

## Call for Abstracts

The organisers invite prospective authors to submit an abstract related to the conference. Abstracts should not exceed 300 words in length and should be submitted through the conference website: <https://bioinspired2020.dgm.de>

Please indicate whether an oral presentation or a poster is preferred.



During the poster discussion evening, poster authors have extensive time to discuss their projects with other participants.

A jury will judge the posters presented and choose the winners. The top three posters will each be awarded a prize!

In particular young scientists are very welcome to actively contribute to the conference by submitting an abstract.

The abstracts will be evaluated in November 2019, and if accepted, the authors will be informed about the kind of presentation (oral or poster).

### Key Dates and Deadlines

Submission of Abstracts	30 October 2019
Confirmation to Authors	November 2019
Preliminary Programme	January 2020

### Conference Language

The official conference language will be English.



## General Information Conference Fees

### Venue

**Kloster Irsee**  
Klosterring 4  
87660 Irsee (Bavaria, near Munich/Germany)  
T +49 (0) 8341/906-630  
hotel@kloster-irsee.de  
www.kloster-irsee.de

### Accommodation

A contingency of hotel rooms has been reserved at the hotel of Kloster Irsee.

### Conference Fees

#### Young Researchers up to 30 years

<u>DGM-members*</u>	250 EUR
Non-members	310 EUR

#### Expert Researchers 31 - 40 years

<u>DGM-members*</u>	450 EUR
Non-members	560 EUR

#### Professionals University

<u>DGM-members*</u>	600 EUR
Non-members	710 EUR

#### Industry

<u>DGM-members*</u>	800 EUR
Non-members	900 EUR

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(German Materials Society)  
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### Conference Office

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### Conference Website

<https://bioinspired2020.dgm.de>

# 5<sup>th</sup> Bioinspired Materials 2020

International School and  
Conference on Biological  
Materials Science

16 - 19 March 2020  
Irsee, Germany

**Deadline: 30 October 2019**

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## The Scope

The focus of this 4<sup>th</sup> biennial conference is on the design of functional materials and systems inspired by principles found in living nature. The main aim is to establish an international and interdisciplinary forum for scientists from a variety of fields including biology, chemistry, materials science and engineering, physics and medicine to discuss current research and to identify future research directions in the field of bioinspired materials. Main topics include the formation, hierarchical structure and the properties of complex-shaped biological materials. Furthermore, contributions are invited dealing with propulsion and movement of biological objects.

The transfer of biological principles onto functional materials and systems made of organic and/or inorganic components represents a further main area, which is covered by this conference. Beside materials synthesis and formation, the conference topics also include research on the functional and mechanical properties thereof. Both experimental studies and theoretical modelling shall be considered. Furthermore, the interaction of bioinspired materials with living environments, e. g. tissues and organs, related to medical aspects and applications fit within the scope of this conference.

In addition to invited plenary lectures, the conference encompasses oral and poster presentations. Moreover, contributions related to the Priority Program 1569 (Generation of Multifunctional Inorganic Materials by Molecular Bionics) of the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft will be included.



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## Exhibition and Advertisement

### Exhibition

The exhibition will be held in conjunction with the conference. Coffee breaks, lunch and poster sessions will be held in the exhibition area.

Price per m<sup>2</sup> 195 EUR + 19% VAT

This includes:

- Exhibition area (min. 6 m<sup>2</sup>)
- Publication of your company logo on the conference website
- Publication of your company logo and company profile (max. 1,000 characters) in the programme brochure and on the conference website
- One exhibitor pass which is also valid to visit the scientific programme
- Electricity (220V)
- Furnishing (1 Table, 1 Chair)

Placing will be done by order of registrations.

### Programme Advertisement

Back cover (U4)	500 EUR
Inside front cover (U2)	450 EUR
Inside back cover (U3)	350 EUR
Regular page inside	300 EUR

### Advertising Material

Flyers/brochures in the conference bag	500 EUR
Flyers/brochures on the plenary hall seats	300 EUR
Flyers/brochures at the check-in	150 EUR
Hand-out of various gifts at the check-in	150 EUR

### Indoor Advertising

Display in the plenary hall	250 EUR
Display at the check-in	150 EUR



## Sponsoring

### Conference Material

You will be mentioned as a sponsor in the conference programme brochure and on the conference website.

Conference bags	1,500 EUR
Lanyards	500 EUR
Writing pads	400 EUR
Pens	150 EUR
Name badges (Your company logo will be printed on the personal name badges)	500 EUR

**Social Events** min. 800 EUR (prices on request)

Coffee breaks (Mo, Tue, Wed or Thu)  
Lunch break (Mo, Tue, Wed or Thu)  
Poster evening (Mo or Tue)  
Social evening (Wed)

Your company will be named as sponsor of the event in the printed programme brochure and on the conference website. You may choose your preferred position of your roll-up banner at all stations where the event take place.

**Poster Exhibition** 500 EUR

Your company logo will be printed on every poster number label, which will be fixed onto every poster panel. Your company will be also named as sponsor in the conference programme brochure and on the conference website.

**Poster Exhibition** 1,500 EUR

A representative of your company will hand over the award for the best three posters and ensure extra attention for your company during the ceremony. You are entitled to place a roll-up banner in the award area. The poster prize certificate will be branded with your company's name.

*All exhibition, advertisement and sponsoring fees are in EUR-currency and do not include 19% VAT*