



Call for Abstracts

26th Cyberpsychology, Cybertherapy & Social Networking Conference
Being together in Paris, improving digital mental health worldwide

July 11th-13th on-site in Paris, France

We are very pleased to invite you to join us at the 26th *Cyberpsychology, Cybertherapy & Social Networking Conference* CYPsy26 that will take place on **July 11 to 13, 2022** at the headquarters of Université Paris Cité in **Paris, France**. The conference will be on-site only (not virtual/online).

To submit your abstract, register for the conference or obtain additional information, please visit the CYPsy26 website at <https://www.interactivemediainstitute.com/cypsy26/>

Important Dates and Deadlines

On-site conference, Paris (France):

Preconference workshops: July 11th, 2023 AM

Conference: July 11th-13th, 2023, PM

Submission deadlines:

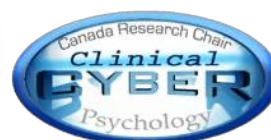
December, 16th, 2022: Workshops.

January, 16th, 2023: Abstract submissions for posters, orals and symposiums.

February, 16th, 2023: Notification of acceptance/rejection of abstract.



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April, 7th, 2023: Submission of Full papers (optional) and signed documents.

Registration deadlines:

April, 7th: Early registration (see website for details).

July 4th, 2023: Regular registration.

July 11th-13th: On-site registration.

Jointly organized by the Interactive Media Institute, the Université Paris Cité, the Centre Borelli and the Canada research Chair in clinical cyberpsychology, this conference is an international networking and sharing platform for researchers, clinicians, policymakers and funding agents to share and discuss advancements in the growing disciplines of CyberTherapy, Cyber Psychology and Social Networking.

SCOPE :

The conference has a broad focus, such as social sciences and humanities, engineering, arts, physical and mental health, virtual reality, augmented reality, hologram technologies, IoT, artificial intelligence, social networks, eHealth, marketing, rehabilitation, etc.

Fields of study

- Addiction to technology
- Advanced interaction training
- Apps (mobile applications for smartphones, etc.)
- Artificial Intelligence (AI)
- Arts and storytelling
- Augmented reality/ Virtual reality/ Mixed reality
- Brain computer interfaces
- Cognitive and/or physical therapy
- Connected objects/Internet of things
- Cross-cultural differences
- Cyberbullying
- Cybercrime
- Cybersecurity
- Cybersexuality
- Digital Therapeutics
- eHealth

Physical/mental health applications

- Addictions (related to substances, games, gambling, etc.)
- ADHD
- Anxiety disorders and phobias (including OCD and PTSD)
- Autistic and related disorders
- Cognitive disorders (dementia, etc.)
- Depression and mood disorders (including bipolar disorders)
- Developmental disorders
- Eating disorders, Obesity, Body Image Disturbance
- Health and Pain (acute and chronic illness ; management of ; cancer, cardiovascular, etc.)
- Neurological diseases
- Personality disorders
- Phantom limb



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- Embodied experiences and/or body ownership
- Engineering in general
- Ergonomics
- Ethics and autonomy
- Games for Health and/or serious games
- Gaming (in general, gameplay, technologies, arts, etc.)
- Health applications (in general)
- Hologram technologies
- Human computer interactions
- Human performance
- Implications of technologies in humanities (history, law, etc.)
- Internet of Things (IoT)
- Metaverse
- Neurorehabilitation
- Non-invasive physiological monitoring devices
- Personality and internet use
- Positive technology and/or positive psychology
- Presence and/or telepresence
- Robotics
- Serious games
- Smart homes and/or homes automation (domotics)
- Social applications of technology
- Social implications of social networks (Facebook, Instagram, TikTok, etc.)
- Social networking
- Synthetic agents
- Technology for education and/or learning
- Technology for psychotherapy
- Technology for physical and medical health
- Telehealth and telepresence
- Using technology in education and learning
- Schizophrenia, psychotic and / or delusional disorders
- Sleep disorders
- Other medical disease or disorder
- Other psychological disorder or issue
- Other socio-cultural problem or issue



