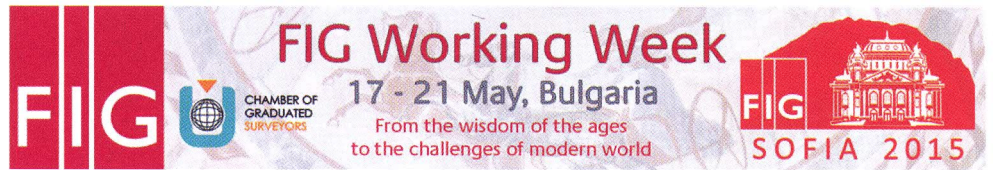


# Call for Papers for FIG Working Week, May 2015, Bulgaria

The next FIG Working Week will be held in Sofia, Bulgaria, from 17-21 May 2015. It will be jointly organised by FIG and the Chamber of Graduated Surveyors of Bulgaria and will be supported by all relevant local major sectors. The FIG Working Week gathers together international practitioners and academics from all disciplines within the surveying, geospatial, natural and built-environment professions (land surveying, land administration and management, land and property appraisals, spatial sciences, spatial planning and development, positioning and measurement, engineering surveying,



▲ Banner of the 2015 FIG Working Week.

hydrography, environmental and green building, and cost, construction and project management). The FIG Working Week 2015 will furthermore reveal the work plans for the new FIG Council as well as all 10 FIG Commissions for the term 2015-2018. The selected theme of the conference is 'From the wisdom of ages to the challenges of modern world'.

The carefully prepared Technical Programme will offer specially invited high-profile presentations as well as papers that are selected through the open Call for Papers procedure. The Call for Papers is open for both peer review and non-peer review submissions.

## NON-PEER REVIEW – SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS

Abstracts may be submitted for either 'full' or 'short' oral presentations. A full presentation is a 10- to 15-minute presentation whereas a 'short' presentation lasts for five minutes. Please note: the deadline for the online submission of abstracts is 15 November 2014, and the deadline for full paper submissions is 1 March 2015.

## PEER REVIEW – SUBMISSION OF FULL PAPERS

To submit a paper for the FIG peer review process, full papers must be received by

20 October 2014. Papers may be submitted on any topic related to the specific topics of FIG 2015. Each paper will be reviewed by two independent reviewers and, if the final paper passes the peer review process, it will be presented at the Working Week as a 'peer reviewed paper'.

All abstracts and papers must be submitted in English. Authors of papers that are accepted for oral presentation must register for the conference before 15 February to be included in the programme.

We encourage all professionals who have an interest in surveying to participate actively as we are sure that this Working Week will prove to be highly successful and rewarding for everyone involved. ◀

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## 2015 FIG FOUNDATION PHD SCHOLARSHIPS AND ACADEMIC RESEARCH GRANTS

The FIG Foundation is an independent body under the International Federation of Surveyors. The Foundation has been established for the purpose of raising funds to finance educational and capacity-building projects and scholarships. The FIG Foundation will be providing scholarships of up to EUR4,000 to PhD students. Deadline for application is 1 February 2015. Furthermore, the FIG Foundation has announced a research grant of up to EUR30,000 spread over three years. Deadline for application is 31 March 2015.

Conditions, requirements and further information are available at: [www.fig.net/figfoundation](http://www.fig.net/figfoundation).

## More information

Conference website and abstract submission: [www.fig.net/fig2015](http://www.fig.net/fig2015)



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