The Organizing Committee is pleased to announce the 16th Symposium of the International Dostoevsky Society to be held at the University of Granada, June 7-10, 2016. The Symposium will commemorate the 150 years since the publication of “Crime and Punishment”.

The Symposium’s main goals are to promote multidisciplinary research on this essential novel and to bring together Dostoevsky researchers interested in the Conference topics:

1. “Crime and Punishment”: 150 years since its publication.
2. New contributions to the study of Dostoevsky’s life and work.
3. Dostoevsky in the world of Sciences and Arts.
4. Dostoevsky’s contributions to understanding the literary process, fiction, and literary communication.

The official languages of the symposium are Russian, English, and Spanish.

Presentations, which should last exactly 20 minutes, will be followed by 5 minutes for questions and discussion.

Plenary Speakers will be confirmed by mid-October.

In addition to scheduled sessions, a round table on “Translating Dostoevsky” is planned during the symposium.

An exhibition of illustrations of Dostoevsky’s works will be part of the symposium program in collaboration with the F.M. Dostoevsky Museum in Moscow and Saint-Petersburg.

Abstracts:
Abstract submission deadline: July 14, 2015.

The Program Committee will review the submissions and decisions will be announced on the IDS website by October 1, 2015.

Important dates:
- Abstract submission: July 14, 2015.
- Notification of acceptance: October 1, 2015.
- Conference dates: June 7-10, 2016.
Symposium participants will be limited to about 160 speakers. Membership in IDS is required prior full registration. For further information about membership, see the IDS webpage: [http://www.dostoevsky.org](http://www.dostoevsky.org).

Conference fee: €65 without closing dinner; €100 with closing dinner; guests: €30 without closing dinner and €65 with closing dinner.

Participation fee includes: abstract publication, paper publication, coffee breaks, and cultural program.

Cultural program: night visit to Alhambra, flamenco performance, and closing dinner (optional, see Conference fee).

Accommodation and travel expenses will be borne by the participants.

Venue: Faculty of Philosophy and Literatures, University of Granada (Spain). [Map](http://www.dostoevsky.org).

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Further details about paper publication requirements, registration, and visa applications (if required) will be announced after the notification of acceptance.

For any other questions or concerns, please email [ids.granada2016@gmail.com](mailto:ids.granada2016@gmail.com).

We look forward to seeing you in Granada!

Organizing Committee of the XVI IDS Symposium