

International Conference on Radioactive Waste Management: Solutions for a Sustainable Future

**Vienna, Austria
1–5 November 2021**

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Announcement for Participation of Young Generation (including students and research fellows) in the Conference

Young generation (including Masters and PhD students)

In order to support the sustainable future envisioned in the UN 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, the IAEA is inviting young professionals (bachelors, masters or doctoral students, postdoctoral fellows, or young professionals working in industry) to participate at the upcoming “International Conference on Radioactive Waste Management: Solutions for a Sustainable Future” to be held at Vienna, Austria from 1 to 5 November 2021.

Young generation professionals are encouraged to submit abstracts for papers or brief research proposals on any of the conference themes for poster presentations. Papers deemed outstanding by the conference committee may be invited to present in the main sessions. Apart from participation in the main conference sessions, there will be opportunities for attendance and presentation at specific young generation events.

Grants/funding

All young professionals are encouraged to participate in the conference. In addition, IAEA is seeking to further encourage attendance of young professionals at the event by offering grants to support participation. The conference committee will allocate funds to support a maximum of 7 grants as a contribution to partially cover travel and accommodation expenses for selected young professionals. The award will be decided by the committee based on the quality of the abstract and application.

Eligibility for grant

Candidates must be relatively early in their professional careers and under the age of 37. Candidates can be either bachelors, masters or doctoral students, postdoctoral fellows, or young professionals working in industry.

Interested candidates are required to submit abstracts for papers/posters or brief research proposals on any of the conference themes, and then submit their award application via the INDICO system (web link). In addition, candidates are requested to submit a short video (up to 5 minutes in duration) introducing themselves and their topic.

Key dates

All young Professionals

6th April 2021: Submission of abstract or research proposals through IAEA-INDICO

6th April 2021: Submission of Forms A and B through official channels

7th May 2021: Notification of acceptance

15th July 2021: Submission of full papers through IAEA-INDICO

30th August 2021: Notification of review of full papers

30th September 2021: Deadline for revised papers

Additional key dates for grant applicants

6th April 2021: Submission of Form C through official channels

6th April 2021: Submission of short video

7th May 2021: Notification of acceptance