

# ISPS 2009

## International Symposium on Performance Science

15 | 18 December 2009  
The University of Auckland

### PERFORMING EXCELLENCE

Following a successful inaugural conference in Portugal in 2007, the next ISPS will take place from 15-18 December 2009 at the National Institute of Creative Arts and Industries, The University of Auckland, New Zealand. ISPS 2009 will explore the theme *Performing Excellence* from interdisciplinary perspectives across the arts, as well as the natural, social, and applied sciences. Those whose primary interests lie outside of the arts, but whose work nonetheless offers implications for the performing arts and/or for performing artists, are also encouraged to attend.

### Submissions

Submissions are invited for

- Spoken papers
- Poster presentations
- Symposia, workshops, demonstrations

Detailed instructions for submissions are available via the conference website. Submissions should be made electronically to [eps@rcm.ac.uk](mailto:eps@rcm.ac.uk) by **1 April 2009**.

### Graduate award

The Organizers and Scientific Committee are keen to encourage the attendance of students, as well as established researchers and practitioners. Therefore, the ISPS 2009 Graduate Award will be offered to one graduate student to present a keynote paper at the conference.

### Review process

Each submission will be reviewed anonymously by the Scientific Committee according to its originality, importance, clarity, and interdisciplinarity. Corresponding authors will be notified by email of the Committee's decision by **15 May 2009**.

### Conference publication

Accepted paper, poster, and symposia submissions will be published as 6-page papers in the *Proceedings of ISPS 2009* (complete with ISBN), available in hardcopy at the conference and subsequently downloadable via the conference website. Details of the procedure and format for submitting published papers will be provided when authors receive notification of acceptance. Final papers for publication will be due on **1 September 2009**.

For further information about the venue, submissions, graduate award, and registration, visit the conference website.

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

### Conference dates

**1 April 2009**

Submission deadline

**15 May 2009**

Notification of  
submission decision

**31 July 2009**

Early registration deadline

**1 September 2009**

Proceedings deadline

### Keynote speakers

**Deidre Anderson**

Macquarie University, Australia

**K. Anders Ericsson**

Florida State University, USA

**Sylvie Fortin**

University of Québec, Montreal  
Canada

**Lord Robert Winston**

Imperial College London  
United Kingdom

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