

# 113° Congresso della Società Botanica Italiana onlus

## V INTERNATIONAL PLANT SCIENCE CONFERENCE (IPSC)

Fisciano (SA), University Campus, 12 - 15 September 2018

### Programme

#### Wednesday 12 September 2018

9:00-12:00	Registration and poster installation
12:00-13:00	Welcome lunch
13:30-14:00	Opening ceremony

#### Symposium 1

##### NEW FRONTIERS IN PLANT DEVELOPMENT AND ADAPTATION TO ADVERSE ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS (Chairpersons: M.M. Altamura and S. Castiglione)

**Key words:** plant development, stress responses, plant hormones, genome editing, biotechnology

- 14:00-14:30 • **Bettina Hause**, Martin-Luther-Universität Halle-Wittenberg, Germany (30 + 5 min)  
“The plant hormone jasmonic acid - functions in flower development of tomato”

#### 14:30-15:30 Communications

- **Camilla Betti**, Gustavo Gudesblat, Eugenia Russinova (12 + 3 min)  
“Brassinosteroid regulation of stomata development via BIN2-SPCH interaction”
- **Alfredo Ambrosone**, Antonello Costa, Stefania Grillo, Antonietta Leone (12 + 3 min)  
“Survive or grow: plant acclimation versus shock response to osmo-stress”
- **Chiara Mizzotti**, Carolina Cozzi, Sara Forlani, Simona Masiero (12 + 3 min)  
“A Fruitalk”
- **Enrico Cortese**, Roberto Moscatiello, Luca Carraretto, Marisa Brini, Lorella Navazio, (12 + 3 min)  
“Measurements of calcium dynamics in the plant endoplasmic reticulum: an aequorin-based approach”

#### 15:30-16:00 Coffee break

- 16:00-16:30 • **Jochen Kumlehn**, Leibniz Institute of Plant Genetics and Crop Plant Research (IPK), Gatersleben, Germany (30 + 5 min)  
“Site-directed genome modification in cereals using RNA-guided Cas endonucleases”

#### 16:30-18:00 Communications

- **Martina Cerri**, Francesco Ferranti, Andrea Coppi, Bruno Foggi, Daniela Gigante, Lorenzo Lastrucci, Andrea Onofri, Roberto Venanzoni, Daniele Viciani, Lara Reale (12 + 3 min)  
“Influence of die-back syndrome on reproductive strategies within *Phragmites australis* populations”
- **Maria Cristina Sorrentino**, Fiore Capozzi, Alessia Matzutzi, Simonetta Giordano, Valeria Spagnuolo (12 + 3 min)  
“Evaluation of morpho-physiological responses in three cultivars of *Cynara cardunculus* under metal stress: counting of stomata, leaf ultrastructure and protein content”
- **Gennaro Carotenuto**, Veronica Volpe, Giulia Russo, Janice de Almeida Engler, Andrea Genre (12 + 3 min)  
“Investigating the role of endoreduplication in arbuscular mycorrhizas”
- **Vincenzo D'Amelia**, Riccardo Aversano, Ingo Appelhagen, Cathie Martin, Domenico Carputo (12 + 3 min)  
“New genetic and metabolic insights into *Solanum commersonii* adaptation to environmental stress conditions”
- **Andrea Fasolo**, Alessandra Tondello, Stefania Marcato, Tiziano Bonato, Werner Zanardi, Elisabetta Barizza, Michela Zottini, Giuseppe Concheri, Andrea Squartini, Barbara Baldan (12 + 3 min)  
“Compost, micro-organisms and plants: stimulating a natural dialogue for sustainable future”
- **Matteo Chialva**, Stefania Stelluti, Mara Novero, Paola Bonfante, Luisa Lanfranco (12 + 3 min)  
“Tomato wild relatives and their responsiveness to arbuscular mycorrhizal symbiosis”

