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LOCATION AND THEME ANNOUNCED FOR FIFTH INTERNATIONAL FASCIA RESEARCH CONGRESS

The **Fifth International Fascia Research Congress** will be held in Berlin at the Urania Center Nov. 14 - 15, 2018. The Fascia Research Congress was created by a multidisciplinary committee of basic science researchers and practicing health care professionals whose respective fields share a common focus and interest in the human body's soft connective tissue matrix.

The Congress will be held in conjunction with the International Osteopathic Conference Nov. 16 - 18, 2018. Discounts will be available for those wishing to attend both conferences. Urania Berlin is an event and science center that has facilitated scientific discussion since its founding in 1888. Pre-congress workshops will be offered Nov. 10-12 at the Plastinarium Lab in Gruben, Germany and Nov. 13 at the Urania Center.

The International Fascia Research Congress (FRC) will present the latest and most relevant fascia science including plenary and breakout sessions. An important continuing initiative of the FRC is to foster understanding and collaboration among scientists working in fascia research and the various clinical professionals who address fasciae in their work with clients and patients. The theme for the 2018 Congress is **Connecting Key Issues: How Fascia Research Can Impact Health Outcomes**.

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Previous Congresses were held at the Martin Conference Center at Harvard Medical School (2007), Vrije Universiteit in Amsterdam (2009), in Vancouver, B.C. (2012), and Washington, D.C. (2015). An additional one-day conference, **Fascia, Acupuncture & Fascia**, was held at Harvard Medical School in 2015. Abstracts and posters from previous conferences are available in proceedings books. Video recordings of previous congress plenary sessions are also available.

For more information visit www.fasciacongress.org

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