

Forthcoming Events

1998

May 3-7
Eilat, Israel

42nd Oholo Conference: Novel Approaches for
Bioremediation of Organic Pollutants
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IIBR, POB 19, 74100 Ness Ziona, Israel.
Tel. +972-8-9381656, Fax. +972-8-9401404
E-mail. wxiibr@weizmann.weizmann.ac.il
Web: www.iibr.gov.il

May 3-8
Braunschweig
Germany

International Glyco Bio Technology, Glycobiology
Glycochemistry, Glycobiotechnology
Contact: Harald S. Conradt, GBF-Gesellschaft f.
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Mascheroder Weg 1, 38124 Braunschweig, Germany
Tel. +49-531-287201, Fax. +49-531-202
E-mail. glycobiotech98@gbf-braunschweig.de

May 10-13
Kerkrade
The Netherlands

The Phytochemical Society of Europe
Progress in Phytochemistry
Contact: Prof. A.W. Alfermann, Institute for
Development and Molecular Biology of Plants
Heinrich-Heine University, Universitätsstr. 1
Geb. 26.13, 40225 Düsseldorf, Germany
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E-mail. alferman@rz.uniduesseldorf.de

May 11-17
Paris, France

IX OPTIMA Meeting (Organization for the Phyto-
Taxonomic Investigation of the Mediterranean Area)
Contact: Prof. J. Moret, Secretary of IX OPTIMA
Conservatory of Botany Bassin Parisien
National Museum of Natural History
61 rue Buffon, 75005 Paris, France
Tel. +33-1-40793554, Fax. +33-1-40793553
E-mail. optima@mnhn.fr

- May 17-24
Jerusalem, Israel
3rd World Congress of Cellular and Molecular Biology
Contact: Prof. Raymond Wegmann,
1 Avenue du Pavé Neuf, 93160 Noisy le Grand, France
Tel. +33-1-45923719, Fax. +33-1-43042030
- May 28-30
University Park, PA
Phosphorus in Plant Biology: Regulatory Roles
in Molecular, Cellular, Organismic, and
Ecosystem Processes
Contact: J., Dept. of Horticulture, Penn State,
University Park, PA 16802, USA, Tel. +814-863-2256,
Fax. +814-863-6139, E-mail. jpl4@psu.edu;
<http://www.lsc.psu.edu/phys/annualsym.html>
- May 30 - June 3
Las Vegas, NV
The 1998 Meeting of the Society for *In Vitro* Biology
Contact: <http://www.sivb.org/cong1998.htm>
- June 2-7
Tahoe City, CA
8th International Conference on the Cell and
Molecular Biology of Chlamydomonas
Contact: [http://www.swmed.edu/home_](http://www.swmed.edu/home_pages/chlamy/1998chlamy.thml)
[pages/chlamy/1998chlamy.thml](http://www.swmed.edu/home_pages/chlamy/1998chlamy.thml)
- June 9-13
Uppsala, Sweden
2nd European Conference on the Conservation
of Wild Plants
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Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences,
POB 7007, 75007 Uppsala, Sweden,
Tel. +46-18-673409, Fax. +46-18-673480,
E-mail. plantaeuropa98@dha.slu.se
- June 14-19
Jerusalem, Israel
IX International Congress on Plant Tissue and
Cell Culture
Contact: IX Intl. Congress on Plant Tissue and
Cell Culture, POB 50006, Tel Aviv 61500, Israel
Tel. +972-3-5140000, Fax. +972-3-5175674
E-mail. plant@kenes.com
- June 24-28
Madison, WI
9th International Arabidopsis Meeting
Contact: Richard Amasino, Dept. of Biochemistry
University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI 53706
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E-mail. arabidopsis@biochem.wisc.edu
- June 27 - July 1
Madison, WI
Plant Biology '98
Contact: Susan Chambers, 15501 Monona Dr.,
Rockville, MD 20855, USA, Tel. +301-251-0560
Fax. +301-279-2996, E-mail. chambers@aspp.org
- June 28 - July 3
Jerusalem, Israel
8th International Symposium on the Genetics of
Industrial Microorganisms
Contact: Organizing Committee GIM '98,
POB 50006, Tel-Aviv 61500, Israel
Tel. +972-3-5140014, Fax. +972-3-5175674
E-mail. 100274.2665@compuserve.com

