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XXIV National Congress
Italian Phytopathological Society
Ancona, 5-7 September, 2018

SECOND ANNOUNCEMENT

Dear Colleagues

it is with great pleasure that we announce that the XXIV Congress of the Italian Phytopathological Society (SIPaV) is being organized by the Department of Agricultural, Food and Environmental Sciences (D3A) of the Marche Polytechnic University, and will be held in Ancona from 5th to 7th September, 2018.

During the first day of Congress, there will be the assignment of the “SIPaV “Giovanni Scaramuzzi” 2018 Awards for PhD students, and a special session managed by young researchers called “Factory of Ideas”. This will include selected contributions for the Young Researcher Award funded by SIPaV, to promote the participation of young scientists. The first day will be closed after light dinner with informal talks by two Italian phytopathologists with distinguished careers (POD - Phytopathologists of Distinction - Talks), Prof. Ruggero Osler and Prof. Felice Scala, who will give the audience tips for their academic career.

The second day will be opened by a joint session of SIPaV with the American Phytopathological Society (APS) on “Emerging and re-emerging plant pathogens”, where Prof. Lindsey Du Toit and Prof. Gary Munkvold for APS, and Prof. Santa Olga Cacciola and Dr. Sabrina Palmano for SIPaV, will focus on seedborne fungi, viruses and viroids, grapevine phytoplasma and soilborne pathogens. The invited speaker Dr Xavier Foissac will show to the audience last findings on Phytoplasma-host(s) interactions. The day will see further presentations, lunch, poster sessions, and in the afternoon, the SIPaV annual Assembly; finally the Gala Dinner will take place in the evening. The third day will be opened with the last session, after which the Congress will be drawn to a close.

Two events will be connected to the SIPaV Congress: (a) the Course on Patents, which is planned for the morning of 5 September, with an Academic speaker and an expert working in the field as consultant; (b) the visit to experimental trials in vineyards affected by esca disease, Bois noir and downy mildew are planned for the afternoon and evening of 7 September, followed by tasting of organic and vegan wines at Offida (AP).



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LOCATION OF CONGRESS

Aula Azzurra, Marche Polytechnic University, Via Breccie Bianche, 20, 60131 Ancona
(43°35'7.24"N, 13°30'54.45"E)

PRELIMINARY CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

Wednesday 5th September

- 1.30-2.30 pm: Registration of participants and posters set up
- 2.30-6.30 pm: Opening of the SIPaV 2018 Congress,
1st Session, SIPaV “Giovanni Scaramuzzi 2018” Award
- 6.30-8.00 pm: Factory of Ideas (Young Researcher Session)
- 8.00 pm: Light welcome dinner
- 9.00 pm: “POD Talks”

Thursday 6th September

- 9.00 am-1.00 pm: Join Session SIPaV-APS about “Emerging and re-emerging plant pathogens”
- 1.00-2.30 pm: Lunch and Poster Session
- 2.30-4.30 pm: 2nd Session
- 4.30-7:30 pm: General Assembly of SIPaV Members
- 8.00 pm: Gala dinner at the Fortino Napoleonico (<http://www.hotelfortino.it>) (43°33'54.43"N,
13°35'33.43"E)

Friday 7th September

- 9.00 -12 am: 3rd Session
- 12.00 am: Close of the SIPaV 2018 Congress

EVENTS LINKED TO THE CONGRESS

Wednesday 5th September

- 9.00 am - 1.00 pm: Course on Patents, Room E at D3A (43°35'18.71"N, 13°30'57.13"E)

The course is open to SIPaV members and non-members, with a minimum of 25 and a maximum of 50 participants. If the number of applications is higher than the maximum number, priority will be given to SIPaV members and then to the non-members, in order of registration.

Friday 7th September

- 12.30 am: Departure for tour in vineyards affected by esca disease, Bois noir, and downy mildew
- 8.00 pm: Dinner with organic and vegan wine tasting at Offida (AP)
- 10.30 pm: Return to the hotels in Ancona

The visit to the field trials will be organized for at least 10 participants.



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CONGRESS REGISTRATION

Registration for the Congress will open on 9 May, and the deadline is 30 July, 2018. The registration fees for the Congress are reported in the table below with the registration format.

FREE REGISTRATION FOR YOUNG RESEARCHER IN TRAINING

For a maximum of 20 young researchers in training, SIPaV will offer free registration for the SIPaV 2018 Congress, free subscription to the Society, and online access to the Journal of Plant Pathology (JPP) for 3 years. The candidates must be authors or co-authors of an Abstract presented at the Congress, and will be selected on the basis of their curriculum and research activity. The candidates must e-mail their curriculum to sipav2018@univpm.it in European format by 20 May, 2018, together with their Abstract(s), set out according to the Second Announcement. The email should indicate as subject: "Young Researcher in Training". The selection will be carried out by a Committee composed of the SIPaV President, the SIPaV Vice President, and a member of the Scientific Committee of the Congress. The results of the selection will be communicated to the 20 young researchers selected, by 30 May, 2018.

