

# ANNUAL CONFERENCE ONLINE 2021

26-30 April **2021** 

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| Item                               | Applicable to the following packages                      | Asset            | Information  | Image Dimension                           | Format             | Max. character count                | Information required from client  |
|------------------------------------|---|------------------|--|---|--------------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| Premium full screen advert         | Platinum, Bronze  | Advert           | Shown after the welcome page. The overlay can be closed by the user at any time.   | 1500 x 2000px                             | PNG or JPG         |                                     |   |
| Premium logo placement             | Platinum, Gold  | Logo             | Logo featured on the event welcome page.   | 600 x 600px                               | Transparent<br>PNG |                                     |   |
| All exhibitor and sponsor carousel | Platinum, Gold, Bronze, Sponsorship package, Pick and Mix | Logo             | Summary of all exhibitor and sponsor logos.  | 600 x 600px                               | PNG or JPG         |                                     |   |
| Industry sponsored session         | Platinum, Gold  | Logo             | Displayed on your session in the programme. Your session will be held over the lunch break on a day of your choosing (subject to availability).  | 900 x 150px                               | PNG or JPG         |                                     | Please specify your preferred time and day  |
|                                    |   | Banner           | It is also possible to place a banner at the top of your session detail page.  | 1200 x 600px                              | PNG or JPG         |                                     |   |
|                                    |   | Profile picture  | If you would like to include a speaker or presenter image, faces should be positioned in the centre of the photo as they will be cropped to a circle.  | 600 x 600px                               | PNG or JPG         |                                     |   |
|                                    |   | Background image | You can change the default background image behind all person profiles. This image will be used for all person pages in this event.  | 1200 x 600px                              | PNG or JPG         |                                     |   |
| Premium exhibitor banner           | Platinum  | Banner           | Featured at the top of the news messages feed on the navigation page.  | 2400 x 600px                              | PNG or JPG         |                                     | Please supply your URL  |
| Logo in exhibitor hall             | Platinum, Gold  | Logo             | Logo on large promotional card on exhibitor list.  | 1200 x 600px                              | PNG or JPG         |                                     |   |
|                                    | Bronze, Sponsorship package, Pick and Mix                 | Logo             | Logo on small promotional card on exhibitor list.  | 600 x 600px                               | PNG or JPG         |                                     |   |
| Sponsor tile on navigation page    | Sponsorship package, Pick and Mix                         | Logo             | Featured on the event navigation page.   | 800 x 450px                               | PNG or JPG         |                                     |   |
| Digital booth / Digital space      | Platinum, Gold, Bronze, Sponsorship package, Pick and Mix | Text             | Company bio.   | n/a                                       | Text               | Subject title: 75<br>Body copy: 450 | Please supply your copy, including your URL, social media hashtag and contact email                       |
|                                    |   | Link and hastags | Link to company website and social media.  | n/a                                       | Text               |                                     | Please supply your URL and social media hashtag   |
|                                    |   | Image            | This can either be your logo or a background from your company page as a clickable banner.   | Logo: 600 x 600px<br>Banner: 1200 x 600px | PNG or JPG         |                                     |   |
|                                    |   | Slide show       | Maximum of three slides.   | 1200 x 600px up to 2mb                    | PNG or JPG         |                                     |   |
| News feed                          | Platinum, Gold, Sponsorship package,<br>Pick and Mix      | Text             | Promotion on news feed during coffee break. Number of slots will be allocated according to package purchased.  | n/a                                       | Text               | Subject title: 50<br>Body copy: 400 | Please supply your copy. Please also specify your preferred day, URL, social media hashtag, contact email |
| Push notifications                 | Platinum, Gold, Bronze                                    | Text             | These will be written by the Society. This will be only be shown to those with the functionality switched on. For Platinum and Gold: two push notifications (before and on the day of your session). For Bronze: One push notification, day to be specified by client.             | n/a                                       | Text               | 35                                  | For Bronze package: please specify day  |
| Pre-event email communications     | Platinum, Gold, Bronze                                    | Text             | Pre-event email communication slot to registered delegates. All exhibitors that have taken these packages will be included as part of the same mailing.  | n/a                                       | Text               | Subject title: 75<br>Body copy: 570 | Please supply your copy   |
| Pre-event social media push        | Platinum, Gold, Bronze                                    | Text             | Pre-event social media push. All exhibitors that have social media pushes as part of their package will be included as part of the tweet. These will be managed and written by the Society. The exhibitors social media handle will be included should exhibitors want to retweet. | n/a                                       | Text               | 240                                 | Copy to be supplied. Please supply your social media handle   |

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### Please send your completed assets to:

Vicky McCulloch v.mcculloch@microbiologysociety.org

The very last date we will be able to receive your assets is 9 April 2021. Please contact us should you anticipate any issues.

### **Digital booths**

Your booth will be set up by the marketing team at the Microbiology Society. All exhibitors will have an opportunity to review their booth prior to the Conference.

### **Industry sponsored sessions**

Industry sponsored sessions are subject to approval by the Society.

Once approved, the cut off point to confirm your preferred slot(s) is 26 March 2021.

Your session can be scheduled between 13.00 and 14.00 from Monday to Thursday.

Slots are allocated on a first come first served basis given the limited time slots per day. We recommend you confirm your preferred time and day as soon as possible.

A pre-recorded presentation is preferable and recommended. The Conferences and Events Team will provide instructions/guide on how to pre-record on to the platform directly. Should you want to introduce a live element to your session i.e. introduction and sign-off, rehearsal slots are available where our Conferences and Events Team will be able to take you through the functionalities of the platform.

Your industry sponsored session will be delivered in the form of a webinar. There will be chat functionality and the number of delegates is unlimited.

### Access to Annual Conference 2021

Delegates can access the Conference via the mobile and/or web platform. Please note, some functionality on the mobile app is user initiated and beyond the control of the Microbiology Society. The Society, however, will remind delegates of the functionality available to help delegates optimise the Conference experience.

### Reports (post-Conference)

The marketing team will provide a post-Conference data report according to the package purchased. All data will adhere to GDPR and only permission-based data will be supplied. The data report will be delivered up to three weeks after the event.

### **Availablity of content post-Conference**

Exhibitor content will be available for one month after the Conference, after which it will be deleted. Delegates will be able to access exhibitor content on the web app during that month, using their Conference sign in details.

### Contact details

If you have any questions about the Conference or this document please do not hesitate to contact exhibitions@microbiologysociety.org.



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