



IMC 2024 Preliminary Programme*


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Pre-Registration required

Pre-Congress Workshop	Field Trip	Special Session
Symposium and Oral Abstracts Session	Workshops	Plenary Session
Networking Events	Dedicated Symposium	Break


Sunday, August 11, 2024 - Off-Site						
Time	Medical Center/MECC	Field trip	Field trip	Field trip	Field trip	
09:00-16:30	DERMATOPHYTES 	St. Pietersberg, Maastricht, NL - organized by the Dutch Mycological Society 	Savelsbos, Cadier en Keer, NL - organized by the Dutch Mycological Society 	Vijlenerbos, Vaals, NL - organized by the Dutch Mycological Society 	Jongebos, Diepenbeek/Kortesseem, BE - organized by the Flemish Mycological Society 	
16:30-17:00						


Sunday, August 11, 2024 - On-Site							
Time	Auditorium 1	Sydney 0.10	Cape Town 0.11	Brussels 0.4	Paris 0.5	Berlin 0.2&0.3	
10:00		IMC12 Early Career Mycologists Symposium 	IMA Council Meeting	PRE-CONGRESS WORKSHOP COMMUNITY ECOLOGY OF FUNGI AND FACTERIA 			
10:30							
12:00-16:30							
16:30-17:00	BREAK						
17:00-18:15	OPENING CEREMONY						
18:15-19:00	KEYNOTE LECTURE: THE NETHERLANDS AS HABITAT FOR MYCOLOGY AND MYCOLOGISTS						
19:00-19:45	WELCOME RECEPTION						

Monday, August 12, 2024						
Time	Auditorium 1	Sydney 0.10	Cape Town 0.11	Brussels 0.4	Paris 0.5	Berlin 0.2&0.3
08:00 - 09:30		Special Session CLOSED WORKING GROUP MEETING OF YEAST.ORG BY INVITATION ONLY	Special Session NARESH MAGAN SYMPOSIUM	Workshop 2 THE WHOLE KENDRICK: A SYMPOSIUM CELEBRATING THE 90TH BIRTHDAY OF W. BRYCE KENDRICK	Workshop 4 FUNGAL GENOMICS FOR AMR	
09:30-09:35	BREAK TO CHANGE HALLS					
09:35 - 10:35	KEYNOTE SESSION 1: CELL BIOLOGY, BIOCHEMISTRY AND PHYSIOLOGY					
10:35 - 11:00	COFFEE BREAK, VISIT EXHIBITION AND POSTER VIEWING					
11:00 - 13:00	Symposium 2 GLOBAL HEALTH CHALLENGES TO FORESTS: INTERACTIONS OF FUNGI, CLIMATE CHANGE, AND BIOLOGICAL INVASIONS	Symposium 1 AQUATIC FUNGI	Symposium 3 BIOCONTROL MECHANISMS AGAINST FUNGAL PLANT PATHOGENS	Symposium 4 FUNGAL TRAITS AND BEHAVIOURS IN SOIL	Symposium 5 TAXON NAMES AND TAXON COMMUNICATION IN EDNA ERA	Symposium 6 NEW TAXONOMIES OF MYCOTOXIGENIC FUNGI
13:00 - 15:00	LUNCH BREAK, VISIT EXHIBITION AND POSTER VIEWING 13:00-14:30 THE FUTURE IS FUNGI – COMMERCIALIZING RESEARCH TO REAL WORLD SOLUTIONS					
15:00-16:00	KEYNOTE SESSION 2: ENVIRONMENT, ECOLOGY AND INTERACTIONS					
16:00-16:30	COFFEE BREAK, VISIT EXHIBITION AND POSTER VIEWING					
16:30 - 18:30	Symposium 11 DNA SEQUENCES AS TYPE EQUIVALENT - WHERE TO NEXT?	Symposium 8 FUNGAL DISEASE OUTBREAKS	Symposium 9 FUNGAL INTERACTIONS IN THE PHYLLOSHERE: FROM MOLECULES TO COMMUNITIES	Symposium 10 POWDERY MILDEWS (ERYSPHACEAE) AND THEIR HOSTS: CO-EVOLUTION, SYSTEMATICS, AND GLOBAL BIODIVERSITY	Symposium 7 EXTREMOPHILIC FUNGI IN THE ERA OF GLOBAL CHANGE	Symposium 12 GENOMIC GUIDED NATURAL PRODUCT DISCOVERY
18:30-18:40	BREAK					
18:40-20:10	Workshop 13 HOW TO DESCRIBE NEW SPECIES, FROM SAMPLING TO DATA MANAGEMENT AND EVERYTHING IN BETWEEN	Workshop 6 ADVANCING FUNGAL CONSERVATION	Workshop 7 GLOBAL FUNGI: A GLOBAL DATABASE OF FUNGAL OCCURRENCE FROM HIGH-THROUGHPUT-SEQUENCING DATA	Workshop 8 STRENGTHEN THE NETWORK FOR IMPROVING THE TAXONOMY OF THE MUCOROMYCOTINA AND MORTIERELLUMYCETINA	Workshop 9 A MODERN TAXONOMY FOR THE BOLETACEAE	Workshop 10 GENOMICS OF FUNGAL SECONDARY METABOLISM: A NEED FOR COLLABORATIVE EFFORTS
18:30-21:30	BMS RECEPTION (BMS MEMBERS ONLY)					
19:30 - 21:30	IAL DINNER (MEMBERS ONLY)					

