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Notice of Academic Symposium and Call for Papers

“Disability and the Family”

June 19-20, 2024, at the Faculty of Law
of the University of Zaragoza, Spain

The International Academy for the Study of the Jurisprudence of the Family (IASJF) is pleased to announce that it will hold its fifteenth international Symposium on **“Disability and the Family”** on Wednesday and Thursday, June 19-20, 2024. The Symposium will be hosted by the Faculty of Law of the University of Zaragoza in the city of Zaragoza, Spain, and co-organized by the Department of Law of the University of Verona, Italy. The Symposium will address the wide range of legal and social issues that might be relevant to, or otherwise draw upon the larger theme of disability in the family setting. A special focus of the discussion will be on the issue of protecting persons with disabilities in the digital environment. Interdisciplinary presentations are also welcome. In addition to English-language sessions, the conference will include at least one Spanish-language session.

The IASJF is an independent, interdisciplinary scholarly society that seeks to promote thoughtful consideration and discussion of the foundations of the family, including marriage, parenting, extended and other family relations (please visit our website at <http://www.iasjf.org/>). The IASJF has previously hosted academic symposia in USA, Argentina, Israel, Spain, Malta, Qatar, Poland, Peru, the Philippines, Slovenia and Chile among others. In the years 2020-2022 *online* symposia of the IASJF have been hosted by universities in Italy, Israel and Poland.

The Faculty of Law of the University of Zaragoza is located at Calle de Pedro Cerbuna, 12, Zaragoza, <http://derecho.unizar.es>.

Persons wishing to present a scholarly paper at the symposium should submit a short abstract in English or Spanish of the paper they propose (no more than 200 words) including a working title, name, institutional affiliation, and full contact information of the author(s), and a brief description of the proposed paper. Proposals should be sent to Professor Stefano Troiano (iasjf2024symposium@gmail.com) by May 6th, 2024. Proposals for the Spanish-language session must also be accompanied by an abstract in English. Acceptances will be on a rolling-acceptance basis.

All symposium participants must register (\$125 Academy Members, \$170 non-Members, \$125 Participants from Spain) and pay for their own transportation and hotel. Fee includes all symposium meals. An optional tour of Zaragoza (not included in the fee) is scheduled for June 21, 2024. Online registration opens on March 1, 2024.