

**Polymers**  
**2018**

# Polymers: Design, Function and Application

22 – 23 March 2018, Barcelona

## Sponsorship and Exhibition Opportunities

The conference *Polymers: Design, Function and Application* will be held from 22–23 March 2018 at the University of Barcelona in Barcelona, Spain.

### About the Conference

It is our sincere pleasure and great honor to announce the first international PDFA conference on *Polymers: Design, Function and Application*, organized by the MDPI open-access journal *Polymers*. The inaugural conference will be held as a two-day event in Barcelona, Spain, March 22–23, 2018.

We cordially invite researchers from both academia as well as industry, to join this polymer conference and to present cutting-edge research at the interface of design/function or function/application of polymers as a lecture or a poster. With its focus on function- and application-driven polymer research, the conference aims to address the development and testing of the next generation of polymeric materials with previously unrivaled properties for advanced applications. In order to stimulate research activities in these fields, large room for discussions and networking will be reserved in the agenda. It is our firm belief that this conference will play host to a scientifically inspiring two-day meeting in Barcelona with its exciting history, architecture, and environment. We look forward to meeting you in Barcelona!

### Advantages

Sponsoring *Polymers: Design, Function and Application* will give you a unique opportunity to present your company's products and to connect with scholars who are engaged in pioneer research on polymer science and engineering.

For an overview of the conference sessions, covered topics, and the preliminary schedule, please visit the conference website:

▶ [sciforum.net/conference/polymers-2018](http://sciforum.net/conference/polymers-2018)

### Recent Conferences Organized by MDPI

<b>I3S2015</b>	3 days, Basel, 170 delegates from 40 different countries
<b>WSF2015</b>	3 days, Basel, 270 delegates from 50 different countries
<b>Viruses2016</b>	3 days, Basel, 210 delegates from 47 different countries
<b>WSF2017</b>	2 days, Cape Town, 416 delegates from 53 different countries
<b>Symmetry 2017</b>	3 days, Barcelona, in preparation

### Organizing Committee

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# Sponsorship & Exhibition Items

All prices in Euros (EUR) incl. VAT  
Available number of sponsors in brackets

<p><b>EXHIBITION BOOTH</b> (1 avail.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Single stand, 1 table (140x70 cm), 2 chairs, power connection and wifi</li> <li>• One complimentary registration</li> </ul>	<p><b>800EUR</b></p>	<p><b>OPENING/CLOSING SESSION</b> (2 avail.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Company logo on the screen during the opening/closing session</li> <li>• Company name mentioned in the opening/closing speech by the chairman</li> <li>• Company logo on the conference website</li> </ul>	<p><b>800EUR</b></p>
<p><b>BADGES</b> (3 avail.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Company logo on the badges distributed to participants</li> <li>• Company logo on the conference website</li> <li>• Badges are produced by the conference organizers.</li> <li>• <i>Price includes production.</i></li> </ul>	<p><b>300EUR</b></p>	<p><b>LANYARDS</b> (2 avail.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Company logo on the lanyard distributed to participants</li> <li>• Company logo on the conference website</li> <li>• Lanyards to be produced by the conference organizers.</li> <li>• <i>Price includes production.</i></li> </ul>	<p><b>700EUR</b></p>
<p><b>BAG INSERT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Your promotional material will be inserted in the conference bags distributed to all participants (promotional flyers/booklets: max. A4 size, 6 pages; promotional items: max. 100 g).</li> <li>• <i>Price per insert.</i></li> </ul>	<p><b>200EUR</b></p>	<p><b>PROGRAM ADVERT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Back cover page or front inside cover, full-color (EUR 1,000) (2 available)</li> <li>• Other pages, full page, full-color (EUR 500) (6 available)</li> </ul>	<p><b>500EUR - 1,000EUR</b></p>
<p><b>PRESENTATION AWARD</b> (5 avail.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Company logo displayed on screen during award ceremony</li> <li>• Company name mentioned during award ceremony</li> <li>• Company logo on the conference website</li> </ul>	<p><b>600EUR</b></p>	<p><b>CONFERENCE BAG</b> (3 avail.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Company logo on the conference bags distributed to participants</li> <li>• Company logo on the conference website</li> <li>• Bags are produced by the conference organizers.</li> <li>• <i>Price includes production.</i></li> </ul>	<p><b>700EUR</b></p>
<p><b>COFFEE BREAK SPONSOR</b> (5 avail.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Company logo displayed prominently at the catering desk</li> <li>• Company logo on the conference website</li> <li>• Company name mentioned after the break before session starts.</li> </ul>	<p><b>500EUR</b></p>	<p><b>SESSION SPONSOR</b> (3 avail.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Company logo on the welcome screen during the session</li> <li>• Company logo on the conference website</li> <li>• Company logo in the program booklet next to the session name</li> </ul>	<p><b>500EUR</b></p>
<p><b>POSTER AWARD</b> (3 avail.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Company logo displayed on screen during award ceremony</li> <li>• Company name mentioned during award ceremony</li> <li>• Company logo on the conference website</li> </ul>	<p><b>500EUR</b></p>	<p><b>YOUNG INVESTIGATOR AWARD</b> (1 avail.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Company logo displayed on screen during award ceremony</li> <li>• Company name mentioned during award ceremony</li> <li>• Company logo on the conference website</li> </ul>	<p><b>1,000EUR</b></p>
<p><b>LUNCH BREAK SPONSOR</b> (3 avail.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Company logo displayed prominently at the catering desk</li> <li>• Company logo on the conference website</li> <li>• Company name mentioned after the break before session starts.</li> </ul>	<p><b>1,000EUR</b></p>	<p><b>WELCOME COCKTAIL SPONSOR</b> (1 avail.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Company logo displayed prominently on all conference dinner tables</li> <li>• Company logo on the conference website</li> <li>• Company logo prominent in the program booklet</li> </ul>	<p><b>Contact us</b></p>

