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## **Call for Posters: Manipulation and Victimization**

## Annual Conference of the International Cultic Studies Association, Trieste, Italy, July 4-6, 2013

The <u>International Cultic Studies Association</u> (ICSA) is holding its 2012 Annual International Conference jointly <u>SOS Abusi Psicologici</u>, <u>Exit S.C.S. Onlus</u>, and <u>Info-Secte/Info-Cult</u>.

Although the conference committee is no longer accepting proposals for talks or panels, it is open to receiving poster proposals from scholars, professionals, and others.

Please submit your research, including research in progress, and be part of a growing and exciting international community of researchers in the field of cultic studies, religious studies, and sectarianism, undue influence, and new religious movements.

Your poster can focus on one or more of the many areas in this diverse and emerging field including:

- social psychology or sociology of influence
- study of harm or treatment of victims
- history, anthropology and culture of cults or sects
- demographic studies on the prevalence of new religious or other movements
- policy and political science of cultic groups
- individual subjectivity, agency, and creativity in cultural groups
- boundaries between the individual and society in group and other contexts.

You can submit your poster proposal - an abstract of a maximum of 300 words – in English and/or Italian. Accepted posters can also be considered for presentation in both languages. We also welcome group research project submissions.

Your poster should have a hard backing and be able to fit comfortably on a standard art easel.

**Deadline for abstracts**: May 1, 2013

A prize will be awarded for the best <u>student</u> poster presented at the conference by the President of the International Cultic Studies Association.

Send your poster abstract to the Conference Committee:

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