#### 18:00-19:30 Poster session and Working Group meetings

Thursday 13 September 2018

## Symposium 2

### SECONDARY METABOLITES IN PLANT-ORGANISM INTERACTIONS (Chairpersons: S. Piacente and A. Bisio)

<b>Key words:</b>	secondary metabolites, plant-organism interactions, phytochemistry
9:00-9:30	• <b>John Pickett</b> , Cardiff University, United Kingdom (30 + 5 min) “Plant-insect signalling regulates secondary metabolites for defence”
9:30-11:00	<b>Communications</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Daniela Russo</b>, Hanene Chercar, Massimiliano D'Ambola, Luigi Milella, Zahia Kabouche, Nunziatina De Tommasi (12 + 3 min) “Antioxidant activity and chemical composition of <i>Phagnalon sordidum</i> L.”</li><li>• <b>Fabio Scuibba</b>, Alberta Tomassini, Maria Enrica Di Cocco, Giorgio Giorgi, Walter Aureli, Gabriella Pasqua, Alfredo Miccheli (12 + 3 min) “Maturation of purple and orange carrot roots assessed by Nuclear Magnetic Resonance”</li><li>• <b>Carmen Formisano</b>, Daniela Rigano, Annalisa Lopatriello, Carmina Sirignano, Lolita Arnoldi, Nicola Sardone, Orazio Taglialatela-Scafati (12 + 3 min) “NMR-based phytochemical analysis of bergamot (<i>Citrus bergamia</i> Risso) juice”</li><li>• <b>Giulia Potente</b>, Roberto Mandrioli, Stefano Tartarini, Stefano Lugli, Michela Freschi, Cristina Angeloni, Silvana Hrelia, Fabiana Antognoni (12 + 3 min) “A two-year evaluation of bioactive compound profiles of new “UNIBO” sweet cherry (<i>Prunus avium</i> L.) cultivars”</li><li>• <b>Stefano Acquadro</b>, Silvia Appleton, Arianna Marengo, Carlo Bicchi, Barbara Sgorbini, Francesco Gai, Pier Giorgio Peiretti, Cecilia Cagliero, Patrizia Rubiolo (12 + 3 min) “Characterization of the phenolic content of leaves and green pruning residues of 16 cultivars of <i>Vitis vinifera</i> L.”</li><li>• <b>D'Ambola Massimiliano</b>, Lorenzo Fiengo, Nunziatina De Tommasi, Fabrizio Dal Piaz, Ziad Omran, Majed Halawani, Ammar Bader (12 + 3 min) “Phytochemical study of <i>Calotropis Procera</i> (Ait.) R.Br. leaves, fruits, stems and latex extracts and evaluation of their cytotoxic activity”</li></ul>
11:00-11:30	Coffee break
11:30-12:00	• <b>Leandros Skaltsounis</b> , National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Greece (30 + 5 min) “Olive bioactive compounds: Chemistry and Biology”
12:00-13:00	<b>Communications</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Marinella De Leo</b>, Fabiano Camangi, Beatrice Muscatello, Anna Maria Iannuzzi, Chiara Giacomelli, Filippo Graziani, Maria Letizia Trincavelli, Claudia Martini, Alessandra Braca (12 + 3 min) “Phytochemical analysis and antisenescence activity of <i>Sorbus torminalis</i> (L.) Crantz and <i>Elaeagnus umbellata</i> Thunb fruits”</li><li>• <b>Natalizia Miceli</b>, Emilia Cavò, Salvatore Ragusa, Paola Dugo, Francesco Cacciola, Maria Fernanda Taviano (12 + 3 min) “Phenolic profile, antioxidant properties and brine shrimp toxicity of a hydroalcoholic extract obtained from the aerial parts of <i>Matthiola incana</i> (L.) R. Br. (Brassicaceae)”</li><li>• <b>Massimo Tacchini, Karina Yanza</b>, Alessandra Guerrini, Alessandro Grandini, Gianni Sacchetti, Matteo Chiurato, Diego Vinuela (12 + 3 min) “Leaves and flowers of <i>Oreocallis grandiflora</i> (Lam.) R.Br. from Ecuador: a new herbal remedy?”</li><li>• <b>Milena Masullo</b>, Hamzeh Hossaini, Antonietta Cerulli, Stefania Martuccielo, Mahdi Ayyari, Sonia Piacente (12 + 3 min) “Antiproliferative cardenolides from the aerial parts of <i>Pergularia tomentosa</i>”</li></ul>
13:00-14:00	Lunch

