



**4th International Conference of Dalcroze Studies
(ICDS4): The listening body in action
28 July - 02 August 2019
Karol Szymanowski Academy of Music, Katowice, Poland**

Dear Sir or Madam,

It is with great pleasure that we invite you to attend ***The listening body in action: The 4th International Conference of Dalcroze Studies (ICDS4)***, at the ***Karol Szymanowski Academy of Music in Katowice, Poland*** (28 July - 02 August 2019). Our fourth conference sees us return to Europe, after a very successful event in Canada (ICDS3, 2017). We are delighted to bring ICDS to Poland, a country with a strong, longstanding tradition of Dalcroze Eurhythmics, as seen in widespread practice at school level and several training centres embedded in Higher Education. ICDS is a transdisciplinary meeting point for practitioners, researchers and students, unified by an intellectual passion for exploring the relationships between music and movement. We are at the leading edge of an international community of endeavour, with several recent spin-off conferences, collaborations and publications in Dalcroze studies emerging from the three previous conferences in Coventry (2013), Vienna (2015) and Quebec City (2017). As a result, ICDS delegates enjoy an increasing range of opportunities to share, exchange and learn each time we meet.

We would like to propose to you the concept of reciprocal advertising. For ICDS4, we would be happy to add your logo as well as your name in the programme and to the website too in the section Publicity partners. We have the following request to you in exchange for your promotion:

- please send out the ICDS4 call for submissions, and any subsequent substantial updates (e.g. regarding the extension), to your mailing list,
- please add details of ICDS4 to your website, using our logo.

In return, we will acknowledge your help with publicity by putting your logo and name in ICDS4 programme book and your logo and name on ICDS website.

Will this form of cooperation and partnership be satisfying for you?

Thank you for your help and time.

Keynotes (confirmed)

- Professor Wayne Bowman (Professor of Music and Music Education (retired), Brandon University, Canada)
- Professor Liora Bresler (Department of Curriculum and Instruction, University of Illinois at Urbana, Champaign, USA)
- Dr Andrea Schiavio (Postdoctoral Researcher, Centre for Systematic Musicology, University of Graz, Austria; Honorary Research Fellow, Department of Music, University of Sheffield, UK)
- Jacqueline Vann, Diplôme Supérieur Jaques-Dalcroze (UK)

Call for submissions

Presentations should relate to the practice, theory, history and/or philosophy of Dalcroze Eurhythmics or related practices. We invite presentations on the listening body in action, broadly conceived.

We embrace a wide range of disciplines and areas, such as: anthropology, architecture, biomedical science, communication science, cultural studies, dance studies, somatic practices, education, ethnomusicology, gender studies, history, literature, media studies, musicology, music therapy, music cognition and music neuroscience, philosophy, politics, psychology, sociology, theatre and performance studies, and visual arts.

The topics of presentations and performances might include, but are not limited to:

- Listening, hearing and understanding in Dalcroze and related fields
- Listening and embodiment
- Listening, communication, dialogue and performance
- Listening within pedagogy, training and therapy
- Attitudes and ethics of listening
- The phenomenology of listening
- Listening in/as context and culture
- The place of listening within research
- Using space, gesture and rhythm in aural training (e.g. Dalcroze solfège)

Types of presentation (formats)

- Paper* (20 mins + 10 mins discussion) – research papers and reflections on practice
- Workshop* (60 mins, including discussion) – an interactive session offering hands-on experience. These will be limited in number due to space and time restrictions
- Symposium (90 mins, including discussion) – a shared platform for at least three delegates to present a specific research topic in-depth and to discuss each other's work in a public forum. Please specify who will chair the symposium.
- Roundtable (90 mins, including discussion) – a semi-planned conversation amongst stakeholders, who invite delegates to contribute. This is a public discussion with a view to arriving at shared understandings, new insights and/or proposals for action. Please specify who will chair the roundtable.
- Daytime performance (5-6 minutes, or longer subject to arrangement with organising committee)**
- Evening performance (5-6 minutes, or longer subject to arrangement with organising committee)**
- Poster (details available at www.dalcroze-studies.com)

**A paper and workshop can be combined in a 90-minute presentation. We strongly encourage presentations that show research in action or innovations in pedagogy/performance/therapy that are linked to a research process.*

***Proposals for performances should make an explicit link to the conference themes.*

Submission

Submit your proposal at www.dalcroze-studies.com

Deadline for all submissions: **Sunday 18th November 2018 23:59 (UK time)**

The language of presentations is English.

Please note: delegates may submit a maximum of two proposals. In this case, at least one must be presented collaboratively.

When you submit online, you will be asked to enter the following information:

- Title of presentation
- Type of presentation (paper, workshop, symposium, performance, poster)
- Requirements (e.g. audiovisual, spaces, instruments)
- Name/s of presenter/s
- Affiliation (i.e. principal place of work/study, or, if appropriate, 'Independent')
- Country of residence
- Email address/es
- Description (all submissions **must be** between 200-250 words and submitted as Word documents, in **exactly the format set out in the template downloadable here: <https://www.dalcroze-studies.com/submissions>**. If a research paper, please describe the background to your research, how you conducted the research, what you have found and the possible implications for practice and/or research. If a workshop, please describe the aim of the workshop and the sorts of activities involved. Proposals should describe how they relate to the conference theme. Please check your submission **very carefully** for language and spelling before submission.)
- Biography (75 words). This should start with your name and **must be in prose** (i.e. not a list of appointments). For symposia and roundtables, please give biographies for all presenters and chairs.

Notification to presenters by 16 December 2018.

Online registration

Presenters must register and pay by 31 January 2019.

All other delegates must register and pay by 30 June 2019.

Fees*

Before 31 March 2019 (Early bird rates): Regular 1150 zł.; Student 700 zł.

After 31 March 2019: Regular 1400 zł.; Student 850 zł.

Fee includes refreshments, light lunch and conference materials

*(*All fees are in Polish Zloty)*

Scientific Committee

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More details on: www.dalcroze-studies.com