# **Accommodations**

Visit our site to select your housing during the event.

### **Hotel Amanti**

(Central IDEG Symposium Hotel)

Distance from Venue: 3.5 km

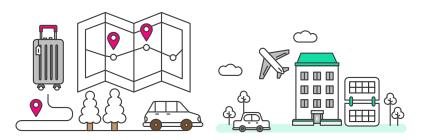
Room Type	Room Rate	Remark
Standard Double Room	KRW 102,000 ≒ USD 90	incl. 10% VAT + 1 Breakfast
Standard Twin Room	KRW 102,000 ≒ USD 90	incl. 10% VAT + 1 Breakfast
Breakfast(optional)	KRW 12,000 ≒ USD 11	Incl. 10% VAT

### **Holiday inn Express Seoul Hongdae**

(Connected to Airport Express Station "Hongik Univ.")

Distance from Venue: 2.5 km

Room Type	Room Rate	Remark
Superior Double	KRW 110,000 (Sun-Thu) ≒ USD 97	Incl. 10% VAT + 2 Breakfast
Superior Twin	KRW 130,000 (Fri −Sat ) ≒ USD 114	





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16<sup>th</sup> Symposium of International Diabetes Epidemiology Group

**IDEG 2019** 

November 29 ~ December 2, 2019
(PRIOR TO IDF CONGRESS)
ABMRC, Severance Hospital Seoul, Korea

# Please note upcoming deadlines

**Abstract Submission and Bursary Request: June 30, 2019 Early Bird Registration: June 30, 2019** 



# **Welcome Message**

**Dear Colleagues** 

As president of the International Diabetes Epidemiology Group, I would like to invite you to our 2019 16th IDEG Symposium, to be held in Seoul, Korea shortly before the International Diabetes Federation Congress later this year.

IDEG, founded in 1979, has an unbroken tradition of assembling those interested in diabetes epidemiology from around the world to meet and mingle with their colleagues. In the meantime, the burden of diabetes has grown tremendously, and the investigation of diabetes has escaped the confines of endocrinology to become a subject of major import to all those interested in global health.

Our Symposium is an excellent means of obtaining relevant updates and glimpses of future directions in the field, to affirm/reaffirm interest in this vital area, meet the names behind the papers, make contacts, plan collaborative endeavors, and in general move from day-to-day local interests to engagement in issues at the international level. A far cry from the rush of the world's major diabetes meetings, IDEG's comfortable size makes all of this possible.

IDEG will once again offer its Training Workshop, a traditional aspect of our meetings aiming to capacitate young investigators interested in diabetes epidemiology. Generously financed by the U.S. CDC, this Workshop will offer financial support for travel and lodging to appropriate candidates attending the Symposium.

I thus invite IDEG regulars, young researchers considering diabetes epidemiology as a future focus, and all those in-between to come to Seoul and enjoy our biannual gathering.

Bruce B. Duncan, MD, PhD President, International Diabetes Epidemiology Group

# **Program Highlights**

- Following our tradition, the bulk of the scientific program is dedicated to the presentation of selected abstracts, providing ample opportunity for participants to present their original research.
- Peter Bennett Award Lecture, recognizing a major and longstanding contribution to the field of diabetes epidemiology.
- Harry Keen Award Lecture, honoring a younger leader in the field of diabetes epidemiology.

### **Program topics:**

- Global trends in and novel complications of diabetes
- Big data in diabetes research
- Diabetes registries
- Debate: 1h glucose should be used to predict diabetes: Pro and Con
- Endocrine-disrupting chemicals and diabetes

# **How to Participate**

### **Abstracts**

We welcome abstracts related to any aspect of diabetes epidemiology, submitted through our Symposium website.

### **Bursaries**

As in previous meetings, we offer free registration and travel bursaries to early career professionals wishing to attend our one-day Workshop on Diabetes Epidemiology Methods and participate in the Symposium. For more details on the Workshop, please visit the Symposium site.

### Registration

Registration is now open. To obtain the best rate, register by June 30th. We accept payment by credit card or bank transfer.

### **FULL CONFERENCE RATES**

EARLYBIRD (to June 30, 2019)

Participant: US\$330

Student (resident, masters, Honors, PhD, etc.): \$165

Accompanying Guest: US\$85

Advanced (July 1 - September 30, 2019)

Participant: US\$370

Student (resident, masters, Honors, PhD, etc.): \$185

Accompanying Guest: US\$85

Regular & Onsite (After September 30, 2019)

Participant: US\$395

Student (resident, masters, Honors, PhD, etc.): US\$195

Accompanying Guest: \$85 US

#### SINGLE DAY RATES

Advanced (July 1 - September 30, 2019)

Participant: US\$190

Student (resident, masters, Honors, PhD, etc.): US\$95

Accompanying Guest: US\$40

Regular & Onsite (After September 30, 2019)

Participant: US\$195

Student (resident, masters, Honors, PhD, etc.): US\$95

Accompanying Guest: US\$45

The Accompanying Guest rate will give one family member or guest, access to all conference receptions & meals. The US\$85 price includes the Sunday evening dinner.

<sup>\*</sup> Note: Those with accepted abstracts may register at the EARLYBIRD rate until September 30.