

PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME AT A GLANCE

July 2, 2014	Workshops
July 2, 2014	Opening Ceremony and Welcome Reception (early evening)
July 3-5, 2014	Lectures, Symposia, Oral Presentations and Poster Presentations
July 5, 2014	Congress Closing
Congress Venue	Miramar Palace
Opening Ceremony	Victoria Eugenia Theater
Theme	Global and Local Challenges for Best Practices in Assessment
Sub-themes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Challenges and Opportunities in International Assessment• Applying New Technologies and New Psychometric Models in Testing• Standards and Guidelines for Best Testing Practices• Testing in Multilingual and Multicultural Contexts

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

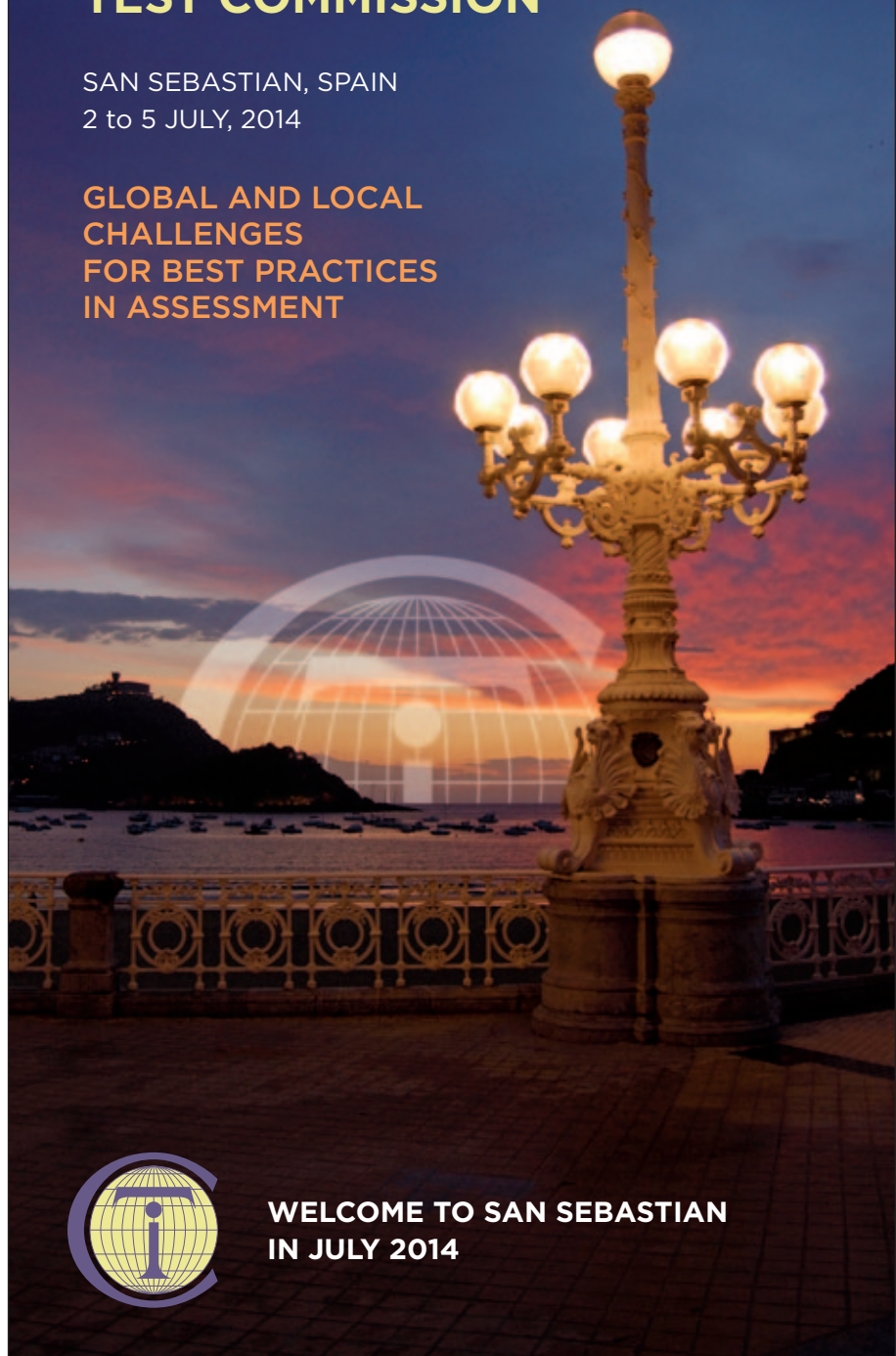
Call for papers will be sent out in September 2013. The preliminary programme will be ready in early part of the summer, 2013. Congress website: www.itc2014ss.com



THE 9TH CONFERENCE OF THE INTERNATIONAL TEST COMMISSION

SAN SEBASTIAN, SPAIN
2 to 5 JULY, 2014

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**WELCOME TO SAN SEBASTIAN
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FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT



WELCOME TO SAN SEBASTIAN

San Sebastian is honored to invite you to the next Conference of the International Test Commission. The 9th ITC Conference promises to be an unforgettable professional and scientific experience in a unique cultural environment.

Under the theme Global and Local Challenges for Best Practices in Assessment, ITC 2014 will showcase new frontiers of assessment as a means for improving and developing psychological and educational tests and test uses.

ITC 2014 will be held at the Miramar Palace, built in 1893, and located on the beautiful La Concha Bay. Miramar offers one of the most spectacular views of San Sebastian, which itself is an amazing city in the north east part of Spain.

NEWS

News about the congress will be updated continuously at the congress website www.itc2014ss.com.

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CONFIRMED KEYNOTE ADDRESSES

The following distinguished scientists have agreed to give addresses at the Congress:

- Professor Kurt GEISINGER has been a high level administrator as well as an academic with a distinguished career in both fields. Currently, he heads up the Buros Institute at the University of Nebraska in the USA. His research agenda has focused on fairness in assessment and test standards.
- Mr. Andreas SCHLEICHER leads the immensely important Programme for International Student Assessment (PISA) project. He will talk about the policy-implications as well as the many methodological advances of PISA.
- Mr. Jon TWING represents an important perspective in the assessment field. He is an outstanding psychometrician and manager who can talk about the next generation of educational and psychological assessments, and the hurdles that need to be overcome, from the perspective of a test publisher.

- Professor Wim Van der LINDEN has made outstanding contributions to the field of educational and psychological assessment and specific contributions to computer-based testing and automated test assembly.

The list of Speakers will be continuously updated at our website.

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