

35th INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM
ON CHROMATOGRAPHY

ISC 2026

PRAGUE, 6 - 10 SEPTEMBER

PRAGUE CONGRESS CENTRE, CZECH REPUBLIC



**SPONSORSHIP & EXHIBITION
OPPORTUNITIES BROCHURE**



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WELCOME

The International Symposium on Chromatography (ISC) represents the oldest symposium series on separation science. ISC symposia have been organised since 1956 in each even year. ISC is one of the premier meetings series for discussion of all modes of chromatography and related methods science with a broad coverage of techniques and applications.

The major focus of the symposium will be on the impact of chromatography and separation science to meet the needs of the chemical, pharmaceutical, environmental, and food industry, as well as science and medicine. The symposium programme will reflect these topics and highlight new challenges and emerging opportunities for the science and marketing of separation and detection methods.

As an integral part of the scientific programme of lectures and poster sessions, an international exhibition and vendor seminars on instrumentation and services for chromatography, separation science and mass spectrometry will be organised. ISC 2026 will provide the perfect forum for attendees from academia, industry and government research institutions for scientific exchange and networking.



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LOCATION

PRAGUE

The capital city of the Czech Republic is poetically considered to be **the heart of the European continent**. The history is deeply rooted in every building, and you can feel the cultural spirit in every step. Different architectural styles have been preserved throughout the wars and years of the communist era so the visitors may compose their own image of Prague. With the Prague Castle, the **largest castle complex in the world** on one side, facing the Dancing House representing the **contemporary architectural tendencies** on the other side, visitors can appreciate the centuries of history embedded in the buildings. Prague is not only a city of historical monuments, but also a city for living, where **culture is an integral part of things**. It is not surprising to find that it has been a source of inspiration for famous Prague residents and personalities, such as **Mozart, van Beethoven, Smetana, Dvořák, Kafka, Einstein, and Heyrovský**.

At the same time, growing since the Velvet Revolution, Prague, the **meeting point of Eastern and Western Europe** has quickly become a site to host **multiple scientific conferences and cultural events**. The same goes for movie makers who just love coming to Prague and making it the scene of their movies. You may have seen **Prague in motion pictures** such as Amadeus (1984), Mission Impossible (1996), The Bourne Identity (2002), The Illusionist (2006), and Casino Royale (2006).





LOCATION

VENUE

The Prague Congress Centre is one of the most prominent landmarks of the capital, offering wonderful panoramic views of Prague. It can accommodate events for up to 9,300 participants in more than 50 halls, meeting rooms, and conference rooms of various sizes. Equipped with the latest cutting-edge technology and having undergone reconstruction in 2018, the Congress Centre has a long-standing tradition of hosting a wide range of international events and meetings of all sizes.

Originally named the Palace of Culture, the Prague Congress Centre evokes Eastern European history in the 20th century, having served communist conventions from its opening in 1981, including the last communist congress in 1989. The venue therefore represents the heritage that not only influenced post-communist European countries, but also grants top-quality conference service.

Due to its central location, the Prague Congress Centre is easily accessible from all hotels within the city and has a strategic advantage with over 800 hotel rooms available within a five-minute walking distance.





GENERAL INFORMATION

WHEN 06 – 10 September 2026

WHERE Prague Congress Centre
5. května 64
140 00 Prague 4
Czech Republic

WEBSITE <https://www.isc2026.org/>

KEY DATES

Date	Event
15 January 2026	Opening of Early-bird Registration & Abstract submission
11 March 2026	Deadline for abstract submission (orals)
21 April 2026	Sending acceptance letters (orals)
15 May 2026	Deadline of early-bird registration & payment
1 June 2026	Preliminary detailed program on web
1 June 2026	Deadline for abstract submission (posters)
16 June 2026	Sending acceptance letters (posters)
30 June 2026	Author registration deadline (posters)
30 July 2026	Deadline for abstract submission (late-breaking posters)
11 August 2026	Sending acceptance letters (late-breaking posters)
18 August 2026	Author registration deadline (late-breaking posters)
25 August 2026	Deadline for late registration & payment
6-10 September 2026	Symposium

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SUNDAY 6 - THURSDAY 10 SEPTEMBER 2026

PRAGUE, THE CZECH REPUBLIC, PRAGUE CONGRESS CENTRE



PROGRAM IN A NUTSHELL *

* SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Please find the most up-to-date version on the official web:
<https://www.isc2026.org/program-at-glance/>

PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

SATURDAY 5 SEP 2026		SUNDAY 6 SEP 2026	MONDAY 7 SEP 2026			TUESDAY 8 SEP 2026			WEDNESDAY 9 SEP 2026			THURSDAY 10 SEP 2026		
CLUB A		CLUBS A, B, C	Forum Hall	South Hall 2A	South Hall 2B	Forum Hall	South Hall 2A	South Hall 2B	Forum Hall	South Hall 2A	South Hall 2B	Forum Hall	South Hall 2A	South Hall 2B
8:30														
9:00			FUN 1	BIO 1	HYP 1	FUN 4	BIO 4	HYP 4	FUN 7	BIO 7	HYP 7	FUN 10	BIO 10	HYP 10
9:30	Short Course: SC 1	3 Short Courses: SC 2, SC 3, SC 4,												
10:00			Coffee Break											
10:30			FUN 2	BIO 2	HYP 2	FUN 5	BIO 5	HYP 5	FUN 8	BIO 8	HYP 8			
11:00												FUN 11	BIO 11	HYP 11
11:30		3 Short Courses: SC 5, SC 6, SC 7,												
12:00			Lunch / Exhibition / Posters									Lunch		
12:30			Lunch / Exhibition / Posters									Plenary Lectures & Closing Ceremony		
13:00												Farewell Drink		
13:30			FUN 3	BIO 3	HYP 3	FUN 6	BIO 6	HYP 6	FUN 9	BIO 9	HYP 9			
14:00														
14:30														
15:00														
15:30														
16:00			Coffee Break											
16:30		Opening Ceremony	FUN YOS 1	BIO YOS 1	HYP YOS 1	FUN YOS 2	BIO YOS 2	HYP YOS 2	FUN YOS 3	BIO YOS 3	HYP YOS 3			
17:00		Award Ceremony												
17:30														
18:00		3 Plenary Lectures												
18:30														
19:00		Welcome Reception				ISC Tube & Quiz						Gala Dinner		

FUN – Fundamentals, BIO – Bioanalysis and omics applications, HYP – Hyphenation techniques, YOS – Tutorials + Young speakers



COMMITTEES

PERMANENT SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

Tony Edge, Avantor

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WHY SHOULD YOU BECOME A SYMPOSIUM SPONSOR?

A tailored sponsorship package is a cost-effective opportunity to reach a large number of delegates within your target market.

Your organization's presence at the symposium is an opportunity to leverage several days of unparalleled access to a wide potential client base, to inform them about your products and services and build long-term relationships.

Sponsorship is a proven strategy for marketing your brand: it combines the reach of magazine advertising with the power of direct mail and persuasion of face-to-face meeting.

Symposium participants are keen to improve their scientific knowledge. Aligning your Company with this powerful educational experience demonstrates your commitment to assisting their development at a deeply personal level. Your Company will benefit significantly from exposure to an interested, relevant and influential audience in an informal yet informative environment away from the competition of everyday distractions. This becomes essential particularly now, in the era when large facilities are being constructed or upgraded and technology and vendor choices are being made.

The Symposium will assist you in achieving strategic goals by providing you with direct exposure to your target market. Be informed and identify the marketing strategies being implemented by your competition.

As a Symposium Sponsor (Platinum, Gold, Silver) you will be given priority location within the conference Exhibition. Platinum Sponsors will receive first choice, followed by Gold and Silver.

KEY BENEFITS TO EARLY COMMITMENT

Aligning your Company early will ensure maximum exposure and the opportunity to choose the most convenient exhibition location and desired sponsorship options.

EXHIBITORS REGISTRATIONS

All exhibitors are required to be registered and will receive a badge displaying the exhibiting Company name. Any additional exhibitors will be charged 350 EUR (excl. VAT) for an exhibitor pass. Exhibitor passes allow access to the exhibition area only and shall be used by company staff only. Detailed guidelines on exhibitor registration will be included in the Exhibitor's Manual.



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BRAND PROFILE SPONSORSHIPS WITH EXHIBITION SPACE

	Platinum Sponsorship	Gold Sponsorship	Silver Sponsorship
Exhibition*	30 sqm	16 sqm	12 sqm
Delegate registration	6	4	2
Exhibitor pass	6	4	2
Logo with link to your URL on Symposium website	Yes	Yes	Yes
Logo on Symposium app	Yes	Yes	Yes
Logo on front cover of the on-site Symposium booklet	Yes	Yes	Yes
Logo on all printed materials	Yes	Yes	Yes
Company description in the Symposium booklet	250 words	100 words	50 words
Logo on the sponsor slide loop during entry/exit times	Yes	Yes	Yes
Colour advertisement in the on-site Symposium program	Full page	Full page	½ page
Virtual Symposium Bag Inserts	3x	2x	1x
Roll-up in the registration area	Yes	No	No
Acknowledgement in ISC 2026 social media	Yes	Yes	No
Main stage branding in the auditorium	Yes	Yes	No
Cost	€ 32,000	€ 18,000	€ 12,000

Please note that all fees quoted in this prospectus are subject to the addition of VAT.

