

2023

XIXth INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS CRIMINALISTICS AND FORENSIC EXPERTOLOGY: SCIENCE, STUDIES, PRACTICE

September 13th-15th, 2023
Brno, Czech Republic



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Dear Colleagues

Criminalists' Association of Lithuania, Forensic Science Centre of Lithuania and Masaryk university, Faculty of Law kindly invite you to participate in XIX international congress "Criminalistics and Forensic Expertology: Science, Studies, Practice".

1. Congress will take place on 13-15th of September, 2023 at Masaryk university, Faculty of Law, Veveří 70, 611 80 Brno, Czech Republic.

If you need to contact the conference organizers, please use only the following email address: congress.brno.2023@gmail.com.

2. Main Topics of the Congress:

- ☞ Criminalistics of Central European countries (Mediterranean-Intermarium) - between Eastern European and Germanic schools of criminalistics;
- ☞ International cooperation and challenges for criminalistics and forensic expertology investigating war crimes;
- ☞ Criminalistics tactics, criminalistics methodic and criminalistics strategy in doctrine, policy and practice of law enforcement institutions;
- ☞ Criminalistics didactics – 130 years: from Hans Gross's "Court Investigator's Guide" to current textbooks;
- ☞ Crime threats and human security; Digitization and artificial intelligence in criminalistics and forensic expertology.

3. Student (young researchers) session. A session of young researchers and students is planned to be held during the Congress. The work of the session will be organized in a mixed way (contact participation and distance (remote) participation). Participants in this session may make presentations on proposed topics of the Congress or on the sphere of their research. Remote participation in the Congress is free of charge. The Scientific Council will decide if presentation (title and annotation must be provided) will be included in the program. Submitted articles will be included in the publication only on the approval of the Scientific Committee of the Congress.

4. Languages of the Congress – Czech, English. No interpretation will be provided. It is possible to prepare poster and oral or Powerpoint presentations for the Congress. The Scientific Committee of the Congress will evaluate the scientific level and content of the presentations.

5. Participation Conditions:

a) Registration fee:

- ☞ Early conference registration fee (till June 1st 2023) is **170** Euros
- ☞ After June 1st 2023 is **220** Euros

The registration fee includes: participation in XIX congress, certificate and issue of published conference materials, coffee breaks, 2 lunches, welcome drink, gala dinner, other organizational expenses, including VAT. It does not include international or national trips, accommodation, etc.

The registration fee should be transferred into September 1st 2023

Please specify the first and last name of the participant and/or author and the purpose of the transfer: registration fee for XIXth congress.

The registration fee must only be paid by bank transfer and must be credited to the above account no later than

b) Publication fee:

The publication fee is a separate fee of **80** Euros per article which should be paid by 31 April 2023 into account of **Lithuanian Criminalists association** № LT 10 7044 0600 0159 7508, SWIFT CBVI LT 2X (BANK AB SEB).

Please indicate the first and last name of the author and the purpose of the transfer: publication fee.

Payment evidence should be presented together with the article. Publication of the article is possible without participation in Congress.

Conference papers for publication in the proceedings should be sent to email: konferencija.vilnius@gmail.com

The articles may be prepared in Czech, Lithuania, English, German, Ukrainian or Polish languages. The summaries and key words in original and English languages are necessary.

Together with the article one scientific review of the article should be presented in mentioned above languages. The presented articles will be reviewed by the Scientific Committee as well. **The article should comply with the requirements defined below for the publications. The articles which not comply with the requested form will automatically be rejected.** The articles will be traditionally published in separate reviewed annual edition.

6. Registration

Registration for the conference will only be possible via the registration system available at the web link below. No other form of registration is possible.

Registration will be open from February 27th 2023. Registration is possible only till August 31st 2023

<http://www.law.muni.cz/applications/en/registered/applications/conference/913>

If you are logging in for the first time, you must first register with the system.

<https://www.law.muni.cz/applications/en/users/register/>

If you have already registered electronically for a conference organised by the Faculty of Law in the past, you have already registered in the system. You can log in to the system by entering your e-mail address and the password you received when registering. After entering the system you will be able to fill in the conference registration form.

If you do not remember the password you received when you registered for the system, we will send you a new one and in the form that appears, enter the email address you provided when you registered earlier.

<https://www.law.muni.cz/applications/en/users/renew/>

After registering for the conference, an invoice will be generated in the registration system, which please pay by the due date.

