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9<sup>th</sup> International Agriculture Symposium

**"AGROSYM 2018"** 

That will be held on Jahorina mountain (near Sarajevo), October 4-7, 2018

























## About International Agriculture Symposium "AGROSYM"

AGROSYM is, since nine years, an annual platform for international scientific discussion on agriculture, food, rural development, environment and forestry. AGROSYM represents a good opportunity to exchange ideas, to strengthen existing and to create new academic networks, and to foster dialogue between the academia, public institutions, the private sector and civil society organizations on the recent global and regional trends in the agro-food sector. Multidisciplinary results reported during AGROSYM will contribute to the dissemination of knowledge and good practices to all actors of the agrofood chain (e.g. farmers, extension agents, researchers, policy makers) as well as the general public about the importance of agriculture and food science, one of the most important strategic areas of many national research strategies.

The 8<sup>th</sup> edition of the International Agriculture Symposium "AGROSYM 2017" made an important contribution to the agriculture practice in different areas. During the four-day Symposium (5-8 October, 2017), over 1300 contributions were presented to more than 1200 participants representing 85 world countries (list of participants' countries available here).

## AGROSYM 2018 will deal with the following thematic areas:

- Plant production
- Plant protection and food safety
- Organic agriculture
- 4 Environment protection and natural resources management
- 5 Animal husbandry
- 6 Rural development and agro-economy
- **7** Forestry and agro-forestry

# Official Symposium language:

The official Symposium language will be English.

# **Important dates:**

Registration and abstracts submission 20 April 2018 Notification of abstracts acceptance 30 April 2018 Submission of full papers 10 June 2018 Notification of papers acceptance 10 July 2018 Detailed programme

10 September 2018 AGROSYM 2018 4-7 October 2018

## **Symposium venue:**

Symposium will be held in hotel Termag\*\*\*\* on Jahorina mountain, near Sarajevo.

### **Accommodation:**

AGROSYM participants are advised to book their accommodation only in hotels listed on AGROSYM website (link) as free transfer service and special price rates are provided for Symposium participants.

## **Registration fee:**

Registration fee	Before 30 <sup>th</sup> June 2018	After 30 <sup>th</sup> June 2018
Regular	90 Euro	100 Euro
Student*	60 Euro	70 Euro
Accompanying person	60 Euro	70 Euro

<sup>\*</sup>Students must provide a photocopy of valid student card or equivalent document by e-mail.

# The registration fee includes:

- Full access to all Symposium sessions

- Access to exhibition of local handicrafts and traditional and typical products
- Excursion during Symposium (Andrictown and tourist attractions nearby)
- Shuttle service Sarajevo International airport hotel Sarajevo International airport

Payment instructions are available on the official Symposium website link.

\*Registration fee does not include post-conference excursion to Sarajevo Old Town. The price for this excursion is 20 euro per person.

#### Other information:

The other relevant information (e.g. honorary, scientific and organizing committees, practical information, instructions for writing abstracts and full papers, photo gallery, AGROSYM archive, how to reach Symposium venue from different directions, etc.) is provided on the official Symposium website.

#### **Preliminary programme:**

October 4 <sup>th</sup> 2018	October 5 <sup>th</sup> 2018	October 6 <sup>th</sup> 2018	October 7 <sup>th</sup> 2018
<ul> <li>☆ Registration</li> <li>☆ Opening ceremony</li> <li>☆ Welcome cocktail</li> <li>☆ Plenary lectures</li> <li>☆ Evening dinner party</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>☆ Registration</li> <li>☆ Working session</li> <li>☆ Mountain cable car</li> <li>☆ Lunch break</li> <li>☆ Working session</li> <li>☆ Gala dinner</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>☼ Excursion</li> <li>☆ Dinner</li> <li>☆ Entertainment evening</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>☆ Working session</li> <li>☆ Final discussion and conclusions</li> <li>☆ Lunch</li> <li>∻ Departure</li> <li>☆ Post - conference excursion</li> </ul>

Excursion (Andrictown and tourist attractions nearby) details are available at: link

#### **Contact:**

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### **Instructions for writing abstracts** are available at: <u>link</u>

The length of the abstract should not exceed 250 words.

Abstracts should be submitted online at: <u>link</u> Deadline for abstract submission is <u>20 April, 2018.</u>

## Instructions for writing full papers are available at: <u>link</u>

Papers should be written in English. Full papers should not exceed max. 6 pages.

Full papers should be submitted to the following e-mail address: agrosym2018@gmail.com

Positively reviewed papers will be published in the Proceedings of the Symposium, if participation fee is paid. Deadline for full paper submission is <u>10 June</u>, <u>2018</u>.

### Indexing and archiving of "AGROSYM" Proceedings in CABI database:

The proceedings of AGROSYM are indexed and archived, (among others) in the CAB abstracts and CABI Full-Text Repository (<a href="www.cabi.org">www.cabi.org</a>); the world's leading database in agriculture, animal and plant sciences, natural resources and rural economics.

### Selected papers will be published (free of charge) in:

- ☐ AGROFOR International Journal (www.agrofor.rs.ba) Vol. 3/3, ISSN 2490-3434 (Printed); ISSN 2490-3442 (Online) in November 2018
- ☐ <u>International Journal "Agriculture and Forestry"</u> (<u>www.agricultforest.ac.me</u>) Vol. 64/4 ISSN (Printed): 0554-5579, (Online): 1800-9492 in December 2018
- □ EcoPersia (ecopersia.modares.ac.ir) Vol 6/4 ISSN 2322-2700 (Printed); ISSN 2538-2152 (Online)
- □ and other selected journals.

#### **Excellent paper awards**

The Scientific Committee of AGROSYM 2018 will provide the Award of Excellent Paper for oral presentations and Award of Excellent Poster for poster presentations.

**Sponsorship:** Rates for presentation of companies, organizations and institutions available at: <u>link</u>