

19th ISSTD 2011: The Québec City *Rendez-vous*

From July 10 to 13, 2011, Québec City will host the 19th Biennial meeting of the International Society for Sexually Transmitted Diseases Research on the theme of From research to intervention: successes and challenges.

The Conference will take place in the Québec City Convention Centre located in the heart of the city across from the Parliament Building, and just a few steps from tourist attractions. The facilities are comfortable and modern, and the Centre boasts leading-edge equipment, spacious exhibit halls and impeccable service.

The Conference is being held during the Québec City Summer Festival. Over the past 40 years, the Québec City Summer Festival has put on hundreds of exciting and varied shows and concerts, making it Canada's biggest outdoor artistic event. With more than 300 shows in 11 days, the excitement that builds in the heart of Québec City is contagious. It's a must!

ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

Opinion leaders, researchers and clinicians from around the world provide leadership in STI/HIV prevention, diagnosis and treatment. The ISSTD Québec 2011 will bring them together to share their latest research results, innovation, good practice and expertise.

As the theme of the conference is "From research to intervention: successes and challenges", many sessions

at the conference will focus on the use of research results to inform the implementation of better and more efficient clinical and public health practices. The meeting will also focus on rigorous scientific evaluation of clinical and preventive interventions and will emphasize what work best in these fields.

Five main tracks will guide the preparation of the scientific program.

1. Epidemiology track
2. Social and behavioral aspects of prevention track
3. Clinical sciences track
4. Basic sciences track
5. Health services and policy track

KEY DATES

- Early Bird registration:
From December 1, 2010 to April 22, 2011
- Call for abstracts:
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- Deadline to submit an abstract:
February 21, 2011
- Notice of acceptance or rejection of abstracts:
April 13, 2011
- Standard registration:
From April 23 to June 9, 2011

