# 19<sup>th</sup> SIGOS Telecommunications Conference Booking Regulations

16 January 2017

### General

The SIGOS Conference is only open to personally invited, registered and confirmed delegates. At any point in time SIGOS reserves the right to cancel a registration and to limit the number of participants from one company according to availability. Bookings will be considered on a first-come first-serve basis.

#### Accommodation

For all invited & confirmed delegates SIGOS will only bear accommodation costs booked through SIGOS at the conference venue or another hotel organized by SIGOS (depending on availability) for the main conference period (check in: Mon, 15 May - check out: Thu, 18 May 2017). Any additional nights or other costs need to be paid by participants.

Please do not make your own reservation at the conference hotel as this might cause extra costs. This applies to all network operators, carriers, regulators, SIGOS customers as well as SIGOS sales partners.

### Accommodation cost for extra nights

If you are planning to extend your stay (exceeding the nights paid by SIGOS per our booking regulations), those additional nights need to be paid by yourself upon check-out. Special group rate (depending on availability) is EUR 163 for single accommodation and EUR 183 for double occupancy, incl. buffet breakfast, internet and local VAT.

# Participation fee & other cost

Attending the conference is <u>free of charge</u> for all invited & confirmed delegates subject to the above regulations - Including related costs, such as, conference attendance, food and drinks <u>during</u> the conference and networking events organized by SIGOS are included.

Additional room nights and expenses, including but not limited to e.g. special services at the hotel, travel, visa or any visa associated costs (incl. invitation letter shipment for hardcopies), personal consumption at bar / restaurants, personal transportation and other personal expenses etc. are <a href="not included">not included</a> and will be paid by participants.

### **Cancellation & cancellation fees**

SIGOS will invoice total hotel costs for the booking to the participant's company for any cancellation made after **Monday, 10 April 2017**. Same applies to registered & confirmed delegates that regardless of reason do not show up (no-show).

# Registration deadline

Registration closes latest by Monday, 24 April 2017 or when fully booked.

### Visa invitation letter

From previous experience please let us point out that **early registration is essential** if you require an invitation letter for your visa application. It has occurred before that registered participants were unable to attend just because of late visa application! Therefore, please ensure to register as soon as possible!

Please note that we send out requested visa invitation letters only as soft copy. If you need a hard copy, please understand that you will have to bear postage expenses.

The invitation letter can be requested during the registration process. You will need to have your passport information in front of you. Any costs for acquiring visas will not be borne by SIGOS.

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# Alterations to programme - Cancellation / postponement of event

SIGOS reserves the right to make alterations to the conference programme, venue and timings. In the unlikely event of the program being cancelled or postponed, SIGOS shall not be liable for any expenditure, damage or loss incurred by the delegate.

# Photography & filming

For promotional purposes, there may be a professional photographer and video production taking place during the conference. Delegates who do not wish to be filmed or recorded must advise SIGOS in advance by email to <a href="mailto:conference@sigos.com">conference@sigos.com</a> prior to the event. SIGOS will furthermore use the company name and logo for promotion purposes.

### **Data protection**

By submitting registration details, delegates agree to allow SIGOS and companies associated with to contact them regarding this event. The contact details of registered delegates will be used by the conference organizer for the purpose of organizing the event (incl. 3rd parties if necessary e.g. Conference Hotels). Delegate names, company names and logo will furthermore be made available in delegate networking tools and other listings during and after the conference.

### Websites & links

The conference and associated SIGOS websites may link to other websites and networking tools provided for the convenience of the users. Contents of 3rd party websites are maintained by their owners, for which SIGOS takes no responsibility. Neither can responsibility be taken for contents of any website linking to this website.

### Insurance & liability

It is the responsibility of the delegate to arrange appropriate insurance cover (e.g. health, travel, 3<sup>rd</sup> party liability insurance etc.) in connection with their attendance at the conference. SIGOS cannot be held liable for any loss, liability or damage to personal or other property.

## **Speakers Terms & Conditions**

Information, views expressed or advice given by speakers represent each speaker own and individual opinion.

SIGOS may use the speaker's name, company name and presentation materials for promoting delegate attendance at the conference. Presentations and papers including all associated artwork and illustrations will not be returned unless specifically requested by the author.

SIGOS may audio and/or video tape the speaker's session and the recording may be reproduced as part of the overall conference materials.

Speakers agree that SIGOS may reproduce copies of the speaker's presentation (e.g. PowerPoint slides or supporting documents) on paper and/or electronically as part of the overall hand-out materials during the conference and after the event. Any acknowledgement regarding Copyright or support should be included at the end of the abstract/presentation, as these will be distributed to the conference delegates.

Speakers who do not wish to give permission for the above terms and conditions, please email to <a href="mailto:conference@sigos.com">conference@sigos.com</a> before the commencement of the conference.

These terms and conditions shall be governed by and construed in accordance with German law and you irrevocably submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the German courts.

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