



9th International Triticale Symposium May 23-27, 2016. Szeged, Hungary

The Organizers – the Cereal Research Ltd., Szeged, the International Triticale Association, the Eucarpia Cereal Section, the Hungarian Plant Breeders Association – welcome all participants to Szeged, Hungary in May 23-27, 2016.

We are coming together for this event from many parts of the world, but there is one thing in common for sure: triticale is our largely favored species and all have confidence in the future of this young and valuable crop. Circa 25 years ago, when triticale production commercially started, we did not believe that triticale would reach the four million hectares of by today. It is interesting to learn that triticale became a typical European crop – more than 85% of the world production is produced by European farmers. We consider that triticale has a great future in other continents too, especially for marginal soils, and in low input production systems.

Established in 1924, the Cereal Research Non-Profit Ltd. Szeged, Hungary – the Venue – is one of the leading institutions of the Hungarian Agricultural Ministry. Research work focus on variety development and seed production of small grain cereals, corn, and oil crops and hereby triticale breeding is one of the key research-area.

Hungary is a leading country in triticale research and production. It is fifty years now that Arpad Kiss, a pioneer researcher in triticale developed the first varieties registered in the world. Kiss was born hundred years ago in 1916, thus we dedicate this Symposium to his memory and to the other pioneers of triticale development.

After the indoor scientific discussions, on the last day, we will participate on an exciting Field Tour and social excursions. We would like to encourage you to attend this Symposium as a scientific contributor and/or as a sponsor. We are sure that you will enjoy the Hungarian hospitality and wish you an interesting, professional and agreeable personal time during the Symposium.

Dr. Lajos Bona
Chair, Organizing Committee

Dr. Geert Haesaert
President, Int. Triticale Association

INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

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REGISTRATION

Registration fee includes admission to all sessions, dinners and receptions, cultural events, symposium lunches, coffees and refreshments in the breaks, Excursion of Friday (both morning and afternoon programs), and abstract book with Symposium bag.

Registration Fees	Euro
Normal Registration	440
Members of Eucarpia and/or Assoc. Hungarian Plant Breeders	360
Late registration (both members and non-members) after April 11, 2016	500
Accompanying persons*	240

* Registration fee for Accompanying persons includes dinners and receptions, cultural events, guided city-tours with museum tickets, Excursion of Friday (both morning and afternoon programs), and Symposium bag.

Registration along with the abstract submission is required for all conference participants until April 10, 2016. After this day, any registration is considered as a late one. It is recommended to make the registration online. Confirmation will be sent to all participants by the organizers.

INVITATION LETTER

The Secretariat is pleased to send official invitation letter upon request, if the applicant proves to be a researcher or other professional on the related field. It is understood that such an invitation may intended to help potential attendees raise funds or obtain visas. It is not any commitment from the side of the Organizers to provide any financial support.

SPONSORING

Calling for sponsors is now open. Private and public companies, NGO-s, other companies, government agencies and international bodies are invited to become sponsors for the International Triticale Symposium. Sponsorship is excellent way to expose you as a leading superior in your area in research, industry, marketing, machinery, social area and other related fields. Please contact the Symposium Secretary.

We look forward to seeing you in Hungary, 2016. May!

SYMPOSIUM SECRETARIAT

Postal address (also, where to demo-seed lots should be sent)

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IMPORTANT DATES

Start registration	November 1, 2015
Closing normal registration and abstract submission deadline	April 10, 2016
Presentation notification	April 30, 2016
Late registration	April 11, 2016 and after
Arrival to Szeged	May 23, 2016
Symposium presentations	May 24-27, 2016

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

	Morning	Afternoon	Evening
May 23 Monday, 2016			Welcome Reception Hanging Posters
May 24, 2016	Plenary	Session	Goulash Party
May 25, 2016	Session	Session	Cultural Event
May 26, 2016	Session	Session	Symposium Dinner
May 27, Friday 2016	Field Tour	Social Tour	Closing Dinner
Poster sessions during and after lunch time in each session-days.			

ABSTRACTS AND PAPERS

You are kindly invited to offer paper for oral or poster presentation. Please register, and after registration send your abstract via internet till April 10, 2015. You are allowed to register as a Participant after April 10 as late registration but in that case you are not eligible sending any abstracts. Language: English. Text one page strictly, in doc, or docx file, Times New Roman font type, 12 pts font size, single line spacing.

THE MAIN TOPICS OF THE SYMPOSIUM ARE THE FOLLOWING:

- I. Genetics, biotechnology and breeding
- II. Crop management and agronomy research
- III. Physiology, abiotic- and biotic stresses
- IV. Utilization of triticale – food and feed aspects
- V. Economy, marketing, and social aspects

The International Scientific Committee will select the oral contributions and posters, based on the submitted abstracts. Authors will be informed not later than April 30, 2016. A book of abstracts including (both oral and poster presentations) will be available to the participants at the beginning of the conference in the meeting material.

PUBLICATION

Selected presentations are eligible for publication in the Cereal Research Communication (IF 0.607 for 2014). By paying 1 registration fee, one author is eligible to submit maximum one oral and one poster paper.

ARRIVAL

It is suggested to arrive to Szeged by the afternoon or evening and participate at the Welcome party at the Venue on Monday night. From Budapest Airport, there is a good bus-to-train and a very convenient train service to Szeged, trains depart hourly from Liszt Ferenc Airport to Szeged. The price of the train-ticket is 4500 Hungarian Forint that is circa 15 Euros. It is desirable to buy the return ticket too which means double amount. Arriving to Szeged, you may choose the local train/bus service to reach the hotel you stay. You may however, choose a taxi cab at the Szeged Railway Station to reach your Hotel.

HOTEL BOOKING

Hotels listed below are the recommended conference hotels and they offer 2015 price for Triticale Symposium Participants. Accommodation can be booked directly by contacting your selected hotel via internet/email.

cca. 20 minutes' walk from Venue:

Hunguest Hotel Forrás****SUPERIOR

6726 Szeged, Szent-Györgyi Albert str. 16-24.

Booking code: Triticale Symposium

e-mail: hotelforras@hunguesthotels.com

website: http://www.hunguesthotels.hu/en/hotel/szeged/hunguest_hotel_forras/

Tisza Sport Hotel

6725 Szeged, Szent-Györgyi A. str. 42.

e-mail: sporthotel@tizsahotel.hu

website: <http://www.tizasporthotel.hu/?lang=en>

Aquarius GuestHouse

website: <http://en.aquariusvendeghaz.hu/>

cca. 15-20 minutes' walk from the Venue:

Tisza Hotel

website: <http://www.tizsahotel.hu/?lang=en>

Dóm Hotel**** Szeged

website: <http://www.domhotelszeged.info/eng/>

Mozart Hotel****

website: <http://www.mozarthotel.hu/en>

