

First International Conference on Fungal Conservation in the Middle East and Northern Africa

Ismailia – Egypt

(October 18-20, 2016)

The 1st International Conference on Fungal Conservation in the Middle East and Northern Africa will be held by the [Arab Society for Fungal Conservation](#) (ASCF) with [Suez Canal University](#) (SCU) at Ismailia from Tuesday 18 to Thursday 20 October 2016.

Contributions are welcome on any aspect of fungal conservation (micro and macrofungi) and fungal relationships with other organisms, including focused empirical, theoretical, and related fields including Bioprospecting, clean up the environment, history of science, and World Heritage.

The participation of early career scholars and postgraduate research researchers is positively encouraged.

Conference chairman is [Prof. Moustafa Fouda](#) (Minister Advisor on Biodiversity, Nature Conservation Sector, Egyptian Environmental Affairs Agency, Cabinet of Ministers). In order to help plan the ICFC-2016 and ensure the involvement and participation of the world-wide scientific community, several committees have been set up. A [Scientific Committee](#), chaired by [Dr. Ahmed Abdel-Azeem](#) (University of Suez Canal) has been established, and an Organizing Committee, supported by sponsors, is overseeing the running of the Conference.

A Call for Papers and Sessions already issued in 10th of January 2016. The deadline for receipt of proposals will be **30th June 2016**. A draft program will be published in August 2016.

[Plenary speakers](#) will include Dr. David Minter (President of the [European Mycological Association](#), UK.), Paul Kirk (Royal Botanic Gardens, UK.), Prof. Jean Mouchacca (Natural History Museum, France), Prof. Gerhard Kost (Philipps University of Marburg, Germany), Prof. Birgit Piechulla (Institute of Biological Sciences, Germany), Prof. Michael Weiss (Steinbeis Innovation Center, Germany), Dr. Claus Bassler (Technical University of Munech, Germany), Prof. Azza AlMusallam (Kuwait University, Kuwait), Prof. Raghavan Charudattan (University of Florida, USA), Prof. Shaker A. Mousa (Pharmaceutical Research Institute, USA), Prof. Youn Se Lee (Kangwon National University, South Korea) and Dr. Vijai Kumar Gupta (National University of Ireland Galway) <http://fungiofegypt.com/Conference/speakers.html>.

There will be several events such as the technical paper contest, speakers, seminars, workshops, and social networking events. We are working hard to make this conference an event that everyone will enjoy and remember.

The First International Conference on Fungal Conservation in the Middle East and Northern Africa (ICFC-2016)

October 18-20, 2016, Suez Canal University, Ismailia, Egypt

fungiofegypt.com

Conference News	Please check the updated conference's news on (fungiofegypt.com)			
Paper Submission	Download the Paper Format: Full Paper Template.doc Online Submission Form: Submission Form Please send us your paper(s) via email: conference@fungiofegypt.com	Submission due date: June 30, 2016		
Topics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Topic 1: Transcriptomic & Proteomic Approach in Microbial Biology • Topic 2: Animal Microbial Interactions • Topic 3: Clean up the Environment • Topic 4: Conservation and Bioprospecting • Topic 5: Conservation and Education • Topic 6: Conservation legislation • Topic 7: Human Microbial Interactions • Topic 8: Industrial Applications • Topic 9: Microbes and World Heritage • Topic 10: Microbial Biofuels • Topic 11: Microbial Nanoparticles • Topic 12: Microbial Natural Products Consortium • Topic 13: Plant Microbial Interactions • Topic 14: Promoting Conservation Through Art • Topic 15: Threats to Fungi <p>See more: Conference Objectives</p>			
Contact us	Email: conference@fungiofegypt.com Tel: 002 01006344462			
Registration fees	For Egyptians		ASFC-Members	Non Members
	Undergraduate Students	100 EGP	150 EGP	150 EGP
	Audience	150 EGP	200 EGP	200 EGP
	With Abstract	350 EGP	400 EGP	400 EGP
	With Manuscript	650 EGP	700 EGP	700 EGP
	For Non-Egyptians		ASFC-Members	Non Members
	Audience	150 USD	200 USD	200 USD
	With Abstract	200 USD	250 USD	250 USD
	With Manuscript	350 USD	450 USD	450 USD
	Late registration after June 30, 2016 will cost the participants additional fees as 100 L.E for Egyptians and 100 \$ for Non-Egyptians			

There are several important issues and dates that we would like to bring to your attention: *Registration fees, Paper Submission, Poster and Oral Presentation, Attendance and Accommodation.* Please visit conference website; <http://fungiofegypt.com/Conference/>.

Please bear in mind that dead line for early bird registration is **30th of June 2016.**

Sincerely,
ICFC Organizing Committee

