

# General Information

## VENUE

Norges Varemesse  
Lillestrøm, Oslo | Norway

## CONGRESS WEBSITE

[www.estes-congress.org](http://www.estes-congress.org)

## CONGRESS PRESIDENT

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## DATES TO REMEMBER

August 14, 2019	Start abstract submission
September 18, 2019	Start online registration
October 13, 2019	Deadline abstract submission
January 10, 2020	Notification of abstract acceptance
February 9, 2020	Deadline for early bird registration fee
April 10, 2020	End of regular registration fee

## INDUSTRIAL PARTICIPATION

The ECTES offers a large range of exhibition possibilities, symposia, advertisements and other marketing services and is therefore the perfect platform to present your company and products to the out-standing faculty and 1,200 skeletal trauma surgeons, general surgeons, anesthesiologists, emergency physicians, visceral surgeons, orthopaedics, and intensive-care specialists from all over the world.

Interested companies are invited to request information from the conference organisation Conventus.

## PROFESSIONAL CONGRESS ORGANISER

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# 21<sup>st</sup> European Congress of Trauma & Emergency Surgery

April 26 – 28, 2020 | Norges Varemesse  
Oslo, Norway

## Call for Abstracts



# Welcome note

## DEAR COLLEAGUES, DEAR FRIENDS,

The European Society for Trauma and Emergency Surgery (ESTES) welcomes you to the 21<sup>st</sup> European Congress of Trauma and Emergency Surgery from April 26 to 28, 2020 in Norway.

Similarly to previous editions of our congress, the ESTES will retain its international character this year by hosting over 40 Sessions with numerous speakers from all over the world. The ESTES is looking forward to offering a platform to experts in all areas of trauma and emergency surgery care. We will host several guest symposia including several European and non-European scientific societies like IATSIC, DGU, ATLS, ATCN and AO Trauma.

We are lucky to work in a field that is both diverse and dynamic. Within the last years, we have been able to establish so many different innovations for the benefit of our patients. Our five sections, Emergency Surgery, Disaster & Military Surgery, Skeletal Trauma and Sports Medicine, Visceral Trauma and Polytrauma, as well as the Permanent Education Committee are preparing an exciting and interdisciplinary programme.

We proudly welcome you to a city on the rise and a capital world-famous for peace politics, where people with diverse backgrounds exchange ideas and develop modern solutions. Oslo can present cutting edge architecture and is surrounded by beautiful nature and sporting. We proudly welcome you to a metropolis so compact that international restaurants and great attractions are always just around the corner.

We are looking forward to a stimulating scientific and social event, and to welcoming you at ESTES 2020.

Christine Gaarder  
Congress chair ESTES 2020

# Abstract submission

We kindly request your active support by submitting your scientific contributions to the following abstract topics:

- | Abdominal injuries
- | Bleeding, massive transfusion and coagulopathy
- | Chest injuries
- | Complex abdominal reconstructions
- | Disaster and military surgery
- | Education
- | Emergency surgery & soft tissue infections
- | Endovascular interventions
- | Future developments and new techniques
- | Polytrauma
- | Scorings in ER and ICU
- | Skeletal trauma & bone infections
- | Spinal injuries
- | Sports trauma
- | Surgical critical care & burns
- | The frail patient
- | Trauma systems & prehospital care
- | Traumatic brain injuries
- | Vascular injuries

Online submission of abstracts at [www.estes-congress.org](http://www.estes-congress.org)

**Deadline abstract submission October 13, 2019**

## PUBLICATION OF ABSTRACTS

With the submission of abstracts, all authors agree to the publication of their accepted abstract within the online archive of the "European Journal of Trauma and Emergency Surgery".