

## GENERAL INFORMATION

### THE CITY OF MALAGA

Malaga is a vibrant and very Spanish port city, set against the sparkling blue Mediterranean. Historic on the one hand it is also a city pulsing with modern life. The centre presents itself with narrow old streets and wide, leafy boulevards, beautiful gardens and impressive monuments, fashionable shops and a cultural life. The historic centre is being restored and offers a beautiful pedestrian district.

The major new museum devoted to Malaga-born Pablo Picasso has become a valuable asset and visitors' magnet to the city.



Cathedral of Malaga

### CONGRESS VENUE

Palacio de Ferias y Congresos  
Avenida Ortega y Gasset, 201  
29006 Malaga, Spain

The Palacio is sited five minutes away from the Pablo Ruiz Picasso, Malaga International Airport and just a few minutes from the historical centre of Malaga.

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### TECHNICAL EXHIBITION

A major technical exhibition of pharmacological products, technical equipment and scientific literature will be held in one of the halls next to the main meeting rooms of the Malaga Convention Centre. Interested exhibitors are asked to request exhibition material from the Congress Office CPO HANSER SERVICE.

### CONGRESS AND EXHIBITION OFFICE

**CPO HANSER SERVICE**

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### HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

The congress and exhibition office CPO HANSER SERVICE has reserved a large number of hotel rooms in various hotels in different price categories in Malaga. Further information is published on the ESSM website [www.essm-congress.org](http://www.essm-congress.org).

### CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Authors of oral presentations and posters are kindly invited to submit an abstract for contributions to the ESSM Congress 2010 in Malaga. The online submission will be opened in spring 2010 on the congress website [www.essm-congress.org](http://www.essm-congress.org).

**Deadline for Abstract Submission: 1 September 2010**

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Updated congress information will be published at [www.essm-congress.org](http://www.essm-congress.org).



## 13<sup>th</sup> Congress of the European Society for Sexual Medicine

Hosted by  
the Asociación Española de Andrología  
Medicina Sexual y Reproductiva (ASESA)



**1<sup>st</sup> ANNOUNCEMENT**

**14–17 November 2010  
Malaga, Spain**

Palacio de Ferias y Congresos

[www.essm.org](http://www.essm.org)

## WELCOME ADDRESS

Dear colleagues, dear friends:

It is with great pleasure and honor that Malaga hosts the 13<sup>th</sup> Congress of the European Society for Sexual Medicine, November 14<sup>th</sup>–17<sup>th</sup> 2010, at the Malaga Trade Fair and Congress Centre.

Malaga with its strategic position to the Mediterranean Sea has always made Malaga an attractive zone for foreign invasions. The first settlement in Malaga was made by the Phoenicians who founded the city more than 3000 years ago under the name of Malaka and became a commercial center for the region and exploited for its richness in metals such as silver and copper.

The Phoenician period lasted until about 550 b.c. when Malaga was conquered by the Carthaginians who ended in 218 b.c. with the Romans entering Malaga and other parts of Spain. The Romans created an economical and cultural center in Malaga and made significant constructions such as the port of Malaga and the roman theatre. Upon Roman Empire fall, the Visigoths conquered Malaga in 623 and dominated the city until 711 when the Moorish took over. Of that period we have the two most important monuments in Malaga, the fortress Alcazaba, which was started in the 11th century, and the castles/fortress Gibralfaro, which was not finished until the beginning of the 15th century. In the 14<sup>th</sup> century the first Christian attends to defeat the Moorish sovereign, but it was not until 100 years later in 1487 when the Christians finally defeated the Moors. After this, Malaga started to change its appearance from a Muslim to a Christian city. In 1528 began the construction of the cathedral of Malaga, which was finished in 1598. During the 17<sup>th</sup>–18<sup>th</sup> centuries the town was hit by several epidemics, earthquakes and important inundations, which ruined several constructions like the expansion of the harbor. In the 19<sup>th</sup> century, Napoleon also made his entrance in the town, but the French domination only lasted two years from 1810 to 1812.

As a consequence of its history and tradition, Malaga is a cosmopolitan city and cultural center for the country southern part, with Spain's second largest port and third largest international airport supporting the more than 100 international conventions celebrated every year.

This terrific environment, in addition to the well known hard work of the Scientific Committee, adumbrates an unforgettable scientific and social 13<sup>th</sup> ESSM congress, hosted by the Asociación Española de Andrología Medicina Sexual y Reproductiva (ASESA).

We are just missing you.

It would be an honor and a pleasure to welcome you in Malaga.

Antonio Martín Morales, MD  
Chairman of the 13<sup>th</sup> ESSM Congress 2010

Ian Eardley, MD  
ESSM President

## COMMITTEES

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<b>Basic Science</b>	



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### TOPICS

1. Basic Science
2. Psychosexual Issues and Management
3. ED Epidemiology and Risk Factors
4. ED and Co-morbidities
5. Male Sexual Health [Aging male, Hormones, Lifestyle factors]
6. ED Diagnosis
7. ED Medical Treatment
8. ED Surgical Treatment
9. ED, Pelvic Surgery, LUTS
10. Peyronie's Disease and Congenital Penile Disorders
11. Priapism
12. Penile Reconstructive Surgery
13. Ejaculatory Disorders
14. Homosexuality and Gender Identity Disorders
15. Women's Sexual Health
16. Miscellaneous

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