7. Important Dates:

- **Till April 15th 2023** - present summary of presentation and/or article (if applicable) in original and English languages (max one printed sheet). This should be send to email: konferencija.vilnius@gmail.com
- **Till April 31st 2023** - to present article for publication prepared under the indicated below requirements. Together with the article the photos of authors and evidence of payment of publication fee should be presented. Conference papers for publication in the proceedings should be sent to email: konferencija.vilnius@gmail.com
- **Till June 1st 2023** – pay early registration fee
- **After June 1st 2023** – full registration fee

8. Requirements for Articles (Presentations):

The articles will be published in separate reviewed edition till the conference date. The articles should be prepared using Microsoft Word program, Times New Roman 12 pt font, using 1,5 line interval on ones side of A4 paper, the margins should be not less than 25 mm from all sides, not more than 14 printed A4 pages. The comprehensive summary up to 3000 characters should be included, the citation form is footnotes presented at the bottom of the page. Under the title of the article accurate information about the author (Author's name and surname, scientific and pedagogical title, name and address of Institution represented, position, phone and e-mail) should be presented. Please note that any pictures, diagrams or other illustrating data will be printed in gray scale.

9. Preliminary Program of the Conference:

September 13th 2023 (Wednesday)

12.00 - 14.00 Participants' registration
14.00 - 14.30 Opening of the congress, greetings
14.30 - 16.00 Plenary presentations
16.00 - 16.30 Coffee break
16.30 - 18.00 Plenary presentations
18.30 - 20.30 Welcome drink

September 14th 2023 (Thursday)

09.00 - 11.00 Plenary presentations
11.00 - 11.30 Coffee break
11.30 - 13.30 Plenary presentations / Poster presentations
13.30 - 14.30 Lunch
14.30 - 16.30 Plenary presentations / Section workshops
16.30 - 17.00 Coffee break
17.00 - 18.00 Plenary presentations / Section workshops
18.30 - Departure for the gala dinner
19.00 - 21.00 Gala dinner

September 15th 2023 (Friday)

09.00 - 12.00 Plenary session and closing of the Congress
12.00 - 13.00 Lunch

10. Accommodation Options

Accommodation during the conference at a special reduced price is possible either in Sono Hotel Brno or in Hotel Continental Brno that are within walking distance of the faculty.

1. Sono Hotel Brno - <https://www.hotel-brno-sono.cz/>

The hotel has a capacity of 38 rooms in single, double, triple and suites.

If you decide on this accommodation, please make a reservation via e-mail recepce@hotelsono.cz. In the note of the order, please state that you are a participant of the “Kriminalistická konference Brno 2023.” You will then pay upon arrival at the hotel reception in cash or by credit card.

The price for accommodation is:

Single room	1.600,- CZK / night
Double room occupied by one person	1.800,- CZK / night
Double room occupied by two person	2.000,- CZK / night
Triple room	2.600,- CZK / night

The price includes breakfast, city tax, and VAT. In the case of using the hotel's underground garage, a fee of 150 CZK/night is charged.

2. Hotel Continental Brno - <https://www.continentalbrno.cz/cz>

The hotel has a capacity of 214 rooms in standard, superior, superior suite and design quality (single, double)

If you are interested in this accommodation, please order via email viktorova@continentalbrno.cz or gargulova@continentalbrno.cz (Monday-Friday 08:00 AM - 16.00 PM local time) or recepce@continentalbrno.cz (non-stop) with the note "Kriminalisticka konference Brno 2023", no later than September 1st 2023. Payment will then take place upon arrival at the hotel reception in cash or by credit card. The reservation can be changed or canceled at any time without charge.

The price for accommodation is:

Singe room STANDARD	1.600,- CZK / night
Double room occupied by one person STANDARD	1.750,- CZK / night

Double room occupied by two person STANDARD	2.150,- CZK / night
Single SUPERIOR	1.980,- CZK / night
Double room SUPERIOR	2.350,- CZK / night
Superior suite	2.970,- CZK / night
Single DESIGN	2.250,- CZK / night
Double room DESIGN	2.590,- CZK / night

The price includes breakfast, city tax and VAT. In the case of using the hotel's underground garage, an additional fee of CZK 350/car/24 hours is charged.

Please do not book through booking.com and similar portals, then the price cannot be reduced.

See you in Brno!
Organizers of the Congress

This invitation and other useful information can be found on our website <http://crimcongress.law.muni.cz/content/en/>, [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#).