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#### Recent News

[Gambling addiction treatment agency could fold](#)

November 09, 2009. Belmont Citizen Herald.

[Australia to review online gambling rules](#)

November 09, 2009. Online Gambling Magazine.

[Poland proposes online gambling ban](#)

November 11, 2009. Lottery Post.

[Compulsive gambling afflicts 40,000 in Finland](#)

November 11, 2009. YLE News.

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#### Featured Research

[Survey data on remote gambling participation: Year to September 2009.](#)

Gambling Commission. (October, 2009).

This paper provides information on participation in remote forms of gambling. It sets out the findings from questions asked through an omnibus survey conducted by ICM Research. Initial questions asking whether respondents had gambled for money on the internet in the previous month were included in this survey from 2001. However, to reflect the developments in the methods of accessing remote gambling, revised questions were added to the survey in December 2005. These questions ask whether respondents have participated in remote gambling via a computer, mobile phone or interactive television.

Call for Papers, Grant Proposals, RFPs and Nominations

[Call for Papers: Problem Gambling Foundation of New Zealand 2010 International Gambling Conference](#)

Proposals for presentations and sessions are now being accepted for The Problem Gambling Foundation of New Zealand 2010 International Gambling Conference being held February 24-26, 2010 at The Crowne Plaza Hotel in Auckland, New Zealand. The conference will examine new technologies and their implications for the future of gambling along with the groups of people who may be targeted or impacted by these technologies. Enhancing measures needed to prevent and reduce harms associated with current and emerging forms of gambling will also be examined. Presentations should include new and original work that reflects the conference theme. Workshop presentations may be supported with visual materials, handouts, and activities. Alternatively to both paper and workshop presentations, presentations may be made through an audio or visual format. Individuals whose lives have been impacted by problem gambling and would like the opportunity to tell their story and express their views are also welcome.

Deadline for submissions is November 27th, 2009.

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[Call for Panelist Presentations: Responsible Gambling Council's Discovery 2010 Conference](#)

Proposals for panelist presentations are now being accepted for The Responsible Gambling Council's Discovery 2010 Conference being held April 13-16, 2010 at The Westin Harbour Castle in Toronto, Ontario.

Deadline for submissions is December 1st, 2009.

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[Ontario Problem Gambling Research Centre](#)

The Ontario Problem Gambling Research Centre is pleased to announce that applications for Level III & IV research awards are now being accepted for research into problem gambling. Please visit the website for the guidelines for submission.

Deadline for letter of intent submissions is November 20th, 2009.

Deadline for proposal submissions is April 15th, 2010.

**Upcoming Events**

[National Center for Responsible Gaming Conference on Gambling and Addiction](#)

November 15-17, 2009 - Las Vegas, Nevada, USA

[Council on Compulsive Gambling of Pennsylvania - Problem Gambling and the Law One Day Conference](#)

November 16, 2009 - Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, USA

[National Association for Gambling Studies 19th Annual Conference](#)

November 18-20, 2009 - Rydges Lakeside, Canberra, Australia

[2010 International Gambling Conference](#)

February 24-26, 2010 - Auckland City, New Zealand

[Responsible Gambling Council's Discovery 2010 Conference](#)

April 13-16, 2010 - Toronto, Ontario, Canada

[12th Annual Statewide Compulsive Gambling Awareness Conference](#)

March 18-19, 2010 - Sheyboygan, Wisconsin, USA

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Hope you've enjoyed this edition of Newscan. We'll see you again next week!

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