Early bird 10% discount on sponsorship package confirmed and paid before 15 July 2025.

* The Exhibition equipment includes:

Platinum

Basic Booth Equipment

4 tables

8 chairs

Gold

Basic Booth Equipment

3 tables

6 chairs

Silver

Basic Booth Equipment

2 tables

4 chairs



EXHIBITION OFFER

All booths come with a standard shell scheme, but space only stands are also available for those who wish to build their own structures.

EXHIBITION SPACE ONLY

€ 350 / 1 sqm

Minimum order is 4 sqm, that includes:

- Company logo and link on the Symposium website
- Listing in designated industry section of the Final Program
- 1 exhibitor pass per each 4 sqm of ordered space
- Invitation to the Welcome drink for registered exhibitors
- 1 virtual symposium insert per stand
- Cleaning of public areas and gangways

Space only rental does not include any furniture, electrical usage or stand cleaning. All these services and other items will be available to order in the Exhibitors' Manual.

BOOTH EQUIPMENT PACKAGE

€ 450 / 1 sqm

In addition to the space rental, you can purchase the booth equipment package that includes:

- Octanorm shell scheme
- Electricity supply 220V / 3.5 kW
- Fascia board company name (black/white).
Supplement for colour company name: € 50
- Daily cleaning
- Carpet
- 1 counter and 2 stools
- Spotlights (1 spotlight per 4 sqm)
- Supplement for a corner with a second fascia board € 50

All these services and other items will be available to order in the Exhibitors' Manual.



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TABLETOP

€ 1,000

- 1 table and 2 chairs
- Basic electricity connection 3.5 kW
- Space for rollups

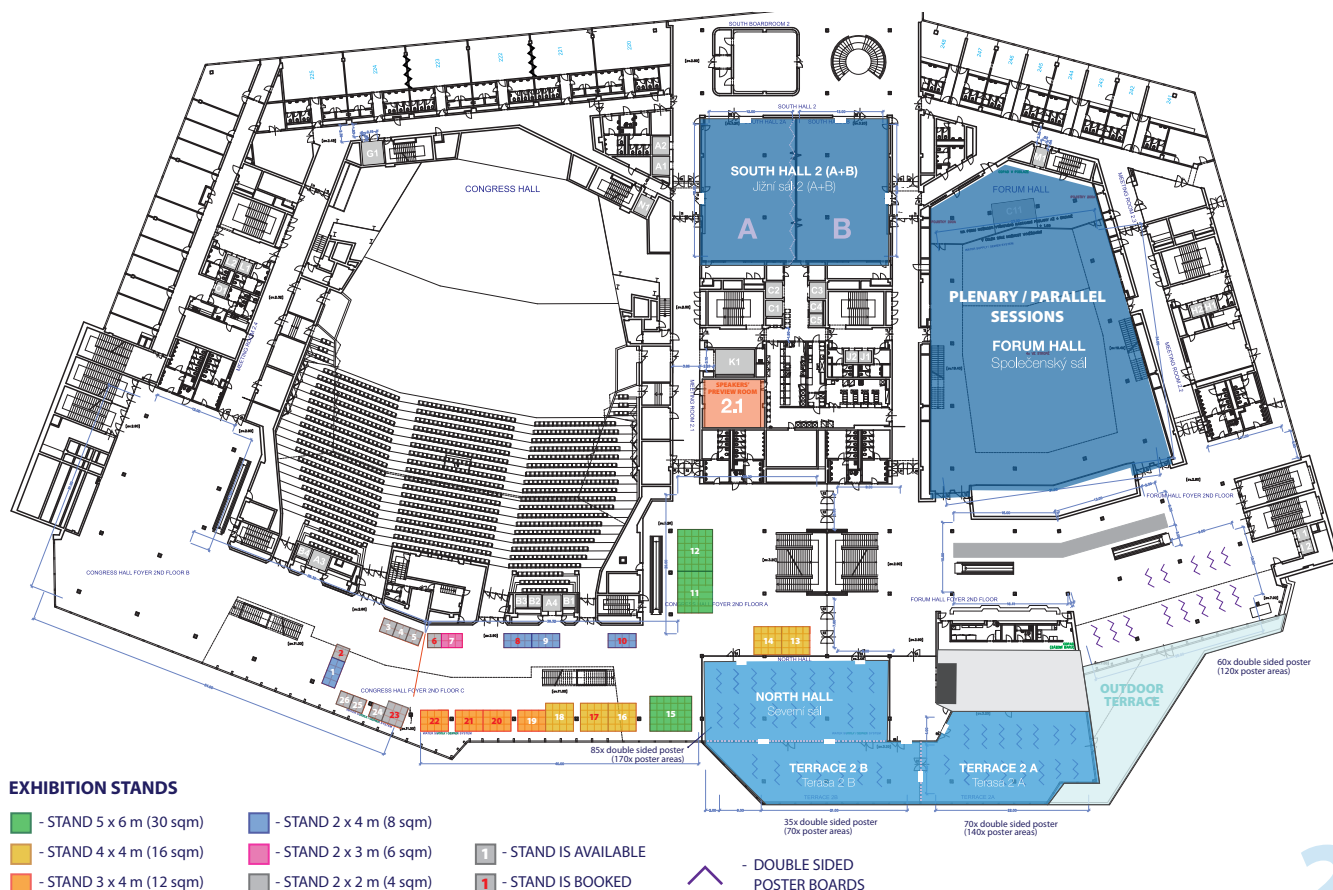
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Please note that exhibitors have no access to the scientific program. Normal registration to ISC 2026 is required to attend the scientific program. This can be added as an uplift to your fee for your exhibition booth fee, so that everything is included on a single invoice.