- June 29 – July 3
Tehuacan City,
Mexico
Workshop on Columnar Cacti and their Mutualists:
Evolution, Ecology, and Conservation
Contact: Ted Fleming, Tel. +1-305-284-6881,
Fax. +1-305-284-3039, or:
Alfonso Valiente-Banuet, Fax. +52-5622-8995,
E-mail. avaliente@miranda.ecologia.unam.mx
- July 1–3
Pamplona, Spain
8th Spanish Conference on Nitrogen Fixation
Contact: Cesar Arrese-Igor, Dept. Ciencias del
Medio Natural, Univ. Publica de Navarra,
Campus de Arrosadia, 31006 Pamplona, Spain
Tel. +34-48-169119, Fax. +34-48-169122
E-mail. cesarai@upna.es
- July 6–9
London, UK
Conference on Pollen and Spores:
Morphology and Biology
Contact: Lisa von Schlippe, Conference Administrator,
Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew, Richmond, Surrey
TW9 3AB, UK Fax. +44-181-3325176,
E-mail. l.von.schlippe@rbgkew.org.uk
- July 7–10
Chicago, IL
25th Annual Meeting of the Plant Growth
Regulation Society
Contact: Dr. Warren Shafer, Abbott Labs, Agricultural
Research Center, 6131 RFD (Oakwood Rd)., Long Grove
IL 60047, USA, Tel. +847-367-2654
Fax. +847-367-2913
- July 12–17
Strasbourg, France
IVth International Symposium on Cytochrome P450
Biodiversity and Biotechnology
Contact: E-mail. p450-98@ibmp-ulp.u-strasbg.fr
<http://www.icgeb.trieste.it/p450/>
- July 19–25
Florence, Italy
Symposium on Conservation Biology at the Molecular
Level: Identifying Management and Evolutionary Units
Contact: Dr. Tim King or Dr. R. Kent Schreiber,
US Geological Survey, Leetown Science Center,
1700 Leetown Rd., Kearneysville, WV 25430, USA
E-mail. tim_king@usgs.gov
- July 20–24
Bordeaux, France
Conference on The Supporting Roots:
Structure and Function
Contact: Alexia Stokes, Lab. de Rheologie du Bois
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33610 Cestas Gazinet, France,
Tel. +33-5-57979104, Fax. +33-5-56680713,
E-mail. stokes@lrbb3.perirrotton.inra.fr
- July 24–27
Pacific Grove, CA
Vth Cyanobacterial Workshop:
Exploiting the Cyanobacterial Genome
Contact: Stephanie Curtis, Dept. of Genetics,
North Carolina State University, POB 7614
Raleigh, NC 27695-7614, USA