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
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Tuesday, August 13, 2024						
Time	Auditorium 1	Sydney 0.10	Cape Town 0.11	Brussels 0.4	Paris 0.5	Berlin 0.2&0.3
08:00 - 09:30 (90 min)	Workshop 11 FUNGAL GENOMICS	Workshop 12 AFRICAN MYCOLOGY	Workshop 5 MEETING ON THE COOPERATION OF MYCOLOGICAL GROUPS & SOCIETIES	Workshop 14 STUDIES IN HETEROBASIDIOMYCETES – IN MEMORIAM FRANZ OBERWINKLER	Workshop 3 COLLETOTRICHUM WORKSHOP	
09:30-09:35	BREAK TO CHANGE HALLS					
09:35 - 10:35	KEYNOTE SESSION 3: EVOLUTION, BIODIVERSITY AND SYSTEMATICS					
10:35 - 11:00	COFFEE BREAK, VISIT EXHIBITION AND POSTER VIEWING					
11:00 - 13:00	Symposia 14 NONPATHOGENIC FUNGI ALSO INVADE: WHERE, HOW AND WHAT ARE THE IMPACTS?	Symposium 13 THE AMAZING WORLD OF YEASTS: THEIR EVOLUTION, BIODIVERSITY AND BIOTECHNOLOGICAL POTENTIAL	Symposium 15 MYCOBIONICS INTERDISCIPLINARY SYMPOSIUM	Symposium 16 FUNGI IN THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT	Symposium 17 INTERFUNGAL PARASITIC RELATIONSHIPS: FROM DE BARY'S OBSERVATIONS TO FUNCTIONAL GENOMICS AND ADVANCED IMAGING	Symposium 18 SPECIES EMERGING FROM THE DARK
13:00 - 15:00	LUNCH BREAK, VISIT EXHIBITION AND POSTER VIEWING					
	14:00-14:40 Special Session THE FUTURE OF NOMENCLATURE DATABASES					
15:00 - 16:00	KEYNOTE SESSION 4: FUNGAL PATHOGENESIS AND DISEASE CONTROL					
16:00 - 16:30	COFFEE BREAK, VISIT EXHIBITION					
16:30 - 18:30	Symposium 24/Workshop 16 A: MYCOLOGICAL DATA FROM GENERATION TO MEANING	Symposium 20 ECOLOGY AND EVOLUTIONARY GENOMICS OF ENDEMIC FUNGAL PATHOGENS	Symposium 21 TROPICAL LICHENS UNVEILED: EXPLORING BIODIVERSITY WONDERS	Symposium 22 USE OF FUNGI IN SUSTAINABILITY	Symposium 23 IMPACT OF BACTERIAL-FUNGAL INTERACTIONS ON FUNGAL TRAITS	Symposium 19 MARINE FUNGI AND OOMYCETES - NEGLECTED PATHOGENS OF GLOBAL IMPORTANCE
18:30-18:40	SHORT BREAK					
18:40-20:30	Symposium 24/Workshop 16 B: DATA IN MYCOLOGY WORKSHOP	Workshop 15 ADVANCES IN FUSARIUM: LIFESTYLE, EVOLUTION, AND BIOLOGY OF AN IMPACTFUL GENUS		TOPICS IN MYCOLOGY ORAL PRESENTATIONS SESSION		
20:40						
18:30 - 20:30	MSA NETWORKING EVENT (MIXER) (MEMBERS ONLY) 					

