

International Conference on the Safety of Radioactive Waste Management, Decommissioning, Environmental Protection and Remediation: Ensuring Safety and Enabling Sustainability

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European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)
International Commission on Radiological Protection (ICRP)
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United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)**

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

In order to further support Member States in their efforts to achieve UN Sustainable Development Goals and sustainable future envisioned in the UN 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, the IAEA is inviting young professionals to participate at the upcoming [Conference on the Safety of Radioactive Waste Management, Decommissioning, and Environmental Protection and Remediation](#) to be held at Vienna, Austria from 6 to 10 November 2023.

Young Professionals are encouraged to submit abstracts for papers or brief research proposals on any of the conference themes (that can be found [here](#)) for poster presentations.

Participants papers' deemed outstanding by the conference committee may be invited to be presented in the main conference sessions. Furthermore, there will be opportunities for attendance and presentation at specific young professional events.

Anyone wishing to present at the conference must submit an abstract in electronic format using the conference's file submission system ([IAEA-INDICO](#)), which is accessible from the conference web page (<https://www.iaea.org/events/icwedr2023>). The abstract can be submitted through this system until **02 June 2023**.

Conference registration is done through the InTouch+ platform (<https://intouchplus.iaea.org>).

Grants/funding

All young professionals are encouraged to participate in the conference and the IAEA is also offering grants to support participation. The conference committee will allocate funds to support a maximum of 10 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 submitted abstract.

Eligibility for grant

Candidates must be under the age of 35. Candidates can be either bachelors, masters or doctoral students, postdoctoral fellows, or young professionals working in the industries targeted by the conference.

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 [IAEA-INDICO](#) system. In addition, there is an option for candidates to submit a short video (up to 5 minutes in duration) introducing themselves and their topic. The videos should be submitted by 30 July 2023. **Guidelines will be posted on the INDICO site.**

Key dates

All Young Professionals

02 June 2023:	Submission of abstract or research proposals through IAEA-INDICO
02 June 2023:	Submission of Forms A, B and through official channels
24 June 2023:	Notification of acceptance
30 July 2023:	Submission of short video

26 August 2023:	Submission of full papers through IAEA-INDICO
16 September 2023:	Notification of review of full papers
30 September 2023:	Deadline for revised papers