- July 26–29
Knoxville, TN
7th Biennial Conference on the Molecular and Cellular Biology of the Soybean
Contact: <http://www.soybean.ag.utk.edu>
- August 9–14
Halifax, Nova Scotia
Canada
8th International Symposium on Microbial Ecology (ISME-8)
Contact: Ardenne International Inc., Suite 444
World Trade & Convention Centre, 1800 Argyle St.,
Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada Tel. +902-492-8000,
Fax. +902-423-2143; E-mail. ardenne@fox.nstn.ca
- August 9–14
San Diego, CA
XIX International Carbohydrate Symposium
Contact: ICS 98 Symposium Secretariat
Dept. of Chemistry, 516 Physical Sciences I
University of California, Irvine, CA 92697-2025
USA. Tel. +714-824-8976, Fax. +714-824-1372
E-mail. ics98@uci.edu, <http://www.ics98.uci.edu>
- August 9–14
Cambridge, UK
11th International Workshop on Plant Membrane Biology
Contact: Dr. Mark Tester, Dept. of Plant Sciences
University of Cambridge, Downing St.
Cambridge, CB2 3EA, UK
Tel. +44-1223-333918, Fax. +44-1223-333953
E-mail. plant-nut@lists.cam.ac.uk
- August 10–15
Amsterdam,
The Netherlands
VIIth International Symposium of the International Organization of Plant Biosystematists: Evolution in Man-Made Habitats
Contact: Dr. Hans den Nijs, ISP-Hugo de Vries Lab.,
Kruislaan 318, 1098 SM Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Tel. +31-20-5257660, Fax. +31-20-5257662
E-mail. IOPB98@bio.uva.nl
- August 12–14
Ephraim, UT
Tenth Wildland Shrub Symposium
Contact: Dave Lanier, Great Basin Environmental Education Center, 150 East College Avenue
Ephraim, UT 84627, USA, Tel. +801-283-7261
E-mail. davel@storm.snow.edu
- August 13–17
Chiba, Japan
16th Intl. Conference on Plant Growth Substances
Contact: IPGSA Secretariat, c/o Yuji kamiya,
Plant Hormone Function Frontier Reserch Program
RIKEN, Hirosawa 2-1, Wako-shi, Saitama 351-01
Japan. Fax. +81-48-4624716; [htt://frpphf.riken.go.jp](http://frpphf.riken.go.jp)
E-mail. ykamiya@postman.riken.go.jp
- August 15–20
Budapest, Hungary
International Congress on Photosynthesis
Contact: Gyozo Garab, Chair Organizing Committee
Biological Research Center, Hungarian Academy
of Sciences, Szeged, POB 521, 6701 Hungary
Tel. +36-62-433131, Fax. +36-62-433434
E-mail. photosyn@szbk.u-szeged.hu

- August 16–21
Kunming, China
August 22–28
Beijing, China
Pre-Congress Meeting on Genetics and Conservation of Biodiversity
XVIII International Congress of Genetics
Genetics – Better Life for All
Contact: CAS Secretariat, Datun Rd., Andingmenwai, Beijing 100101, China. Tel.&Fax. +86-10-64914896, E-mail. sychen@mimi.cnc.ac.cn
- August 17–21
Elsinore, Denmark
Sixth International Symposium on Genetics and Molecular Biology of Plant Nutrition
Contact: Arne Jensen, Plant Biology & Biogeochem., Riso National Lab., POB 49, Bldg. 330, 4000 Roskilde, Denmark. E-mail. arne.jensen@risoe.dk
- August 17–23
Helsinki, Finland
14th Symposium of the International Association for Cyanophyte Research (IAC)
Contact: Pertti Eloranta, Chair, 14th IAC Symposium Dept. of Limnology and Environmental Protection POB 27, Ehouse, Viikki, University of Helsinki 00014 Helsinki, Finland. Tel. +358-9-7085466 Fax. +358-9-7085257 E-mail. pertti.eloranta@helsinki.fi
- August 22–28
Beijing, China
XVIII International Congress of Genetics
Contact: XVIII Congress of Genetics Secretariat Institute of Genetics, Chinese Academy of Sciences Datun Road, Andingmenwai, Beijing 100101, China Tel.&Fax. +86-10-64914896 E-mail. sychen@mimi.cnc.ac.cn
- August 23–28
Jerusalem, Israel
Sixth International Mycological Congress, IMC-6
Contact: Prof. M. Galun, IMC-6, POB 50006, Tel-Aviv 61500, Israel. Tel. +972-3-5140014, Fax. +972-3-5175674, -660325 E-mail. mycol@kenes.ccmil.compuserve.com <http://lsb380.plbio.lsu.edu/ima/imc6prog.html>
- September 1–5
Norwich, UK
8th International Cell Walls Meeting
Contact: Gay Adams, Tel. +44-1603-452571, Fax. +44-1603-501771, E-mail. gay.adams@bbsrc.ac.uk
- September 7–11
Varna, Bulgaria
11th Congress of the Federation of European Societies of Plant Physiology
Contact: E-mail. fespp98@obzor.bio21.acad.bg <http://www.bio21.acad.bg/fespp98/> or <http://www.bulgaria.com/fespp98/>
- September 13–16
Oslo, Norway
The Phytochemical Society of Europe: Biologically Active Polysaccharides
Contact: Prof. B.S. Paulsen, Farmasoytisk POB 1068, Blindern, 0316 Oslo, Norway Tel. +47-2285-6572, Fax. +47-2285-4401 E-mail. b.s.paulsen@farmasi.uio.no

