



**Safety & Prevention**  
Congress & Expo **2026**

International congress & expo event

**Ljubljana,**  
**21. - 22. October 2026**

## Call for speakers at international conference

“Safety and Prevention 2026”

### 3rd International Congress and Expo Event

Building on the success of the previous two editions, Safety and Prevention 2026 represents the third consecutive international congress and expo event, further strengthening its position as a leading regional platform for professional dialogue in the fields of fire safety, process safety and occupational health and safety.

Over the past years, the event has evolved into a recognized meeting point for researchers, industry experts, regulators, designers and safety practitioners from across the region and beyond. By combining scientific insight, practical experience and industry innovation, Safety and Prevention contributes to the development of higher safety standards and a stronger culture of prevention.

The 2026 edition aims to further expand its international dimension, promote interdisciplinary exchange and address emerging risks and technological developments shaping the future of safety engineering and risk management.

The event will take place on 21st and 22nd October 2026 at the Ljubljana Exhibition and Convention Centre in Ljubljana, Slovenia.

### **Conference Days**

#### 21 October 2026 - Fire Safety and Process Safety Conference

This conference day will focus on fire safety engineering and industrial process safety.

Topics include, but are not limited to:

- Fire safety in buildings
- Fire safety and alternative energy sources
- Process safety in industry
- Explosion prevention and mitigation
- Fire and explosion risk assessment
- Active and passive fire protection systems
- Advanced fire engineering design methods
- Inclusive evacuation strategies
- Fire safety and sustainability
- Case studies of fire and industrial incidents



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- Good practice examples in fire prevention
- Industrial safety management
- Safety challenges related to lithium-ion batteries and alternative energy systems
- Process safety and occupational interface

### 22 October 2026 - Occupational Health and Safety Conference

This conference day will address workplace safety, prevention strategies and safety management systems.

Topics include, but are not limited to:

- Occupational safety and health (OSH) management systems
- The role of new technologies in OSH
- Digitalization and AI in workplace safety
- Smart sensors, IoT and predictive safety analytics
- Best practices in workplace risk prevention
- Safety culture and leadership
- Environmental protection and workplace safety
- ESG and sustainability aspects of occupational safety
- Security aspects related to workplace environments
- Psychosocial risks and mental health in the workplace
- Climate change and its impact on occupational safety
- Human factors and behavioural safety
- Crisis management and emergency preparedness in workplaces
- Automation, robotics and new workplace hazards
- Legal developments and regulatory trends in OSH

### **Submission Information**

Professionals and researchers are invited to submit abstracts of their proposed contributions.

When submitting your abstract, please clearly indicate:

- The conference day (21 October – Fire & Process Safety or 22 October – Occupational Health & Safety)
- The thematic area of your contribution

All accepted papers will be peer-reviewed. Conference proceedings will be published online on the conference website. Selected papers may be eligible for publication in the Slovenian professional journal *Požar*.



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Abstracts and correspondence should be sent to:

[info@safetyandprevention.si](mailto:info@safetyandprevention.si)

The abstract should not exceed **300 words** (approximately 15 lines of text). It should clearly present the purpose, methodology and key findings or expected contribution of the paper.

Each abstract must include:

- The exact title of the paper
- The selected conference day (21 October – Fire & Process Safety or 22 October – Occupational Health & Safety)
- The thematic section of the contribution
- Author's full name(s), academic or professional title(s)
- Institutional affiliation(s)
- Corresponding author's email address
- 3–5 keywords
- Selected key references (if applicable)

Abstracts must be written in clear and concise Slovene or English.

Submissions that do not comply with these requirements may be returned to the authors for revision.

### **Important Dates**

- **25 May 2026** – Call for papers opens
- **26 June 2026** – Abstract submission deadline
- **10 July 2026** – Notification of acceptance
- **20 August 2026** – Full paper submission deadline
- **1 September 2026** – Reviewer comments sent to authors
- **18 September 2026** – Final paper submission deadline
- **21 October 2026** – Fire Safety and Process Safety Conference
- **22 October 2026** – Occupational Health and Safety Conference

We look forward to your contribution and to welcoming you to Ljubljana in October 2026.

Sincerely,

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Chair of the Steering Committee