## Our Packages

### PLATINUM

- Bag insert
- Opening or closing session sponsorship
- Full-page, color advert in program booklet
- Lunch or coffee break sponsorship
- Conference dinner sponsorship
- Your company logo on the conference lanyard and conference bag
- Your company logo will be displayed on the conference website in very prominent position
- Your company logo will be listed in the program booklet in prominent position
- Travel grant sponsorship
- One registration

**5,500EUR**

### GOLD

- Bag insert
- Poster or presentation award sponsorship
- Opening or closing session sponsorship
- Full-page, color advert in program booklet Lunch or coffee break sponsorship
- Your company logo will be displayed on the conference website in very prominent position
- Your company logo will be listed in the program booklet in prominent position
- Your company logo on the conference badge
- One Registration

**4,000EUR**

### SILVER

- Bag insert
- Session sponsorship
- Full-page, color advert in program
- Your company logo will be displayed on the conference website in prominent position
- Your company logo will be listed in the program booklet in prominent position
- One Registration

**2,500EUR**

# Registration & Order

## Company Details

Company \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
P.O. Box \_\_\_\_\_  
Country, postcode, place \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
Fax \_\_\_\_\_  
Website \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

## Order Details

Platinum Sponsor	EUR 5,500
Gold Sponsor	EUR 4,000
Silver Sponsor	EUR 2,500
Exhibition Booth	EUR 800
Opening Session	EUR 800
Closing Session	EUR 800
Badges	EUR 300
Lanyards	EUR 700
Conference Bag	EUR 700
Bag Insert	EUR 200
Programme Advert	EUR 500 – 1,000
Session Sponsor	EUR 500
Presentation Award	EUR 600
Poster Award	EUR 500
Young Investigator Award	EUR 1,000
Coffee Break Sponsor	EUR 500
Lunch Break Sponsor	EUR 1,000
Welcome Cocktail	Contact Us

## Payment

Total amount payable (EUR) \_\_\_\_\_

I will arrange a bank transfer to MDPI AG. Please send me the necessary payment details.

## Signature and Date

The undersigned hereby registers to sponsor the conference **Polymers: Design, Function and Application**. The registration creates a legally binding contract between the conference and the company (sponsor). By giving a valid signature, the company agrees to the general terms and conditions as outlined below. The company agrees to recognize the rules and regulations set by the event organizer.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

## A) ORDER AVAILABILITY AND PAYMENT

Upon completion and submission of this order form, we will confirm to you if the selected sponsorship or exhibition package for this conference is still available. In case a package is no longer available, we will offer you an alternative. You are entitled to decline the alternative proposal. MDPI AG reserves the right to decline an order.

The invoice for the order is payable within 30 days after receipt of the invoice. Quoted prices include VAT.

## B) WITHDRAWAL OF THE ORDER

If you find it necessary to withdraw your sponsorship or exhibition package, please inform us immediately at polymers2018@mdpi.com or via fax at +41 61 302 89 18. For cancellations made less than 30 days prior to the open day of the conference, MDPI AG reserves the right to charge 50% of the initial order unless otherwise agreed between the parties. For cancellations made less than 10 days prior to the opening day of the conference, MDPI AG reserves the right to charge the full amount of the initial order, unless otherwise agreed between the parties.

## C) INSURANCE / LIABILITY INDEMNITY

Liability insurance, as well as insurance against fire, explosions and natural events is obligatory for all sponsors, and must be taken out independently. MDPI AG is unable to take out insurance on behalf of the sponsors and cannot be held liable for any damages.

## D) COMPLAINTS

Complaints concerning the conference need to be addressed to MDPI AG immediately at polymers2018@mdpi.com or via fax to +41 61 302 89 18.

## E) EXECUTION DISCLAIMER

MDPI AG cannot be held liable for unforeseen political, ecological, economic or other "force majeure" events and disasters that, in good faith, render it impossible to execute the conference.

## F) PLACE OF JURISDICTION

Place of jurisdiction for any disputes arising in connection with the event shall be the registered address of the conference organizer, MDPI AG, in Basel, Switzerland.

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