### Parallel Workshop Scieux

13:00-13:30	• <b>Mariateresa Maldini</b> “Metabolomic profiling of anti-inflammatory coffee pulp by-products by using High Resolution Mass Spectrometry”
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### Symposium 3

#### PLANT LIFE IN EXTREME ENVIRONMENTS: A CHALLENGE FOR ECOLOGICAL RESEARCH

(Chairpersons: C. Wellstein and S. Martellos)

**Key words:** plant-habitat interactions, species interactions, community assembly, environmental stress

- 14:00-14:30 • **José María Fernández-Palacios**, University of La Laguna, Tenerife, Spain (30+5 min)  
“Oceanic island summits, an extreme insular environment”

14:30-16:00 **Communications**

- **Giovanna Aronne**, Luigi G. Izzo, Veronica De Micco (12 + 3 min)  
“Plant growth in space: struggling with environmental factors and physical constraints”
- **Silvia Ongaro**, Lorenzo Morosini, Stefano Martellos, Mauro Tretiach (12 + 3 min)  
“Preliminary climatic distribution model for *Pterygiopsis affinis* as a means for field survey planning”
- **Martina Pollastrini**, Filippo Bussotti, Giovanni Iacopetti, Nicola Puletti, Walter Mattioli, Federico Selvi (12 + 3 min)  
“Extreme drought and heat wave effects on Tuscan forests: forest dieback and tree mortality in summer 2017”
- **Veronica De Micco**, Chiara Amitrano, Ermenegilda Vitale, Giovanna Aronne, Carmen Arena (12 + 3 min)  
“Morpho-functional plant traits conferring radioresistance: living in extreme conditions by transforming constraints in opportunities”
- **Mauro Mariotti**, Sara Romeo, Enrica Roccotiello (12 + 3 min)  
“Ecophysiological response in some *taxa* of the urban ecosystem of Genova”
- **Francesco Boscutti**, Enrico Braidot, Valentino Casolo, Antonio Filippi, Elisa Petruzza, Marco Zancani (12 + 3 min)  
“Plant traits and plant-plant interactions shape the effect of elevation on *Vaccinium myrtillus* communities in Alpine tundra”

16:00-16:30 Coffee break

- 16:30-17:00 • **Martin Grube**, Universität Graz, Austria (30 + 5 min)  
“Lichen symbioses as hubs of microbial complexity”

17:00-18:00 **Communications**

- **Elisabetta Bianchi**, Andrea Coppi, Ilaria Colzi, Cristina Gonnelli, Lorenzo Lazzaro, Stefano Loppi, Luca Paoli, Alessio Papini, Andrea Vannini, Renato Benesperi (12 + 3 min)  
“Adaptations to environmental stresses: the case of *Seirophora villosa* (Ach.) Frödén”
- **Juri Nascimbene**, Renato Benesperi, Elisabetta Bianchi, Gabriele Casazza, Alessandro Chiarucci, Matteo Dainese, Lorenzo Lazzaro, Paola Malaspina, Lorenzo Marini, Pier Luigi Nimis, Daniel Spitale, Paolo Giordani (12 + 3 min)  
“Unraveling how global change and habitat modification are threatening lichen diversity”
- **Angela Cicatelli**, Francesco Guarino, Berthold Heinze, Stefano Castiglione (12 + 3 min)  
“Phytoremediation capacity and rhizosphere microbiome of a black poplar in response to zinc and compost amendment”
- **Adriano Stinca**, Giuseppe D'Auria, Nunzio Fiorentino, Lucia Ottaiano, Assunta Esposito (12 + 3 min)  
“Evidence of changes in reproductive strategies in promoting the invasiveness of *Pistia stratiotes* L.”