- September 14–18
Cape Town,
South Africa
Fifth International Botanic Gardens Conservation
Congress
Contact: Prof. Brian J. Huntley, National Botanical
Institute, Private Bag X7, Claremont 7735, South Africa
Fax. +27-21-7614687, E-mail. bgci98@nbict.nbi.ac.za
- September 21–25
Viterbo, Italy
XV Eucarpia General Congress: Genetics and Breeding
for Crop Quality and Resistance
Contact: XV Eucarpia Congress, University of Tuscia,
01100 Viterbo, Italy. Fax. +39-761-357256,
E-mail. eucarpia@unitus.it
- September 22–25
Monagas, Venezuela
19th Latin American *Rhizobium* Meeting
Contact: Coordinador de Postgrado Nucleo Monagas,
Universidad de Oriente, Urbanizacion Juanico,
Maturin, Edo. Monagas, Venezuela
Fax. +58-91-417749,
E-mail. 104721.1141@compuserve.com
- September 28
Sidney, Australia
2nd International Conference on the Comparative
Biology of the Monocotyledons and 3rd International
Symposium on Grass Systematics and Evolution
Contact: Karen Wilson, Royal Botanic Gardens,
Mrs. Macquaries Rd., Sidney NSW 2000, Australia
Tel. +61-2-92318137, Fax. +61-2-92517231
E-mail. karen@rbgsyd.gov.au
- November 23–27
Cape Town,
South Africa
Biological Nitrogen Fixation in Africa:
Linking Process to Progress
Contact: 8th AABNF Congress Secretariat
c/o Botany Dept., University of Cape Town,
Private Bag, Rondebosch 7701, South Africa
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1999

- August 1–7
St. Louis, MI
XVI International Botanical Congress
Contact: Congress Secretariat, Missouri
Botanical Garden, POB 299, St. Louis,
MI 63166-0299, USA, Tel. +314-577-5175,
Fax. +314-577-9589, E-mail. ibc16@mobot.org
- August 3–11
Durban, South Africa
XV International Congress of the International
Union for Quaternary Research
Contact: Dr. Oleg V. Kovalev, Zoological Institute
of Russian Academy of Sciences, 199034 St. Petersburg,
Russia, E-mail. kov@zisp.spb.su

- August 9-20
Sidney, Australia
International Union of Microbiological Societies
Contact: IUMS Secretariat, GPO Box 128
Sidney NDW 2001, Australia
Tel. +61-2-92622277, Fax. +61-2-92623135
E-mail. tourhosts@tourhosts.com.au
- September 1-3
Oban, Scotland
Aquatic Microbial Symbiosis Meeting
Contact: Fiona Burnip, Scottish Association for
Marine Science, Dunstaffnage Marine Laboratory
Oban, Argyll, PA34 4AD, Scotland
- September 21-25
Madrid, Spain
XIIIth Congress of European Mycologists
Contact: Dr. R. Galan, Dept of Plant Biology
Faculty of Sciences, University of Alcala
Alcala de Henares, Madrid, Spain
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2000

- September 3-8
Berlin, Germany
Biotechnology 2000: 11th International Biotechnology
Symposium and Exhibition
Contact: DECHEMA e.v., c/o 11th IBS
Theodor-Heurs-Allee 25, 60486 Frankfurt a.M.
Germany