

Poster Session

The Congress:

The German Olympic Sports Confederation organizes in cooperation with The Association for International Sport for All (TAFISA), the leading international organization in the Sport for All Movement, the Landessportbund North Rhine-Westphalia and the state chancellor of North Rhine-Westphalia the **28th TAFISA World Congress** which will be held from the 1st of November until the 5th of November 2023 in Duesseldorf, Germany.

The TAFISA World Congress is the flagship event of TAFISA taking place every 2 years since 1991. It creates a platform for international experts and practitioners to present their projects, programs, and activities to learn from each other and to network with participants from all over the world.

This year's World Congress goes by the main theme: **Sport for All – More together than ever** while digging deeper into the topics: Inclusion, Active Spaces, Well-Being, and Knowledge & Expertise in consideration with the crosscutting themes: Peace, Youth, Major Sport Policy, and Climate Change.

As part of the Congress students and NGOs are encouraged to submit a poster abstract for consideration to present and discuss their progressed research or projects relating to the following categories.

Categories:

1. Inclusion in sport: Is Sport for All really for all?
2. Active Spaces: Organising Sport for All in different settings
3. Well-being: Crafting a human-centred well-being model in Sport For All
4. Knowledge and Expertise: Qualifying the next generation of Sport for All leaders

In each category the best poster will be selected and awarded by the audience and poster committee.

Opportunities:

- Presentation of an overview of your project work to a wide international audience in sport for all
- Interaction with colleagues and interested parties
- Network, share ideas and possibly even forge future collaboration
- Free congress participation for students and special discount for NGOs (up to two presenters per poster)

The poster sessions will take place during the conference:

- Thursday 2nd November 12:30 – 14:00, tbc
- Saturday 4th November 12:30 – 14:00, tbc (Announcement of the “Best Poster Awards”)

Announcement of the selected posters: 31st July 2023

Required poster dimensions: A0 (84,1 cm width × 118,9 cm height; portrait orientation).

Please use 24-36pt font of either Times New Roman or Arial. The layout of the poster should be both visually appealing and easy to follow. It should be well organised with clear headings and subheadings.

The poster must contain the following elements:

- Title
- Authors, background
- Introduction
- Aims/purpose/Project idea
- Materials and methods
- Results
- Discussion
- Conclusion
- References

The poster presentation has to be prepared concisely and attractively for a broader sport audience with different backgrounds in sport for all. **The poster and presentation has to be in English.**

Please submit your clear and concise abstract until **30th June 2023** to tafisa-congress2023@dosb.de

- Max. 350 words
- Approx. 30 posters abstracts will be accepted for presentation

The poster committee, consisting of representatives of the Landessportbund North Rhine-Westphalia, State Chancellery of North Rhine-Westphalia, German Olympic Sport Confederation and the Honorary Committee of the TAFISA World Congress 2023 is looking forward to receiving your submissions.