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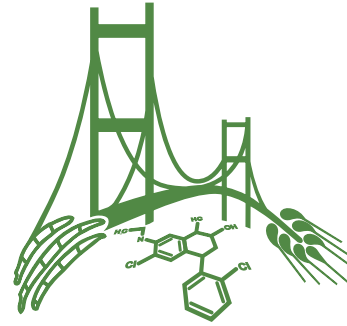
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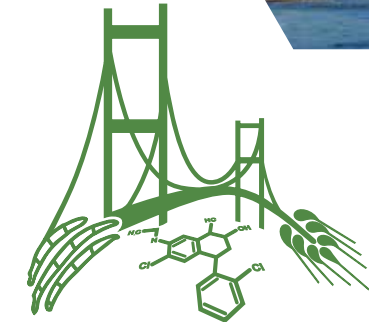
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INVITATION

Dear Colleagues,

One of the world's most prestigious event, "14th Mediterranean Phytopathological Union (MPU) Congress" will be organized together with "International Society of Mycotoxicology (ISM) Congress" for the first time. It is a great pleasure and challenge for the Local Organizing Committee to host this Joint International Congress in Istanbul between the dates of 25 - 29 August, 2014.

We believe that Joint International Congress will attract top scientists, decision and policy makers, high-tech companies, start-up companies, entrepreneurs, researchers and students from all around the region.

Production of agricultural products, seed and seedling development, plant nutrition and genetics, genetically modified plants, contaminants of biological origin, pesticides and mycotoxins will be covered during the congress.

Issues such as the methods and technology concerning the existence, monitoring and protection of these contaminants of biological and chemical origin alongside climate change and the impact of global warming on plant growth, storage and preservation of agricultural products will be addressed by eminent national and international experts.

Purpose of this Joint International Congress of 14th Mediterranean Phytopathological Union & International Society of Mycotoxicology (Mediterranean Branch) which will be held in Istanbul is to address global and regional issues related to production process of agricultural products and to develop solution-based strategies. With the support and sharing of you esteemed participants this Congress will be able to contribute to science, world trade, world economy and public health.

As the International Congress Organizing Committee, we will be honored to welcome you to this important event in Istanbul.

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PROGRAMME

Joint International Congress 14 th MPU-ISM Congress 2014 Programme						
Hrs	25 Aug	26 August	27 August	28 August	29 Aug	
Plenary sessions						
09:00 - 11:00		New frontiers in plant pathology (3 invited speakers)	IPM and sustainable use of pesticide (3 invited speakers)	Challenges and prospects (2 invited speakers)		
11:00 - 11:30		Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break		
		Parallel sessions (5 speakers)	Parallel sessions (5 speakers)	Parallel sessions (5 speakers)		
11:30 - 12:40	The presentations will be selected based on the evaluation of the abstract					
	Phytopathology	Phytopathology	Phytopathology	Mycotoxin	Phytopathology	Mycotoxin
12:40 - 13:40	Lunch		Lunch	Lunch		
13:40 - 14:40		Poster session	Poster session	Poster session		
14:40 - 15:50		Parallel sessions (5 speakers)	Parallel sessions (5 speakers)	Parallel sessions (5 speakers)		
	Phytopathology	Phytopathology	Phytopathology	Phytopathology	Joint session Horizon 2020 (1 invited speaker)	
15:50 - 16:20	The presentations will be selected based on the evaluation of the abstract					
		Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break		
16:20 - 17:30		Parallel sessions (5 speakers)	Parallel sessions (5 speakers)	Closing ceremony		
	The presentations will be selected based on the evaluation of the abstract					
19:00 - 21:00	Cocktail	Congress Dinner	Gala Dinner			

CONGRESS TOURS

CONGRESS HEADLINES

Concurrent Sessions in Phytopathology

- Applications of cutting edge technologies in disease management
- Advanced safe technologies for postharvest disease and pest management
- Histological, cellular and molecular aspects of the host-parasite relationship
- New Diseases of Mediterranean climate crops
- Regulations
- Genetic variability of plant pathogens
- Fungal biodiversity
- Genomics, proteomics and plant pathology
- Breeding strategies for plant resistance
- Disease epidemics and forecasting
- Sensoring: a tool for plant protection and food safety

Control of Plant Diseases

- Biological control
- Natural compounds and plant disease control
- Chemical control
- Control of airborne plant diseases
- Control of soilborne plant diseases
- Management of forest diseases
- New approaches in plant disease control

Diagnostics and Detection Methods of Plant Pathogens

- High throughput, generic, quick and cheap diagnostics
- Harmonization and validation of existing diagnostic protocols
- Next generation sequencing technologies.
- Plant pathogenic prokaryotes, viruses, nematodes Mycotoxins

IMPORTANT DATES

Abstract Submission:	2 January - 31 March 2014
Announcement of Accepted Abstracts:	15 May 2014
Earlybird Registration:	2 January - 21 May 2014
Regular Registration:	21 May - 17 August 2014
Late Registration:	17 August - 27 August 2014

REGISTRATION

Participants can find their registration fee from the chart below.

	Early before May 21, 2014	Regular before August 17, 2014	Late after August 17, 2014
None-ISM members:	€ 500	€ 550	€ 600
ISM members:	€ 450	€ 500	€ 550
Students:	€ 250	€ 300	€ 350
Accompanying Person:	€ 200	€ 250	€ 250
Daily Entrance	€ 150	€ 150	€ 150
Gala Dinner	€ 85	€ 85	€ 85

All registration fees covers: Congress bag, ID badge, Welcoming Reception, Lunches & Coffee Breaks, Congress Dinner, Access to All Meetings

Daily Entrance fee covers: All meetings and Poster presentations of that particular day, Congress bag, ID badge

Prices are V.A.T included

For more details request contact info@mpu-ism2014.com

ACCOMMODATION

Prices will be announced later. For more details please contact info@mpu-ism2014.org

Hotels

Grand Cevahir Hotel (Main Venue)	Prices will be announced later
Hilton Bomonti Hotel	Prices will be announced later
The Marmara Şişli Hotel	Prices will be announced later
Dormitories *	Prices will be announced later

*Istanbul Technical University Dormitories will be available for students.