

# Conditions of participation

## Congress of the European Paediatric Academic Societies (CEPAS) 2026

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## 1. Event Key Facts

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This section contains basic information about the event and the organizer.

**Name of the event:**

Congress of the European Paediatric Academic Societies (CEPAS) 2026

**Event date:**

28. – 31. October 2026

**Venue:**

**Lyon Convention Centre**

50 quai Charles de Gaulle  
69006 Lyon, France

**Organizer:**

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**Scientific organization:**

European Academy of Paediatrics (EAP)

[www.eapaediatrics.eu](http://www.eapaediatrics.eu)

European Society for Paediatric Research (ESPR)

[www.espr.eu](http://www.espr.eu)

## 2. Validity Period of the Terms and Conditions

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These Terms and Conditions apply from the moment of registration, throughout the event, and for subsequent post-event follow-up and related communication.

The Terms and Conditions cease to be valid once all event-related processes have concluded and no further legal claims from the event relationship exist.

## 3. Participation requirements and access regulations

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Participation is only permitted for individuals aged 18 and over.

Registration is reserved exclusively for professionals, industry representatives, and other stakeholders relevant to the event's field. Participants may be required to provide proof of their status, e.g., an ID or employer confirmation letter.

Only registered individuals may attend the event. On-site registration may be offered depending on availability. Participation without registration is not possible.

Access to the event is only permitted with the name badge issued by the organizer. Certain courses, workshops, or sessions require prior booking during registration. Transferring badges to third parties is prohibited.

Specific access restrictions may apply, particularly regarding legal regulations on advertising products targeted at specific groups (e.g., professionals).

Due to governing regulations, bringing unregistered persons (e.g., family members or companions) to the event or restricted areas is not allowed unless explicitly permitted by the organizer.

By registering, participants confirm compliance with the above conditions.

The organizer reserves the right to exclude participants who violate these Terms and Conditions or behave inappropriately. In such cases, participation fees will not be refunded.

## 4. Registration and participation

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### Registration procedure

The contract for participation becomes effective upon the participant's registration and the organizer's confirmation. Confirmation will be sent in writing to the email address provided during registration.

Registration is only possible through the online provided registration system. Participants are responsible for providing accurate information. Participation fees must be paid during registration using available payment methods. In specific cases, payment by invoice may be arranged. A submitted registration constitutes a binding contract offer, which is considered accepted unless declined by the organizer. These Terms and Conditions are accepted upon registration.

After registration, participants may modify personal data or add additional bookings. Any additional costs incurred must be covered by the participant. Transferring an online registration to another person is allowed only with complete and correct new participant data. Name badges are personal and may only be transferred with prior notice and approval by the organizer. Participants will be informed of any changes to their registration status, such as rejections or modifications, by email.

Additional agreements or amendments are only valid if confirmed in writing.

### Participation fees

Please refer to the [event website](#) for the applicable participation fees, possible reduced rates, and services included in the fees.

### Continuing Education Credits

Participants may collect continuing education credits during the event. They are responsible for verifying the criteria and accreditation requirements in advance, especially with the relevant chambers or institutions.

The organizer will announce the number of credits available and inform participants of the accreditation process. It is the participant's responsibility to provide the necessary documentation and meet the requirements.

### Limited Participant Capacities

If a registration cannot be accommodated, participants will be notified promptly.

If the number of registrations exceeds capacity, the organizer reserves the right to decline registrations or bookings. Payments will be fully refunded in such cases, and participants will be informed accordingly.

## 5. Rights and obligations of participants

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### Consent

The organizer reserves the right to use photos and video recordings taken during the event.

These recordings may be published by the organizer or its representatives on the event website, social media, or other publications.

If recordings of content are offered by the organizer and presenters have consented, these may be published later. Redistribution, reproduction, or other uses of such recordings by participants are strictly prohibited.

The content and presentations are intellectual property. Participants must refrain from making audio or video recordings out of respect for the presenters.

Participants who submit or present material must ensure they hold all necessary usage and intellectual property rights. The organizer accepts no responsibility for any infringement.

## Data protection

Participant data will be stored and processed electronically for the organization and follow-up of the event. Data will only be shared with third parties with consent or if legally required.

Please note that a separate privacy policy must be accepted during registration, outlining in detail how your data is processed.

## Cancellation policy

According to § 312g German Civil Code (BGB), there is no right of withdrawal for services provided at a fixed date. Cancellations are only permitted under the cancellation policy ([see section 7](#)).

# 6. Rights and obligations of the organizer

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## Changes and cancellations

In the event of force majeure—including but not limited to war, natural disasters, or pandemics—the organizer reserves the right to switch the event format to a fully virtual one. All pre-registered on-site participants will automatically be converted to online participants.

If the event cannot be held in its planned scope, the organizer reserves the right to change the event date. In such cases, participants will be informed immediately.

In the event of a full cancellation, due to force majeure, participation fees already paid will be refunded, minus administrative costs incurred.

The organizer is not responsible for any additional costs or damages incurred by participants due to changes in format or date.

## Liability disclaimer

The organizer accepts no liability for additional costs arising from delays, changes, or cancellations of travel (flights, trains, etc.), strikes, illness, or environmental or weather events.

They are also not liable for damages or losses caused by fraudulent registration or hotel booking services. Participants are explicitly advised to use only the officially recommended booking channels.

It is the responsibility of each participant to secure suitable insurance (theft, accident, health, travel cancellation, etc.). Participation is at the individual's own risk.

# 7. Cancellation policy

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Please refer to [the event website](#) for the applicable cancellation policy.

# 8. Applicable law

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The entire contractual relationship is subject exclusively to German law. The provisions of international private law and the UN Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods (CISG) are explicitly excluded.

The exclusive place of jurisdiction for all disputes arising from or in connection with this contract is Munich, unless mandatory legal provisions state otherwise.

# 9. Contact and support

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For questions, suggestions, or support regarding participation, please contact the organizer:

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## 10. Copyright

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All materials and intangible resources provided or used during the event—including but not limited to written documents, digital content, presentations, software, intellectual property, or other tools—are protected by copyright. Any reproduction, modification, distribution, or sharing with third parties requires prior written consent from the respective rights holder.

Violations may result in legal consequences and claims for damages. Participants are requested to respect these regulations to protect intellectual property rights.

## 11. Severability clause

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The invalidity of individual provisions shall not affect the validity of the entire agreement.

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