

Call for Abstracts

ECREA – Post-conference

Journalist-researcher interactions: Finding common ground in a post-truth world?

Monday, the 24th of October, in continuation of the 9th European Communication Conference (ECC) by ECREA, we will host a post-conference focusing on journalist-researcher relations.

In recent years, these relations have gained increased attention in both the media and in scientific communities. The reasons for this include the rising significance of social media – short-circuiting knowledge monopolies of traditional stakeholders – the increased politicisation of the professions and, especially, political contestation of the underlying motives of both news and science: Never has truth so commonly been questioned, and never has the common pursuit of truth been more important.

The aim of the post-conference is to strengthen bonds between researchers studying academia and media relations. Accordingly, the event will use a round-table format. Accordingly, while abstracts must be original and not already be accepted for presentation in panels at the ECREA conference, that we welcome both full paper-abstracts as well as abstracts presenting more preliminary findings.

The academic post-conference will take place at the Danish School of Media and Journalism, also hosting a subsequent dissemination event focusing on the same theme, but aiming at building broader networks between media, researchers and commentators. Post-conference presenters are invited to participate in lunch and dinner on the 24th, together with the organisers and the Key Note-speakers participating at the dissemination event.

Abstract submissions. If you plan to submit an abstract, please submit the following details: (a) Abstract title, (b) 300-word (max) abstract of paper, and (c) name of paper presenter. Abstracts need to be original and may *not* also have been accepted for presentation at the ECREA main conference. The format of the paper presentation is expected to be in person.

How to submit?

- Email to: mortenb@ps.au.dk
- **Submission deadline** is **June 15th 2022**, 23:59 CET
- *In case of questions please contact: Morten Brænder (mortenb@ps.au.dk)*

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