



IMC Prague 2017 Family Market



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Become a Family Market Exhibitor

The International Montessori Congress is a large-scale educational congress, whose history goes back to 1929 when Maria Montessori established her organisation Association Montessori Internationale. Since that time congresses have taken place regularly, currently at four-year intervals; not only is each congress hosted in a different country, but we also change continents, to enable as many people as possible to enjoy the inspiration these congresses bring. Our goal is to raise awareness and understanding of Montessori education, as well as to provide a platform for Montessori professionals to connect with one another.

The Congress is expected to attract over 3000 participants, who will include Montessori trainers, senior representatives from Montessori associations, school directors, teachers, consultants, students, parents, manufacturers of Montessori materials and other didactic materials. Federal government and key representatives from international educational organisations will also be attending.

The theme of the Congress is Pathway to Peace: Montessori Education for Social Change. The Congress will demonstrate that Montessori is an educational approach guided by the natural laws of human development, which enables all human beings to become agents of positive social change, which in the long term can lead to a more harmonious and peaceful world.

One-day Family market

In addition to the Congress activities, we are also planning a one-day Family market, which will be a good tool to introduce Montessori Pedagogy and the Congress to the Czech public at large. The market will be open on Saturday 29. 7. 2017 from 9 a.m. till 6 p.m. and can be found on the ground floor of the Prague Congress Centre.

The market offers a rich programme for families: A wide range of didactic and Montessori materials will be on display, and for sale. Parents can enjoy interesting presentations with emphasis on the role of the parent and the family. Visitors can see a real Montessori environment where children are working with the materials, in the so-called Glass Classroom. The market will offer workshops for children, giving parents also the chance to have a chat and coffee with other parents. The market and its programme will offer delightful opportunities to showcase products and services.



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Glass classroom

During the Family market we will create a Montessori environment for all three age levels, 0 – 3, 3 – 6 a 6 – 12 years. Family market visitors will have a chance to see children at work and appreciate how a Montessori environment operates and what it aims to achieve.

Workshops

Do you have products with which you can develop an activity with the children at the Family market? Exhibitors that offer workshops for children during the market will be offered a considerably larger space at no additional cost. As the number of workshops is limited, we encourage you to send us your workshops proposals as soon as possible.

Communication

The entire congress will get wide media coverage, which is likely to attract a lot of parents, mainly from Prague. Admission to the market is free.

We are looking forward to meeting you all in 2017, in the “vibrant city of a hundred spires”.



Soňa Havlíčková
Congress Manager



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Congress Organisers

Association Montessori Internationale (AMI) was established by Maria Montessori in 1929 to protect the integrity of her work and high standards in the preparation of teachers and delivery of the curriculum. AMI is *the* centre of expertise, networking and resources in the internationalisation of Montessori. AMI's mission is to support the natural development of the human being from birth to maturity, enabling children to become the transforming elements of society, leading to a harmonious and peaceful world.

Montessori Institute Prague (MIP) is the Congress organiser, and this AMI-affiliated Training Centre is a leader in the promotion of Montessori in the Czech Republic.

C-IN (CZECH-IN s. r. o.), with over 14 years of experience, provides the highest level of services specialising in congress and association management, corporate events and special event production.

Where and when is the Congress taking place?

The International Montessori Congress is taking place at the Prague Congress Centre in the Czech Republic, Thursday July 27 – Sunday July 30, 2017. The Prague Congress Centre provides you with one of the most stunning panoramic views of the city. This neo-functional building is an ideal place to meet, share and be inspired.

History and Nature

The Congress venue is surrounded by peaceful green parks that encourage relaxation; in your free time they are a perfect location to catch up with cultural and spiritual matters.

Flexibility

–20 halls and 50 rooms that can accommodate from 20 up to 2,800 people

The largest hall—the Congress Hall—has a maximum capacity of 2,764 (and ranks among the best concert halls in the world).

Large Exhibition Space

–The combined space of all five floors and gross exhibition area is no less than 13,000 square metres.

Easy Travel

–The nearest metro station (Vyšehrad - Line C) is only two stops from downtown Prague.



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Prices/Booths

Prices are valid until 12 February 2017. After this date prices go up by 50%.

