



DIS Congress Service turns 60

The Danish conference organiser, DIS Congress Service, celebrates their 60th jubilee – making it the oldest Professional Congress Organiser (PCO) in the world!

Over the past 60 years, DIS Congress Service has helped organise more than 2600 international conventions, conferences and meetings. Not only Denmark's, but also the world's oldest professional conference organiser, DIS Congress Service has been a global pioneer in the industry, and is more than partly responsible for the fact that, over the past decades, Copenhagen has consistently featured on the global top-20 list of most-visited international conference destinations.

When DIS Congress Service celebrates its 60th jubilee on the 1st November, they can look back upon a truly international history. Highlights include the role of architect and co-founder of the International Association of Professional Congress Organisers (IAPCO) – 44 years ago. This is the global organisation for companies that specialise in the practical aspects of arranging and running conferences. DIS' current Managing Director, Peder Andersen, is honouring the DIS tradition, and is an active member of the IAPCO board today.

DIS Congress Service originated in Denmark's International Student Committee, which hosted an international convention for student organisations back in 1952. Today, DIS is an ultra-modern private company, with unparalleled experience in helping Danish members of international organisations arrange conferences involving anything from 150 to 15 000 participants – both in Denmark and abroad.

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The Jubilee fact-sheet is attached to this press release.