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- Using technology in marketing (neuromarketing, AR, etc.)
- Videoconferencing and/or telepsychotherapy
- Wearable computing

Outstanding features this year:

- Practical hands-on / “how to” workshops
- At least two full days of scientific presentations
- A very broad range of presenters and experts in psychology, clinical therapy and rehabilitation, cognitive sciences, neurosciences, social sciences, computer sciences, AI, arts and humanities, etc.
- Interactive “show and tell” Cyberarium to showcase various technologies
- Representatives of funding agencies, policymakers, and industrial partners present on-site
- Possibility to organize your own symposium
- Gala dinner on the Bateau mouche
- Optional workshops (depending on the submissions)

Conference website :

<https://www.interactivemediainstitute.com/cypsy26/>

Twitter: [@CYPSYConference](https://twitter.com/CYPSYConference)

Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100087103711076>

Instagram page: [cypsy26](https://www.instagram.com/cypsy26)

Contact : cypsy26@u-paris.fr

LOCATION:

This year, CYPsy26 will be held onsite at the headquarters of Université Paris Cité in Paris, France. It is located in historic buildings in Saint-Germain-des-Prés area, in the heart of Paris, the “city of light”. The congress is centrally located, very close to the Notre-Dame cathedral, the Louvre Museum and the Saint-Michel district. You can also walk, borrow bicycles, or take public transportation to visit the city. For more information, you can contact the local coordinator at: cypsy26@u-paris.fr.



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There is no specific hotel reserved for the conference, but you are invited to visit our website for some suggestions!

SPONSORS (confirmed so far):

- Centre Borelli
- Canada research Chair in clinical cyberpsychology for UQO
- CYBER EMJM
- Université Paris Cité
- ENS
- CNRS
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- ORPEA
- Mary Ann Liebert, Inc. Publishers
- Interactive Media Institute
- Ville de Paris
- And many more to be confirmed

We are pleased to offer you an opportunity to publicly showcase your innovative work by being a sponsor or an exhibitor during CYPsy Conference. For more information, please visit the Conference website: <https://www.interactivemediainstitute.com/cypsy26/sponsorships-exhibitors/>

MORE INFORMATIONS:

1. There will be two **Young Mind Research Awards** given for best students scientific merit at CYPsy26, in the amount of 250 € each. All posters submitted by students presenters (those who have not finished their PhD program) are eligible to compete for the 250 € award. Posters will be judged by the scientific chairs for scientific merit and ease of presentation. This program is sponsored by Mary Ann Liebert, Inc. Publishers.
2. There will be a **CYBER EMJM Award** for studies across Psychology and computer-sciences, for pre-doc students and in the amount of 250 €. This program is sponsored by the CYBER EMJM Program.



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3. There will be a **New Investigator Award** in the field of Presence and / or Telepresence in Cyberpsychology given at CYP26, for the presentation of outstanding research quality at CYP26 Conference. The aim of this prize is to reward the presentation of strong methodological studies at the CYP26 Conference. The recipient must be a researcher who is new to the field of cyberpsychology. It is open to both oral / symposium and poster presentations and to researchers from all countries and disciplines. The award is delivered by Lise Haddouk, from the Centre Borelli. It includes a certificate and a check of 1000 €. If you have any question about this award, please contact Lise Haddouk by email (lise.haddouk@u-paris.fr).

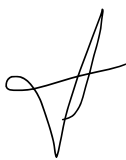
4. Lastly, to celebrate more than two decades of exciting advances in cybertherapy as well as the growth of the CYP26 conference itself, we are proud to offer again this year the Annual CyberTherapy **Lifetime Achievement Award**. This award has a tradition of honoring a person who has demonstrated outstanding lifetime achievements in the field of advanced technologies and healthcare. All members of the CYP26 Conference program committee are invited to nominate one of their colleagues as a recipient of this award, which promises to honor a long line of esteemed researchers.

Submit your abstract today to be a part of this ground-breaking conference! We would be truly honored by your participation.

Sincerely,

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