



First Announcement





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The Norwegian School of Sport Sciences is proud to announce that the XIth International Symposium for Biomechanics and Medicine in Swimming, 2010, will be held in Oslo, Norway. The Norwegian School of Sport Science is the public institution in Norway with national responsibility for research and education in the sport sciences. We are located on the border of beautiful Nordmarka Forest and the idyllic Lake Sogn. The school has expanded since opening in 1968 with the addition of a multi-purpose indoor arena and new state of the art research laboratories.

About BMS

The International Symposium for Biomechanics and Medicine in Swimming was the first major single sport international scientific congress to be held. It is arranged every 4th year, the first being held in Brussels in 1970. We will thus be celebrating our 40th anniversary. The BMS symposium is a highly regarded, scientific, peer reviewed gathering of experts from the entire world, sharing their research findings on aquatic sports and activities. BMS is affiliated with The World Commission for Sport Sciences, and UNESCO. Although biomechanics and physiology/medicine have traditionally been most popular, papers are welcomed from other academic disciplines. In Oslo we hope to strengthen the contribution of other research disciplines and to broaden the list of aquatic areas represented.



The City of Oslo

Oslo is unique in many ways. It may be the European capital city with the closest proximity to nature. The city is nestled between Oslo Fjord on the south and the rolling hills of the Nordmarka Forest on the north. Both are the playground of residents and an unusually high percentage of the population of the city use every opportunity to use it in one way or another, from hiking, skiing in the winter, berry and mushroom picking to paddling and boating. A network of over 3000 km of lighted ski trails allow enthusiasts to ski freely after work in the early evenings of the northern winter.



Conference Format

During the four days of the conference you will enjoy the Leon Lewillie Memorial Lecture, invited lectures, oral presentations, poster presentations, technical demonstrations, workshops and exhibitions. Peer reviewed books of proceedings and abstracts will be published as part of the conference.

The Archimedes award for young investigators will be awarded to the best presentation of a participant under the age of 35.





Important dates:

November 2009 Abstracts Submission deadline
January 2010 Full text submission deadline
Mid June 2010 Conference dates

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