

# 2019

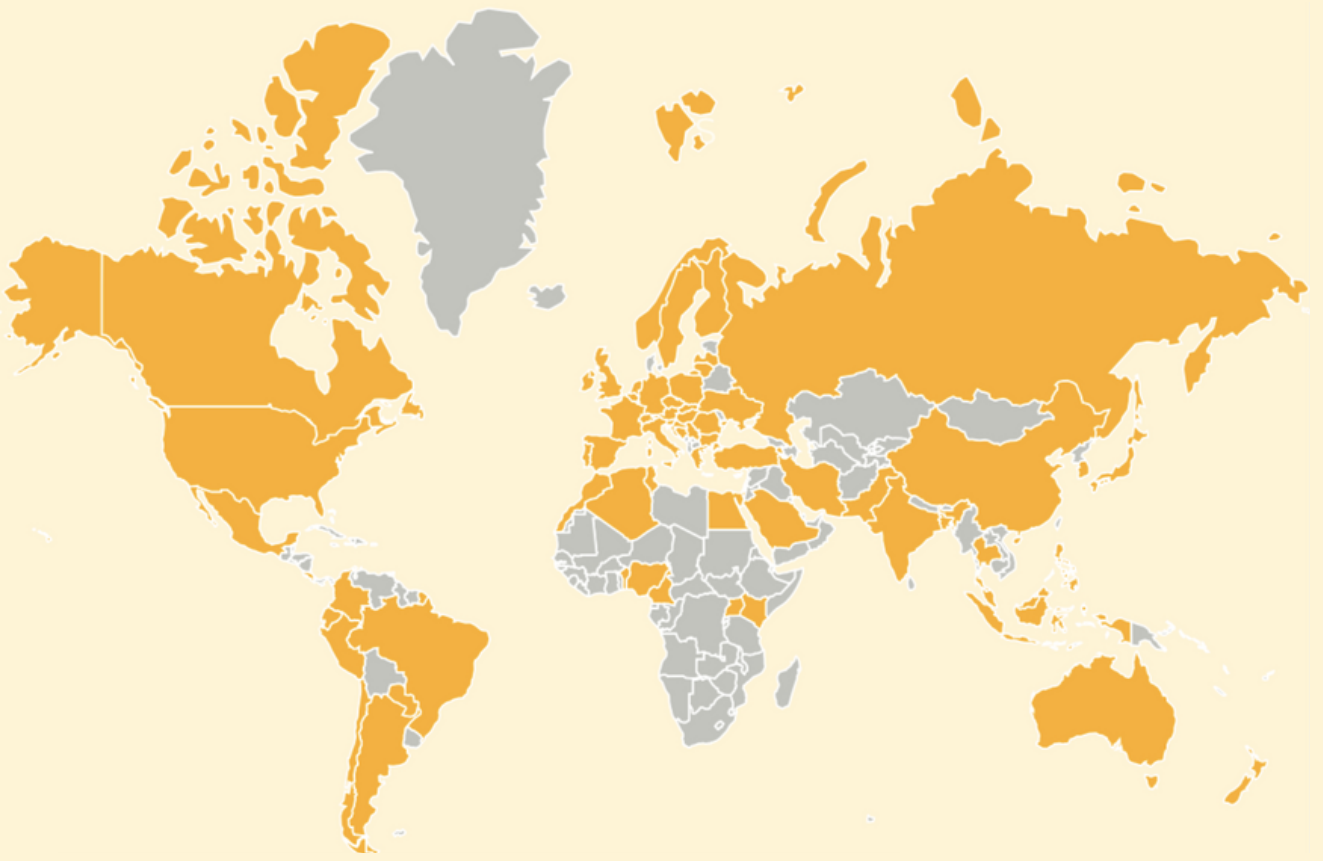


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International  
Day of Light  
16 May

The International Day of Light is an annual celebration of the importance of light science and technology to society in areas such as manufacturing, telecommunications, energy and healthcare. It is celebrated every year on the 16 May, the scientific anniversary of the first operation of the laser. This graphic summarizes the outcomes for 2019 and we encourage you to reach out to us to learn more about how you can engage with the global celebrations in 2020.



605 events in 70 countries worldwide in 2019



Over 1.7 million event participants



34 total partners

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