite you to attend the 9th biennial congress of the European Operating Room Nurses Association. The congress will be held in The Netherlands in the beautiful city of The Hague from 16 to 19 May 2019. It will be a great moment bringing together all committed nurses, leaders and perioperative professionals.

The scientific programme will offer delegates a wide range of innovative and interesting topics, with oral presentations, poster sessions and workshops. During the last congress held in Greece in 2017, EORNA welcomed delegates from over 40 countries. It is a huge opportunity to learn and to share knowledge with colleagues from around the world. The first call for abstracts will be in January 2018.

The Kingdom of the Netherlands, also called Holland, is famous for many things such as tulips, architecture, windmills, famous painters like Rembrandt, Van Gogh and many others. You will discover the international city of The Hague with its longstanding buildings where its history was forged, and a modern, world-class architecture.

The Hague is the third largest city in the Netherlands, the residence of the Royal Family, the seat of the Dutch government and the city of storks. The stork appears on the coat of arms and the logo of the municipality. The Hague is also an international city of peace and justice.

The congress theme is “ON THE MOVE”. With this title we indicate that our profession is constantly moving forward to enhance perioperative care, with more advanced technology for quality and safety of patient care in operating theaters. All these developments require the attention and commitment of the entire surgical team. Besides that, it is not only the operating room environment which is moving, but also the world around us. Thus, we know how essential it is to have up-to-date knowledge and to be prepared for any eventuality.

The Dutch Association LVO is very proud to host the 9th EORNA Congress in The Netherlands and to organise a warm welcome for all delegates.

We are sure to offer you a fantastic and unforgettable congress. So, join us in The Hague. We look forward to seeing you there!

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Key Dates

Congress Dates:
16-19 May 2019

Abstract Submission opens:
22 January 2018

Abstract Submission Deadline for Oral Presentations:
15 July 2018

Notification of Abstract Acceptance:
15 November 2018

Registration opens:
October 2018

Abstract Submission Deadline for e-Posters:
February 2019
Call for Abstracts

The Scientific Committee invites nurses and researchers worldwide to submit their abstracts for review and possible presentation on the following topics:

A. Scientific research
B. Perioperative/clinical practice
C. Education
D. Leadership/Management
E. Patient safety
F. Healthy workplaces

The abstract submission system will open 22 January 2018. For more information, please consult the congress website: www.eorna-congress.eu
Sponsorship & Exhibition

The EORNA Congress will in 2019 again be accompanied by an industry exhibition. This exhibition will provide a unique opportunity to present your products and promote services to professionals from all over the world.

Become a sponsor and benefit from the advantages. The EORNA Congress 2019 will give your company exposure to leaders, nurses and perioperative professionals.

We are happy to assist you in choosing one of our sponsoring products and activities to assure an excellent presentation of your company.

**Exhibition dates: 16 – 19 May 2019**

We would be happy to inform you in detail about the opportunities the congress can offer to your company.

Please contact us for the detailed Sponsorship & Exhibition Prospectus

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