Wednesday, August 14, 2024						
Time	Auditorium 1	Sydney 0.10	Cape Town 0.11	Brussels 0.4	Paris 0.5	Berlin 0.2&0.3
08:00 - 09:00			Special Session CLOSED MEMBER AND BOARD MEETING, INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION ON THE TAXONOMY OF FUNGI (ICTF)			
09:00-09:05	BREAK TO CHANGE HALLS					
09:05 - 10:05	KEYNOTE SESSION 5: GENOMICS, GENETICS AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY					
10:05 - 10:30	COFFEE BREAK, VISIT EXHIBITION AND POSTER VIEWING					
10:30 - 12:30	Symposium 30 GENOMES, EVOLUTION AND CLASSIFICATION	Symposium 26 EFFECTS OF CHANGING CLIMATE ON FUNGAL DISEASES	Symposium 27 MYCOCHEMISTRY: THE GOOD AND THE BAD AMONG FUNGAL METABOLITES	Symposium 28 FUNGAL RESOURCES OF TROPICAL AFRICA: DIVERSITY, USES AND CONSERVATION	Symposium 29 FUNGI AND FOODS – DOMESTICATION AND APPLICATIONS	Symposium 35 THE FUNGAL CELL WALL: BARRIER, SHIELD, FLAG AND TARGET
12:30 - 14:30	LUNCH BREAK, VISIT EXHIBITION AND POSTER VIEWING					
	13:30:14:30 Special session AUTHOR WORKSHOP BY ELSEVIER					
14:30 - 15:30	KEYNOTE SESSION 6: APPLIED MYCOLOGY					
15:30 - 16:00	COFFEE BREAK, VISIT EXHIBITION AND POSTER VIEWING					
16:00 - 18:00	Symposium 31 FUNGI TRANSGRESSING THEIR NICHES	Symposium 32 FUNGAL DIVERSITY AND RELEVANCE OF CANKER AND DIEBACK PATHOGENS OF FRUIT TREES AND GRAPEVINES	Symposium 33 ECOLOGY AND EVOLUTION OF FUNGAL-PHOTOAUTOTROPH INTERACTIONS	Symposium 34 FUNGI IN EXTREME ENVIRONMENTS- ARCTIC-ARCTIC-SPACE	Symposium 25 POST-HARVEST FOOD SPOilage – PRESERVATIVE RESISTANCE, NEW PROCESSING TECHNIQUES AND HYGIENE	Symposium 36 CULTURE COLLECTIONS HOLDINGS AS TOOLS TO FACE SOCIETAL CHALLENGES
19:00-00:00	CONFERENCE DINNER - A NIGHT IN THE MUSEUM - BONNEFANTEN MUSEUM IN CONNECTION WITH IPANEMA ON THE MAAS 					

Thursday, August 15, 2024						
Time	Auditorium 1	Sydney 0.10	Cape Town 0.11	Brussels 0.4	Paris 0.5	Berlin 0.2&0.3
08:00 - 09:00				Special session OPEN TO ALL: DISCUSSION AND REPORT ON ACTIVITIES OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION ON THE TAXONOMY OF FUNGI		
09:00-09:05	BREAK TO CHANGE HALLS					
09:05 - 10:05	KEYNOTE SESSION 7: NOMENCLATURE					
10:05 - 10:30	COFFEE BREAK, VISIT EXHIBITION AND POSTER VIEWING					
10:30 - 12:30	Symposium 45 LUDMILA MARVANOVÁ 1931-2024 - AQUATIC HYPHOMYCETES	Symposium 38 ANAEROBIC FUNGI: GENOMICS, ECOLOGY AND BIOTECHNOLOGICAL POTENTIAL	Symposium 42 NOMENCLATURE A	Symposium 40 MYCOVIRUSES UNMASKED: BRIDGING EVOLUTION, INTERACTIONS, AND ECOLOGY	Symposium 41 SEX AND DRUGS: THE EVOLUTIONARY THREADS THAT CONNECT NOVEL METABOLITES WITH ASEYUAL AND SEXUAL MORPHS IN ZOMBIE FUNGI	Symposium 39 COMMUNITY ECOLOGY OF FUNGI AND OF FUNGI AND BACTERIA
12:30 - 14:30	LUNCH BREAK, VISIT EXHIBITION AND POSTER VIEWING					
12:45-13:45	FORMAL VOTE ON DNA AS TYPE PROPOSALS					
13:45-14:30						
14:30 - 16:30	Symposium 43 GLOBAL CHANGE AND MYCORRHIZAL FUNGI	Symposium 44 TRENDING TOPICS IN ANIMAL FUNGAL INFECTION	Symposium 48 NOMENCLATURE B	Symposium 46 ENDEMIC MYCOSES: WHAT IS NEW IN EPIDEMIOLOGY AND DIAGNOSIS	Symposium 47 THE SILENT MENACE: EXPLORING MYCOTOXINS AS A GLOBAL ONE HEALTH CONCERN	Symposium 37 LINKING FUNGAL AND PLANT ECOLOGY TO UNDERSTAND THE BIODIVERSITY- ECOSYSTEM FUNCTIONING RELATIONSHIP
16:30 - 17:00	COFFEE BREAK, VISIT EXHIBITION					
17:00 - 18:30	General Assembly and Closing					

Friday, August 16, 2024	
Time	Field trip 
08:30 - 19:30	Lichens Excursion

Saturday, August 17, 2024	
Time	Field trip 
09:00 - 19:00	Mushroom Excursion