The floor plan is shown on the next page. When selecting your stand, please visit isc2026.org to see live stand availability. Please note that sponsors have first priority on booth / stand selection.



FLOORPLAN - 2ND FLOOR



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Last updated in the ISC 2026 Sponsorship Brochure: 14.01.2026.

The Floor plan is regularly updated on the website www.isc2026.org



ADDITIONAL SPONSORSHIP ITEMS

DELEGATE MATERIALS & PROGRAM SPONSORSHIP

These additional branding opportunities can be secured individually or can be combined with any of the other sponsorship or exhibition opportunities to create a bespoke package.

LANYARD BADGE HOLDER

€ 8,500 (Exclusive)

Each delegate will be given a lanyard with a name badge, which will indicate their name and where they are from, and act as an identification pass. The partner's logo will be printed on the lanyard together with the ISC 2026 logo. If the company wishes to provide their own lanyards, the partnership amount will be reviewed together with the sponsoring company. The design of the lanyard is subject to the approval of the Organiser. Please note delivery times for logos or lanyards must be adhered to.

VIRTUAL SYMPOSIUM BAG INSERTS

€ 1,000 per insert

Put your brand directly in the hands of every attendee - digitally. As a Virtual Symposium Bag sponsor, your content will be included in a branded, interactive hub available before, during, and after the event. Make a lasting impression - no shipping required.

NOTEPADS AND PENS

€ 5,500

Provide a notebook and a pen to be issued to all attendees. Your sponsorship will be acknowledged in all Symposium materials. Includes 1 delegate badge.

MOBILE APPLICATION

€ 8,500

A key information source for all delegates before and during the Symposium. Your logo on the app and on the download instructions. Advertisement page within the app and 3 x pre-scheduled dedicated push notifications. Your sponsorship will be acknowledged in all conference materials. Includes 1 delegate badge.



ADDITIONAL SPONSORSHIP ITEMS

ADVERTISEMENTS IN THE PRINTED AND ON-LINE SYMPOSIUM PROGRAM

- Full page, colour **€ 1,000**
- Half page, colour **€ 500**

VENDOR SEMINARS

€ 6,000 each

Opportunity to organise a lunchtime seminar for a maximum of 60 mn duration. This sponsorship package will see your logo placed alongside the seminar in the on-line program as part of the official program.

SYMPOSIUM DINNER

€ 10,000

9 September 2026

Your sponsorship will be acknowledged in the conference materials and on the app and includes 1 delegate ticket for the symposium.

WELCOME DRINKS RECEPTION

€ 7,000

Sole sponsor of the opening reception to be held in the exhibition hall on the evening of Sunday 6th September. Your logo will be marked on the online program alongside the reception. Your logo will also feature on the glass stem coasters and on the aprons worn by the waiting staff.



ADDITIONAL SPONSORSHIP ITEMS

COFFEE BREAKS

€ 3,500 per break (Exclusive)

€ 5,500 per day - 2 coffee breaks (Exclusive)

Sponsor of the coffee breaks. Available for individual days or for a combination of days. Your logo will feature in the refreshment break area and will also appear alongside the breaks in the on-line program.

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IMPORTANT DEADLINES

Sponsorship and Exhibition order	Deadline
Company's logo	Together with Sponsorship and Exhibition order
Company's website	Together with Sponsorship and Exhibition order
Lunch Symposium	15 April 2026
Coffee break	15 April 2026
Welcome reception	15 April 2026
Gala dinner	15 April 2026
Sponsorship and exhibition	15 June 2026
Participants deliverables (lanyards, notes & pens ...)	15 June 2026
Symposium Mobile Application	15 June 2026
Symposia details publishing	1 July 2026
Advertisements in the program book	1 August 2026
Symposium Material delivery	1 September 2026

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