



INTERNATIONAL SHOW CAVES ASSOCIATION

Call for Speakers & Posters

10th ISCA Congress – “Beneath the Earth, Beyond Time”

Dordogne, France | September 25 – October 1, 2026

The International Show Caves Association (ISCA) invites show cave professionals, researchers, educators, tourism experts, and industry partners to share their knowledge and experience during the 10th ISCA Congress.

We welcome proposals that contribute to the advancement of the show cave sector, particularly in areas such as:

- Sustainable management of show caves
- Conservation and environmental protection
- Interpretation and visitor experience
- Education and outreach
- Lighting systems and infrastructure
- Accessibility and inclusion
- Marketing and tourism development
- Digital innovation and technology
- Safety and risk management
- Case studies, best practices, and successful projects

Oral Presentations

A limited number of presentation slots are available. Each selected speaker will be allocated a maximum of **20 minutes**, including time for questions and discussion.

To be considered, please submit:

- Presentation title
- Author(s) and affiliation
- An abstract of approximately **200–300 words**
- A short biography (up to 100 words)

- Any audiovisual requirements

Poster Presentations

Participants are also invited to present their work in poster format. Posters will be displayed throughout the Congress, providing an opportunity to showcase projects, research, and initiatives while encouraging discussion among delegates.

Submission Deadline

Please submit your proposal by **August 15, 2026** to secretary@i-s-c-a.org

All submissions will be reviewed by the Scientific Committee, and authors will be notified of the outcome by **August 30, 2026**.

We encourage contributions that highlight practical experiences, innovative ideas, and collaborative initiatives from around the world. Whether through an oral presentation or a poster, your participation will help enrich the exchange of knowledge within the international show cave community.

We look forward to welcoming you to Dordogne under the theme “**Beneath the Earth, Beyond Time.**”

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