GUIDELINES FOR SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS AND FULL PAPERS FOR 14TH INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE OF SPORT KINETICS 2018

“Movement in Human Life and Health”

- First announcement -

(Poreč, Croatia, 24-27 June, 2018)

The Faculty of Kinesiology, University of Zagreb, Croatia, and the Faculty of Sport and Physical Education, University of Novi Sad, Serbia, announce a first Call for Full papers or Abstracts for the 14th International Scientific Conference of Sport Kinetics 2018, which will be held in Poreč, Croatia, June 24 – 27, 2018, just before 27th Annual Summer School for Kinesiologists. This conference will be under the patronage of the Croatian Kinesiology Association, which will have 27th Annual Summer School for Kinesiologists, in Poreč, Croatia, from June 27 – 30, 2018. The aim of this Conference is to provide the latest scientific and professional insights, findings and experiences which are connected with Movement in Human Life and Health.

Conference theme covers a large variety of topics: training science, physiology, psychology, medicine, biomechanics, pedagogy, history, sociology, physiotherapy, and others. These topics should be connected with main topic of the Conference "Movement in Human Life and Health".

Official language of the Conference: English

Types of papers accepted:
- full papers
- abstracts

Types of presentations:
- oral presentation for full papers and abstracts
- poster presentations – submitted in abstract forms. Posters, preferably measuring 100 x 70 cm, will be on display during the Conference. They should be structured in the same manner as abstracts, and must be easily legible from a distance or at least 2 meters. All issues concerning posters (printing, displaying etc.) are responsibilities of authors.

The final acceptance decision is the exclusive right of the Conference Scientific Committee.

Important dates and datelines:

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Publishing of Conference Proceedings Book
All Conference papers, full papers and abstracts, will be published in Book of Proceedings & Abstracts available at the Conference.
Conference Proceedings Book will also be available online in open access. Top three full text papers can be evaluated and selected for review process for publishing in scientific journal "Kinesiology", indexed in Web of Science Core Collection.

Only full text papers (not abstracts) submitted can be evaluated to be recommended for publication in journal Kinesiology. The final decision on acceptance for publishing in journal Kinesiology is on Editor / Editorial Board of Kinesiology. If accepted for publication in journal Kinesiology, the paper must be prepared in compliance with journal's guidelines.

Papers accepted for publication in journal Kinesiology will be published in Book of Proceedings & Abstracts only in abstract form.

Reviewers and members of Scientific Committee will evaluate papers to be recommended for publication in journal Kinesiology.

Editors, reviewers and members of Scientific Committee are international.

The Conference Book will be applied to be indexed in international databases, like EBSCO SportDiscus.

Acceptance criteria for abstracts and full papers

- Novelty, originality of work. Specific results achieved and described. Potential impact and interest to the attendees.
- The abstract / full paper must not have been published as an abstract or as a full paper in any other publication or submitted for publication at the time of submission.
- All authors must approve the submitted abstract / full paper. All authors must state any potential conflict of interest.
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The participants who want to publish paper/abstract in the conference Proceedings Book should make the submission under the link below:


Secretary of Scientific Committee, Associate Prof., dr habil. Jan M. Konarski will be in charge of the communication with authors.
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Abstract should have no more than 2,300 characters in Times New Roman, 10 point font (not including spaces, title, or author block). If including table, chart, or graph, your text character count will be limited to accommodate your graphic, usually to 1,700 characters depending on the size of the object. Do not use brand names in the abstract. Indicate grant funding information at the bottom of the abstract in the Statement of Disclosure. At the bottom of the abstract, please indicate Acknowledgment (if necessary) and Conflict of Interest. It contains:

Title: The title should be brief, short and clear (limit to 15 words). Abbreviations are discouraged.

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Type of presentation: oral or poster (state one)

ABSTRACT:
The abstract must be informative, including a statement of the study's specific PURPOSE, METHODS, summary of RESULTS, and CONCLUSION statement using these headings. It is unsatisfactory to state, "The results will be discussed." Abstracts of experimental studies must include data to substantiate the conclusions being drawn. It is not satisfactory to simply describe what was found verbally in general terms. The lack of inclusion of experimental data may result in the abstract being rejected.

Key words: Three to six key words, not used in the title.

Acknowledgment

Conflict of interest

Statement of Disclosure

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Full paper must not be more than 6 pages, A4 size, portrait orientation (including title, authorship, affiliations, abstract, key words, body of the text, tables and figures). Margins are set at 3 cm. Text body character size is 12, Times New Roman, spaced 1.5, justified.
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The body of the text should contain chapters: INTRODUCTION, METHODS, RESULTS, DISCUSSION, CONCLUSION.

Tables and figures:
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Place tables and figures in the text.
No coloured illustrations, the proceedings book will be printed in black and white. Tables should be numbered in the order in which they occur in the text and referred to as “Table 1”, for example. Each table should be accompanied by a short title. The pictures and drawings that are not originals should contain the name of the book or journal reference.

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ABSTRACT:

PURPOSE: This study presents an example of the quantitative contribution of modern sport biomechanics to the training of a competitive wrestling technique. METHODS: Two experienced wrestlers who had been training for 10 y participated as subjects. The recordings were made in 5 different successful trials of the execution of the arm throw. RESULTS: showed that typical repetitive joint angle waveforms exist in specific joints of the body - the torso, the pelvis and the lower limbs. However, the respective waveforms for the upper limbs showed a very large variability (CMCs<.085). CONCLUSIONS: It was found, that biomechanical analysis may be a very useful tool for quantifying information. This information can assist the coach in making the adjustments needed to improve the athlete’s technique and performance.

Key words:

Text of full paper contains these chapters: INTRODUCTION, METHODS, RESULTS, DISCUSSION, CONCLUSIONS, REFERENCES.

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