

### **Cereal Breeding - Challenges and Opportunities for Global Improvement**

A wide range of cereal breeding research will be covered by the topics:

1. Genetic resources and pre-breeding
2. Grain yield and quality
3. Biotic and abiotic stress response
4. Environmental adaptation, crop management
5. Molecular approaches and interactions
6. Bioinformatics and genomic selection
7. Future challenges and innovations

#### **Important Information**

Online registration deadline	February 20, 2023
Abstract submission deadline	February 20, 2023
Presentation notification	April 1, 2023
Late registration deadline	April 15, 2023

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Web: Will be opened October 30, 2022

## Preliminary Program

	<b>Morning</b>	<b>Afternoon</b>	<b>Evening</b>
<b>May 15, 2023</b>	12:00 Open Registration	15:00 Opening and Plenary Session	Welcome Reception
<b>May 16, 2023</b>	Session I	Session II	Poster Session
<b>May 17, 2023</b>	Session III	Session IV	Poster Session
<b>May 18, 2023</b>	Session V	Session VI	
<b>May 19, 2023</b>	Session VII	Excursion (Field, Experiments)	Conference Dinner
<b>May 20, 2023</b>	Satellite Excursion (Gödöllő, Budapest)		

### Offered paper submission

You are kindly invited to participate, offer paper for oral or poster presentation for the Eucarpia Cereal Section Conference 2023. Normal presentations are 15 minutes long including questions and remarks. The poster presenters asked to send their poster by email attachment. Posters will be presented on an electronic Wall-Poster display, there will not be classical printed poster session. You are invited to register and submit your abstract online. One Main Author is allowed to send only one presentation. A confirmation message will be sent on your e-mail. Selected papers planned to be edited and issued by the Cereal Research Communication Special Issue.

### Deadline for registration, abstract submission: February 20, 2023

The Scientific Committee will select the oral contributions and posters based on the submitted abstracts. Authors will be informed not later than April 1, 2023.

A book of abstracts including invited papers and all accepted offered papers (both oral and poster presentations) will be available to the participants at the beginning of the conference in the meeting material.

### Registration Fee

Registration fee includes admission to all sessions, welcome reception, symposium lunches and dinners, coffees and refreshments in the breaks, Field excursion and Abstract Book.

**Satellite Excursion** by bus is planned to Gödöllő to see the Royal Palace and Laboratory at the Hungarian University for Agriculture and Life Sciences (MATE). Gödöllő is a green agglomeration area of Budapest. You may reach Budapest or Budapest Airport from there after the excursion by public transportation on your own. The booking for this excursion is opened till the first 50 persons. The price of the Satellite Excursion 150 Euro/person.

	<b>Registration until February 20, 2023</b>
<b>EUCARPIA Members*</b>	€450
<b>Non EUCARPIA Members</b>	€550
<b>Students**</b>	€400
<b>Accompanying Persons***</b>	€400

\* EUCARPIA members will have to enter the EUCARPIA registration number during registration process.

\*\* In order to pay the reduced fee, students must submit an official certificate signed by the director/dean of the school of studies (in PDF format) confirming their student status on mail.

\*\*\* Fee for accompanying persons includes welcome reception, symposium lunches and dinners, Field excursion.

### **Cancellation**

Cancellation must be notified in writing to the secretariat. The Organizers reserve the rights of any changes/cancellation due to possible Covid or other vis major situation.

Before March 15, 2023	March 16 to April 15, 2023	After April 15, 2023
Full refund less 50 € processing fee	50% of full registration fee refund	No refund

## Hotels

For accommodation, the organizers offer to choose Hotel Forrás and Hotel Tisza Sport for your stay, walking distance from the conference-venue. However, you may chose and book other Hotels in Szeged: Art Hotel, or the historical Hotel Tisza is old downtown. For the time of the meeting a special contingent of rooms is booked in the hotels for the Conference Guests – use in your booking “Cereal Conference” keyword when you order your accommodation. From Budapest Airport, there is a good bus-to-train and a very convenient train service to Szeged, trains depart hourly from the Airport to Szeged. After less than 2 hours train-travel, arriving to Szeged, you may choose the local train/bus or taxi cub service to reach the hotel you stay.

## Szeged, and the Cereal Research Non-Profit Ltd, the Venue of the Conference

Szeged is a University town, located on the South-East part of Hungary. A mere two hours' drive from the capital of Budapest, Szeged has so much variety to offer.

A sea of tradition and history, amazing Art Nouveau architecture, river Tisza and Maros, traditional spicy food, for example fishermen's soup, or fish-soup (szegedi halászlé).

Research work at the Cereal Research Non-Profit Ltd. Co., Szeged, Hungary (formerly Cereal Research Institute) was found more than 98 years ago, in 1924. The profile and name of institution were changed several times during the past decades. The current profile involves the following areas: breeding and commercialization of field crops, improvement of agronomical technology, production and sale of cereal seeds.

Please consider, plan and see you in Szeged, Hungary in next May!

On the behalf of the Organizers:

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