

Refund Policy

If the attendee is unable to attend and the Local Organizing Committee (in further text, LOC) has been informed before the 17th of July, the attendee is permitted to transfer their registration to another person from the same country/local organization or the next person on the waiting list. This clause is subject to agreement by the LOC and the IADS Vice President of Internal Affairs. The attendee is not allowed to make any monetary gains from this transfer, therefore the resell value cannot be more than the original registration fee plus transfer fees. Any violations will result in void of the registration without any compensation.

If the attendee is unable to attend or transfer their registration to another person, the refund policy applies as follows:

1. Cancellation requests made until the 26th of June 2025 are eligible for the refund of 70% of the congress registration fee*
2. Cancellation requests made between the 26th of June 2025 and 17th of July 2025 are eligible for the refund of 50% of the congress registration fee*
3. Refund policy is not applicable for cancellation requests made after 17th of July 2025. Cancellation requests beyond this date will be considered invalid.

*Condition precedent: The refund request will be admissible if the reason for cancellation is due to the visa application procedures. For visa-related cancellations, the attendee must provide a document that demonstrates either the rejection of their visa application or, in cases where the visa has not been received in a timely manner, proof of having applied within a justifiable timeframe. A justifiable timeframe is at least 3 Months before the day of entering Switzerland but can be more than 3 Months if stated so on the official website of the responsible embassy. Visa rejections due to incomplete documents from the participants' side will not be eligible for a refund.

All refunds shall take place before the first day of the congress and international transfer fees will be deducted from the total amount the registrant was found eligible for.

Please be aware that any cancellation requests not adhering to the terms stated above will not be eligible for refunds.

Participants are advised to get health and travel insurance. Cancellations due to health-related problems are not subject to refunds.