DEADLINES

20 May, 2018: Submission of abstract and *curriculum* for Young Researchers in Training

5 June, 2018: Abstract submission for all other participants

15 June, 2018: Early Registration

30 July, 2018: Deadline for registration to the Congress.

Further information are available through the Conference web pages (<http://www.d3a.univpm.it/en/SIPAV2018>), or by contact with the Congress Secretary by email (sipav2018@univpm.it) or by phone, at the following numbers: +39-071-2204871; +39-071-2204697; +39-071-2204336.



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CONGRESS REGISTRATION FORM

(e-mail to sipav2018@univpm.it)

Surname: _____ First Name: _____

Institution: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____ E-mail: _____

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Fiscal Code

I would like to attend the XXIV SIPaV Congress.

I would like to present an oral communication a poster

Title: _____

I attach a copy of the receipt for the registration fee payment

I will reach the Congress by public transportation own car



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REGISTRATION FEES

The fee covers the Congress bag, the Congress proceedings, coffee breaks, and lunch. Please indicate with **X** the different options, the number of participants, and the total fee, including the eventual accompanying people who would like to join the Gala Dinner.

Participants	Up to June 15 th , 2018		
	Without the Gala Dinner		Including the Gala Dinner
SIPaV, AIPP, APS Members	€ 280		€ 330
SIPaV, AIPP, APS Members (including annual SIPaV membership)	€ 345		€ 395
SIPaV, AIPP, APS non-Members	€ 350		€ 400
Postdoc, PhD students, students	€ 100		€ 150
Postdoc, PhD students, students (including annual SIPaV membership)	€ 125		€ 175
	After 15 June, 2018		
	Without the Gala Dinner		Including the Gala Dinner
SIPaV, AIPP, APS Members	€ 330		€ 380
SIPaV, AIPP, APS Members (including annual SIPaV membership)	€ 395		€ 445
SIPaV, AIPP, APS non-Members	€ 400		€ 450
Postdoc, PhD student, student	€ 150		€ 200
Postdoc, PhD student, student (including annual SIPaV membership)	€ 175		€ 225
Accompanying people	Fee for Gala dinner (€ 50/person)		
N°.....	€.....		
Course on Patents	€ 50		
Field tour in vineyards	€ 50		

Privacy statement - Information concerning the processing of personal data, in accordance with article 13 of Legislative Decree no. 196/20003. I authorize the Organizing Committee of XXIV SIPaV Congress for the treatment of my personal data, which will be used only for this event.

Signature

Date _____



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INSTRUCTIONS FOR PAYMENT OF CONGRESS REGISTRATION FEE

Italian Public Bodies (under Regime di Tesoreria Unica - L. 720/1984)

Conto di Tesoreria Unica in Banca d'Italia n. **0037301**

Intestato a Università Politecnica delle Marche (Dipartimento di Scienze Agrarie, Alimentari ed Ambientali)

Other participants

Bank Account n.: 000040032480

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BIC SWIFT: UNCRITM1Q22

to UNICREDIT S.p.A. - Filiale di Tavernelle – Via Tavernelle 93B, 60128 Ancona

Address to Dipartimento di Scienze Agrarie, Alimentari ed Ambientali – Università Politecnica delle Marche

Indicate your name and surname. An invoice of payment will be released, without VAT (ex art. 10 n. 20 del Dpr 633/72).



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ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

Abstracts available by 5 June, 2018, will be published in Journal of Plant Pathology (JPP), and they need to be emailed to sipav2018@univpm.it, as a Word file, together with the form for Abstract submission (one per Abstract). Abstracts that arrive after the deadline will not be published on JPP. A confirmation e-mail will be sent at the moment of abstract submission.

In the form for the Abstract submission, the authors need to detail if they prefer to present their research as a poster or an oral communication. The final decision will be taken by the Scientific Committee of the Congress and will be communicated to the corresponding authors. The Abstracts will be evaluated by the Scientific Committee and will be published only if at least one of authors is registered for the Congress by 15 June.

