

Conference announcement and call for papers

We cordially invite you to participate in the

XVth Meeting of the EUCARPIA Section Biometrics in Plant Breeding

The meeting will take place on 5-7 September 2012 in Hohenheim, Germany. Registration is now open at

<https://eucarpia-biometrics-2012.uni-hohenheim.de/87528>

The online registration will close on June 3. The registration fee is 300 € for Eucarpia members and 330 € for non-members.

Papers and posters should address any of the following five topics selected by the scientific committee:

1. Genomic and marker assisted selection
2. Implementation of breeding strategies in public and private sector programs
3. Analysis and use of high throughput data in plant breeding (omics, NGS, and phenotyping platforms)
4. Phenotypic data: Experimental design and analysis for single and multiple experiments
5. Various

Submissions of abstracts for oral presentations and posters can be sent via e-mail to ari340@uni-hohenheim.de. Submission deadline is May 31, 2012.

We have eight invited speakers:

1. Rex Bernardo (University of Minnesota, St. Paul, USA)
2. Scott Chapman (CSIRO, St Lucia, Australia)
3. Daniel Gianola (University of Wisconsin, Madison, USA)
4. Evert Gutteling (Rijk Zwaan, The Netherlands)
5. Theo Meuwissen (Norwegian University of Life Sciences, Aas, Norway)
6. Mikko Sillanpää (University of Helsinki, Finland)
7. Oliver Stegle (Max-Planck-Institut, Tübingen, Germany)
8. Emlyn Williams (Australian National University, Canberra, Australia)

For further details please visit the conference webpage at

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