18:00-19:00 General meeting of the Italian Botanical Society (members only)

19:00-19:45 Presentation of new botanical books

20:30-23:30 Congress social dinner

**Friday 14 September 2018**

### Symposium 4

#### EVOLUTION AND DIVERSITY IN EXTREME ENVIRONMENTS

(Chairpersons: L. Peruzzi and G. Domina)

**Key words:** adaptation, environmental drivers, evolution, floristics, phylogeny, systematics

- 9:00-9:30 • **Elvira Hörandl**, University of Göttingen, Germany (30 + 5 min)

“Plant evolution in alpine ecosystems: direct and indirect influence of cold stress”

9:30-11:00	<b>Communications</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Nicoletta Cannone</b>, Isabella Vanetti, Omar Rota-Stabelli, Peter Convey, Francesco Malfasi, Paolo Gerola, Alberto Vianelli, Mauro Guglielmin, Serena Zaccara (12 + 3 min) “Diversity trends of bryophytes in Antarctica are the result of adaptation, evolution and survival, including cryptobiosis: the case study of the phylogeny of <i>Bryum argenteum</i>”</li><li>• <b>Federico Selvi</b>, Aida Bani, Isabella Bettarini, Lorenzo Cecchi, Ilaria Colzi, Andrea Coppi, Guillaume Echevarria, Cristina Gonnelli (12 + 3 min) “Diversity, evolution and nickel accumulation in a critical group of metallophytes from a major serpentine hotspot: the genus <i>Odontarrhena</i> (Brassicaceae) in Albania”</li><li>• <b>Grazia Cecchi</b>, Simone Di Piazza, Giuseppe Greco, Ester Rosa, Mauro Mariotti, Mirca Zotti i (12 + 3 min) “Mycological characterization of extreme environments and substrates as first step for sustainable remediation technologies”</li><li>• <b>Emanuele Fanfarillo</b>, Giulio Ferrante, Giovanna Abbate (12 + 3 min) “Shifts of maize crop weed flora over 50 years: a case study in central Italy”</li><li>• <b>Salvatore Tomasello</b>, Kevin Karbstein, Ladislav Hodac, Mareike Daubert, Claudia Pätzold, Elvira Hörandl (12 + 3 min) “Diversity and species concept in the polyploid apomictic <i>Ranunculus auricomus</i>”</li><li>• <b>Marco D'Antraccoli</b>, Giovanni Bacaro, Enrico Tordini, Gianni Bedini, Lorenzo Peruzzi (12 + 3 min) “More species, less effort: designing and comparing sampling strategies to draft optimised floristic inventories”</li></ul>
11:00-11:30	Coffee break
11:30-12:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Silvia Matesanz</b>, King Juan Carlos University, Spain (30+5 min) “Evolutionary ecology of gypsum specialists: insights into climate change responses”</li></ul>
12:00-13:00	<b>Communications</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Giannantonio Domina</b>, Sami Ben Haj, Ridha El Mokni (12 + 3 min) “The florula of hypersaline habitats in the central Mediterranean and its biological traits”</li><li>• <b>Stefano Vitti</b>, Francesco Boscutti, Elisa Pellegrini, Valentino Casolo (12 + 3 min) “Study of plant traits, soil features and plant invasion in sandy beach of Grado and Marano lagoon (Northern Adriatic Sea)”</li><li>• <b>Lorenzo Lazzaro</b>, Daniele Ciampi, Ilaria Colzi, Cristina Gonnelli, Lorenzo Lastrucci, Daniele Viciani, Andrea Coppi (12 + 3 min) “An integrated analysis of functional and genetic diversity in depicting the adaptive strategies of plants. The case study of <i>Silene paradoxa</i> L.”</li><li>• <b>Piero Zannini</b>, Salvatore Pasta, Riccardo Guarino, Alessandro Chiarucci (12 + 3 min) “The Aeolian archipelago as a model system for Island Biogeography Theory in the Mediterranean”</li></ul>
13:00-13:30	Congress closure
13:30-14:30	Lunch

**Post-congress event at the University Campus of Fisciano**

15:00-16:30      Workshop on the Coordinamento della Rete Italiana dei Musei Botanici (CORIMBO) project

**Saturday 15 September 2018**

8:00-15:00      Post-conference excursion to the WWF protected area “Oasi di Morigerati” at the Cilento, Vallo di Diano e Alburni National Park