The Abstract must be formatted as follows (see example):

All margins: 2.5 cm;

Language: English;

Title: Times New Roman 12, bold

Authors: Capital initial letter, Times New Roman, 11, bold

Affiliation and corresponding author e-mail: Times New Roman 11, italics

Text: 250 words maximum, Times New Roman 11, with latin name in italics, single line spacing, justified paragraph

References: not allowed

Funding (optional): Times New Roman 10, italics



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Example of an Abstract:

An ectomycorrhizal fungus may decrease the susceptibility of *Pinus sylvestris* to the native pathogen *Heterobasidion annosum* but not to the exotic *H. irregulare*

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In the last century, the intensification of global trade has greatly enhanced the likelihood of biological invasions resulting in increasing threats to native ecosystems. The North American root rot agent *Heterobasidion irregulare* Garbel. et Orosina was accidentally introduced in central Italy in 1944 where the Eurasian congener *H. annosum* (Fr.) Bref. is also present. *H. irregulare* has become invasive colonizing pine and oak stands along 103 km of coastline west of Rome. Although many studies have focused on factors driving biological invasions, very little is known on the role played by native mycorrhizal fungi in modulating host tolerance to non-native pathogens. The aim of this study was to compare the level of susceptibility of *Pinus sylvestris* L. to *H. irregulare* and *H. annosum* between plants mycorrhized and non-mycorrhized with the native ectomycorrhizal fungus *Suillus luteus* (L.) Roussel. Inoculation experiments were performed with three pathogen genotypes per species on seven-month-old mycorrhized and non-mycorrhized seedlings. To assess the level of host susceptibility, seedlings were inspected every day and scored depending on their time to death. The resulting survival curves pointed out that mycorrhizae reduced significantly the level of host susceptibility to the native pathogen, but not to the exotic one. Besides, non-mycorrhized plants were equally susceptible to both pathogens. These findings suggest that a symbiont-mediated mechanism of tolerance might protect the host plant from a native pathogen, but may fail in the presence of a non-native one. In this model system, this mechanism may confer an additional competitive advantage to *H. irregulare*.

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ACCOMODATION

The Hotels listed below are those where a discounted fee has been negotiated. Remember to communicate to the hotel at the booking “Participant at SIPaV Congress 2018”, to receive the discounted fee. You will pay directly to the hotel, and the fee will include breakfast, but not the visitor tax (about 2 euro/day).

ACCOMODATIONS IN THE CENTRE OF THE CITY (advised for people who will reach the Congress by public transportation)

HOTEL SEEPORT ****

www.seeporthotel.com

Tel. +39-071-9715101 - info@seeporthotel.com

Via Rupi di XXIX Settembre 12 - Ancona

Double room	from €89
Double room with single use	from €115

NH ANCONA ****

www.nh-hotels.it

Tel. +39-071-201171 - nhancona@nh-hotels.com

Via Rupi di XXIX Settembre, 14 - Ancona

Single room	€69
Double room with single use	from €90
Double room	from €100

GRAND HOTEL PALACE ****

www.grandhotelpalaceancona.com

Tel. +39-071-201813 - info@grandhotelpalaceancona.com

Lungomare Luigi Vanvitelli 24 - Ancona

Single room	€83
Double room with single use	from €98
Double room	from €115

FORTUNA ***

www.hotelfortuna.it

Tel. +39-071-42663 - info@hotelfortuna.it

Piazza Carlo e Nello Rosselli 15 - Ancona

Single room	€50
Double room with single use	€60
Double room	€72
Triple bedroom	€89



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ACCOMODATION LOCATED IN THE SURROUNDING AREA (advised for people who will reach the Congress by their own car)

FORTINO NAPOLEONICO ****

www.hotelfortino.it

Tel. +39-071-801450 - info@hotelfortino.it

Frazione Poggio 166 - Ancona

Single room €169

Double room with single use €189

HOTEL CRISTOFORO COLOMBO ****

www.cristoforo-colombo.com

Tel. +39-071-710 8992 - info@cristoforo-colombo.com

Strada Statale Adriatica, km 310, 400, 60027 Osimo AN

Single room €59

Double room with single use €64

Double room €79

G HOTEL ****

www.ghotelancona.it/

Tel. +39-071-72119 - e-mail: info@ghotelancona.it

Via della Sbrozzola, 26, 60027 Osimo AN

Double room with single use €84

Double room €104

HOTEL EUROPA ***

www.hoteleuropa-ancona.it

Tel. +39-071-888096 - info@hoteleuropa-ancona.it

Via Sentino 3 - Ancona

Single room €65

Double room with single use €70

Double room €77

VILLA GENS CAMURIA

www.villagenscamuria.it

Tel. +39-071-731602 - info@villagenscamuria.it

Via Direttissima del Conero 2, 60021 Camerano (AN)

Double room with single use €65

Double room €79

Triple bedroom €89



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HOTEL LA PERLA

www.perlahotelancona.it

Tel. +39-071-7309111 -+39-329-7732478

info@perlahotelancona.it

Via Direttissima del Conero 1/3 - 60021 Camerano (AN)

Double room €70

Double room with single use €50

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See you in Ancona

In the behalf of Organizing Committee

Prof. Gianfranco Romanazzi