Stand fee include the following	Economy 2 700 Kč/ € 100	Standard 5 000 Kč/ € 180	Exclusive 10 000 Kč/ 360 €
Table	2	3	6
Chair	2	4	8
Area in m ²	3	5	10
Floor	0	0	0
Free registration	-	-	-

More features can be ordered, such as carpeting, lighting or more furniture, to be arranged through the vendor service company C-IN.

The logo of your company will be included in the Programme and on the congress website. The logo must be sent in curves format, along with your web link and the signed order form.

Parking and Wi-Fi is subject to a charge.

Should you need a dedicated Internet connection at your stand in the Family Market, please check about this not option with the organiser.

Family Market Hours

29 July 2017 – 9:00 to 18:00

Contact: sarka@montessoricongress2017.org

MODEL BOOTHS

Model booths serve as an illustration of what is possible; your final table placement will be based on your final requirements indicated in the form.

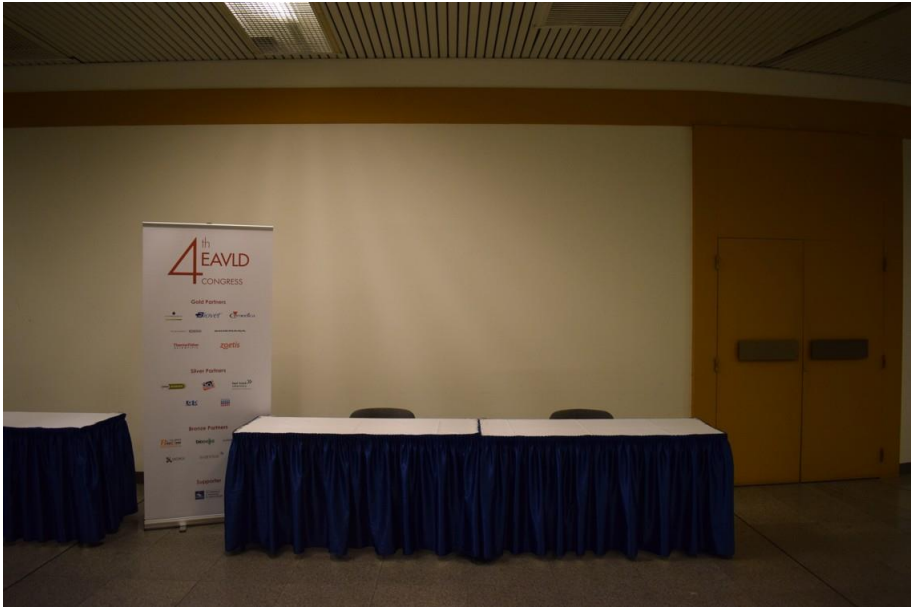


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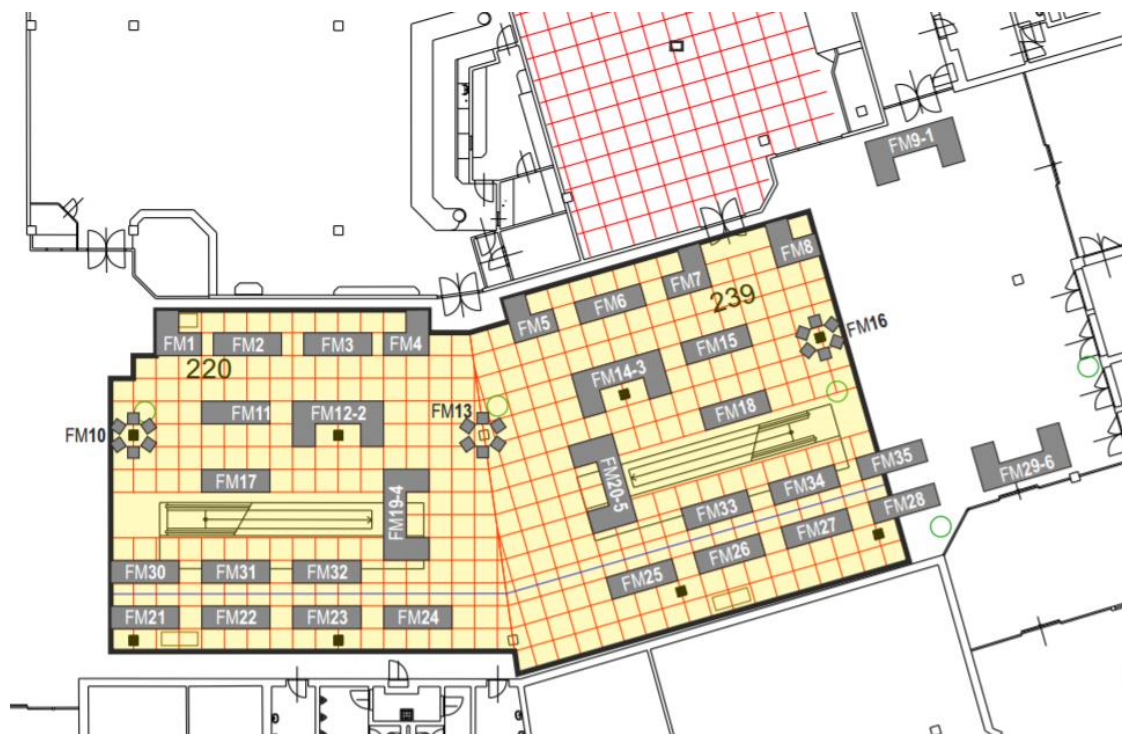
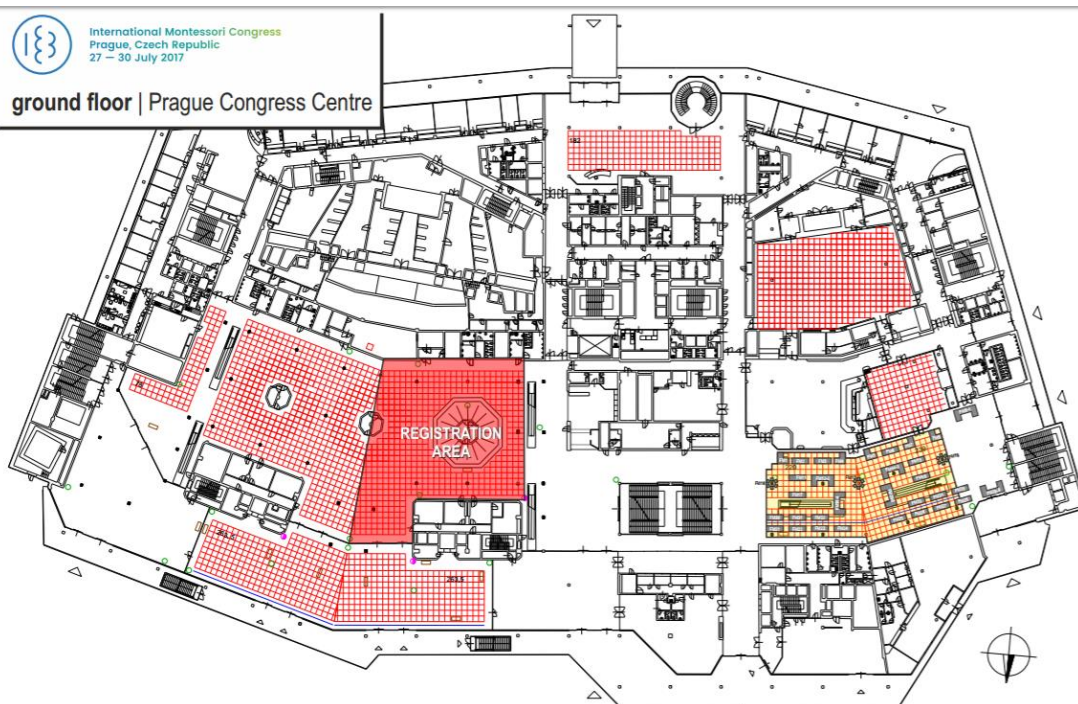
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Family Market Order Form

Company name

Contact name

Postal address

ZIP and code city

Country

E-mail

Telephone

VAT number

LIST OF ITEMS	SELECT	PRICE € incl. VAT
Economy		€ 100
Standard		€ 180
Exclusive		€ 360
		€
		€
TOTAL		€

Date

Signature and Company stamp

Please send in your company's logo in curves format, along with your web link and the signed order form. Thank you.



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