

Aging Technical Group Newsletter

Dear Aging TG Members,

Happy New Year! As we step into this new chapter filled with fresh opportunities and possibilities, I want to take a moment to extend my warmest wishes to each and every one of you. May this year bring you joy, success, and fulfillment in all your endeavors. As we look ahead to the year ahead, I am excited to share some plans for Aging Technical Group:

- Member Engagement: Our priority is to create meaningful opportunities for you to connect and foster a sense of belonging and support.
- Diversity and Inclusion: We are dedicated to creating an inclusive environment where every member feels valued to contribute their unique perspectives.
- Next Generation of Leadership: We are committed to providing opportunities for professional development to aspiring minds in the community.

As we embark on this new year together, I am filled with optimism and excitement for the possibilities that lie ahead. Your continued support to the aging population are the driving force behind our shared success, and I am grateful for the opportunity to embark on this journey with each and every one of you.

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Reminders and Upcoming Events

We earnestly request for speakers/workshops for HFES/ASPIRE 2024

We are thrilled to announce the Call for Abstracts for ASPIRE, the 68th International Annual Meeting of HFES, is now open! Consider what you may submit for this premier educational event taking place September 9 - 13, 2024 at the Arizona Biltmore Hotel in Phoenix, Arizona. ASPIRE is an unparalleled platform that brings together academics, practitioners, researchers, industry professionals, and other thought leaders to exchange ideas, showcase cutting-edge research, solve problems, and explore the latest advancements in human factors and ergonomics.

Important Dates

- O Submission Deadline: Wednesday, February 28, 2024 at 11:59 PM US EST
- Notification of Acceptance: April 19, 2024
- Session date/time information sent to corresponding submitter May 14, 2024
- o Optional Proceedings Papers due May 20, 2024
- o Speaker orientation webinar August 29, 2024

Selected Presentations at HFES Annual Meeting 2023

Lecture

- o Designing Feasible and Effective Cognitive Assessment for Older Adults in Long-Term Care
- Do Sensor-Based Interventions Differ from Traditional Physical Therapies in Improving Older Adults'
 Balance?
- o Older Adults Disproportionately Hindered by Touchscreen Interfaces in Driving Tasks

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o An Assessment of the Current State of Human Factors Training Related to Aging and Gerontology

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o Designing for Older Adults with Cognitive Impairment: A Panel Discussion