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Call for papers

Deadline for sending communications:
From January 19 to March 8, 2026

The next Spanish Congress of Sociology is coming, in its 16th edition. It will take place from July 15 to 17, 2026 in Bilbao, organised by the Spanish Federation of Sociology in collaboration with the Basque Association of Sociology and Political Science (AVSP/ESZPE), the University of the Basque Country - Euskal Herriko Unibertsitatea (UPV/EHU), and the University of Deusto (UD), with the theme: ***Retos, evidencias, soluciones / Erronkak, ebidentziak, erantzunak***

The most important sociology event in Spain

The last conference, held in Seville in 2024, proved to be a great success: over 1,574 registered participants and 1,544 communications, more than 2,000 authors, 45 working groups, and 42 programmed events. It was attended by 245 international researchers.

What to expect

- the largest forum in Spain for presenting a wide range of top sociological research,
- diagnosis of contemporary Spanish society and the international context,
- a meeting point for professionals and institutions associated with sociology and similar disciplines to share experiences and improve their work.

The Spanish Federation of Sociology and the congress organisers are making a **special effort to internationalise the event**, with the following activities:

- More international orientation of some of the plenary events of the congress.
- Instructions in English and the possibility of texts and presentations in English in a number of WGs and sessions.
- A selection of internationally oriented working groups will include in their calls the possibility of organising some online sessions (the WGs management teams will select the communications and organise the sessions that will be held online). These selected working groups are the following:

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WG25: Sociology of Migration.

WG32: International Studies, Area Studies and Globalisation.

WG41: Comparative Sociology between Europe and Latin America.

Practical information

On the conference page you can consult the [rules of participation](#), which must be followed by all people who wish to present a paper, either as an extended summary or poster.

You can also consult the list of the [congress working groups](#). Each working group will publish its specific criteria in the call for papers that you can consult in detail.

The deadline for submitting an extended abstract or poster will be open from January 19 to March 8, 2026.

The sending and management of papers will be done only through the application enabled for the congress. This application will be available once the submission period begins. You can find all the details on the [conference website](#).

Key dates Papers

- Presentation of extended abstracts or posters: from **January 19 to March 8, 2026**
- Confirmation of acceptance of extended abstracts or posters: **April 23, 2026**

Registrations

- Start of the registration period: **December 1, 2025**
- Deadline for discounted registration: **May 5, 2026**
- Registration deadline to appear in the program: **May 19, 2026**



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Program

- Publication of the session program: **June 3, 2026**
- Publication of the general program: **June 18, 2026**
- If you have any queries, please contact the technical secretary at the following email address: congreso@fes-sociologia.com or contact 0034 629 27 19 61 from Monday to Friday, from 9 am to 2 pm.

Best regards,
XV Spanish Congress of Sociology Organising Committee

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