

XIX INTERNATIONAL AIDS CONFERENCE JULY 22 - 27 WASHINGTON DC USA

**TURNING THE TIDE TOGETHER** 



#### **Basic Facts**

- July 22-27 Washington DC Convention Center
- Over 20,000 delegates from all over the world
- Scientists, Policy makers, Community, Advocates
- 3000 press
- 250 session, 6000 abstracts
- Co-Chairs

   Elly Katabira and Diane Havlir

# Significance of having meeting in the United States

- Human rights victory— lifting of travel ban
- Opportunity to acknowledge US leadership
  - Scientific support and progress
  - Contribution to global AIDS effort
  - Industry
- Spotlight on US epidemic including Washington DC
- Renew US commitment to the global AIDS epidemic and garner public support
- Foster dialogue between a wider US audience with a global audience



### **Key Features**

- Take stock of HIV epidemic
- Showcase science and best practice— Discuss latest developments
- Work towards establishing consensus and shaping policy
- Inform delegates about new areas of work and mobilize new advocacy in support of

Address these issues in cross-disciplinary fashion



# Events at the meeting

- Scientific pre-meetings on Friday, Saturday and Sunday
- Sunday--- Opening
- Monday- Friday plenaries, abstract, symposium, cross-track sessions, skills building workshops
- Friday close
   – summary of each track
- Other events— Global AIDS village— booths, outreach to public, media



#### Scientific Tracks and Session Types

Oral Abstract Sessions

Oral Poster Discussion Sessions

Poster Exhibition

Late Breaker Sessions

**Track A: Basic Science** 

**Track B: Clinical Science** 

Track C: Epidemiology and Prevention Science

Track D: Social Science, Human Rights and Political Science

Track E: Implementation Science, Health Systems and Economics



# Ways to participate

- Submit abstracts
- Abstract reviewer
- Arrange pre-meetings
- Attend pre-meetings
- Network
- Set up meetings with your research groups or across common interest groups
- Launch new projects
- Global Village
- Something else



#### **Abstract-Driven Sessions**

Standard submissions: 1 December 2011–15 February 2012

Late Breaker submissions: 19 April 2012 – 22 May 2012



#### Registration Fees and Deadlines

#### **Regular Delegate**

**Low-/Middle-Income Country: 575 USD** 

**High-Income Country: 785 USD** 

**Student/Youth/Post-Doc Delegates** 

**Low-/Middle-Income Country: 150 USD** 

**High-Income Country: 235 USD** 

Registration opens 1 December
Starting 23 February, <u>late registration surcharges</u> apply
Starting 3 May, <u>last-minute surcharges</u> apply