

# Call for Expression of Interest in hosting the 21st European AIDS Conference (#EACS2027)

### CALL OPEN DATE March 2024:

The European AIDS Clinical Society (EACS) is issuing a call for Expressions of Interest in hosting the 21<sup>st</sup> European AIDS Conference (#EACS2027) to establish a shortlist of a maximum of three potential venues/destinations. A different host city/venue will be selected for 2027.

### **KEY INFORMATION:**

Date:

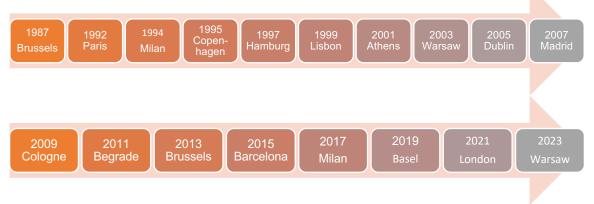
October or November 2027, core event dates Wednesday-Saturday (setup on Monday-Tuesday) avoiding public holidays and large local events.

<u>Conference:</u> Please use the 2023 website as a general reference: <u>https://eacs-conference2023.com</u>.

<u>Attendees:</u> c. 3,000 attendees onsite

## **CONFERENCE HISTORY:**

The next European AIDS Conference Conference will be held in Paris from 15-18 October 2025. Please see hosts of the European AIDS Conference for the past editions below:



# SUBMISSION LETTER OF INTEREST:

The Letter of Interest should not exceed three A4 pages and should be signed by the medical doctor serving as the local or national ambassador for the European AIDS Conference in 2027. The designated local or national ambassador must be a current paid-up member of EACS. Additionally, the Letter of interest must be endorsed by at least one member of the current EACS Governing Board, who may or may not also serve as the local or national ambassador. Furthermore, each member of the EACS Governing Board is limited to supporting only one host city's Letter of Interest.



It should encompass the following aspects:

- The scientific appeal and rationale behind hosting the European AIDS Conference in your city and country.
- An explanation of suitability for hosting the European AIDS Conference.
- Endorsement from at least one member of the current EACS Governing Board.
- Information regarding local and national supporters of the Letter of Interest, such as national societies and key opinion leaders (KOLs).
- It should include available dates and alternatives.
- Include relevant details such as Conference vision, local/national ambassador involvement, potential local/national support (industry and institutions).
- Local and national ambassadors are encouraged to contact their proposed host city's Convention Bureau for proposal assistance. For additional support connecting with your local Convention Bureau, please email Alexandre Meyrieux, Account Director at K.I.T. Group: <a href="mailto:ameyrieux@kit-group.org">ameyrieux@kit-group.org</a>.

Description	Days	Minimum capacity
Registration Area	5	For 3,000 participants
Organiser Office	5	50sqm
EACS Office	4	50sqm
EACS Meeting Room	3	20pax (U-Shape)
Host(ess) Room	3	30sqm
Staff Lunchroom	4	80sqm
Speaker Preview Room	4	100 sqm
Exhibition/F&B/Poster Area	5 (incl. 2.5 days setup)	5,000 sqm
Pre-Conference Course 1	0.5	400 pax*
Pre-Conference Course 2	0.5	160 pax*
Pre-Conference Course 3	0.5	100 pax*
Parallel Session Room 1	3	2,500 pax*
Parallel Session Room 2	3	800 pax*
Parallel Session Room 3	3.5	550 pax
Parallel Session Room 4	3	500 pax (Theatre style)
Overflow/Other	3	200 pax (Theatre style)
Press Conference Room	3	80 pax (Theatre style)
Workshop Room 1	2	80 pax (Theatre style)
Workshop Room 2	2	80 pax (Theatre style)
Workshop Room 3	2	80 pax (Theatre style)
6 x Meeting Rooms	3	80-140 sqm

# **VENUE REQUIREMENTS:**

For more details on the submission of interest and the bidding process, please click <u>here</u>. Please submit your interest by 20 June 2024 to <u>EACSConference-bid@eacsociety.org</u>.