



15th DKMT Conference on Environment and Health

16-17 May 2013

Faculty of Technology Novi Sad, Serbia

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS AND REGISTRATION

Dear Colleagues,

It is a great pleasure to invite you to participate in the **15th Danube-Kris-Mures-Tisa (DKMT) Euroregion Conference on Environment and Health** that will be held this year in beautiful city of Novi Sad, Serbia, on 16th and 17th of May. These traditional gatherings within the DKMT Euroregion proved to be a very successful way for scientists and researchers to exchange their ideas about the influence environment has on food and health, as well as to present results of their research to interested audience. The intention of this year's Conference will be also to rise the awareness of the challenges and priorities of the EU Strategy for the Danube Region to which Hungary, Romania and Serbia also belong, broadening the Conference thematic issues by incorporation of four vertical priorities of the Danube Strategy, namely environmental protection, irrigation and agricultural development, navigability, and energy production, planned to be explored during the Conference round table in order to recognize the regional capacities for the scientific support to the Strategy's priorities.

With the same goal of proving the scientific support to the Danube Strategy, the 15th DKMT Conference will be joined to the **LACREMED Conference „Sustainable agricultural production: restoration of agricultural soil quality by remediation“**, addressing the novel environmentally friendly approaches in the agricultural development in the region. LACREMED Conference represents a part of activities within the LACREMED project implemented through the IPA programme of Cross-border Cooperation between Hungary and Serbia co-financed by EU, representing another way of strengthening the research potential within the DKMT Euroregion.

Thematic areas of the Conference:

- Environmental protection
- Air pollution and scenarios of future air quality emissions
- Climate impact on air quality and health
- Novel methods to combat soil and water pollution
- Assessment of the impacts of bioenergy development on soil quality, agriculture, biodiversity and climate change
- Environmental impact on food safety
- Food quality and food safety
- Public health and the environmental (air, water, soil) quality
- Emerging issues in environmental health

- Nanomaterials in the environment, food and health
- Irrigation and agricultural development
- Navigability
- Energy production

The Conference will be held at the Faculty of Technology, University of Novi Sad, Bulevar Cara Lazara 1, Novi Sad, Serbia. Participants interested in giving an oral or a poster presentation should indicate it in the REGISTRATION FORM, and follow the INSTRUCTIONS for abstracts and manuscripts, both included on separate sheets. The final program, Book of Abstracts and the Proceedings will be handed to all registered participants.

The registration fee is 50 Euros covering the registration material and the refreshments served during the breaks. Please, pay this modest sum by bank transfer after receiving our invoice (for data required, see the PAYMENT AND INVOICING form). The registration fee for PhD students is 30 Euros and it will cover the registration material and the refreshments. The official letter of confirmation of the status of PhD students is requested and it should be printed on the paper with logo of the institution in which PhD thesis is accepted and signed by the mentor of the PhD student. Three best poster presentations of PhD students will be awarded.

The preliminary program of the Conference will be distributed after receiving the abstracts.

The organizers are looking forward to your participation and presentations, hoping that in this way all of us will promote further strengthening of regional cooperation for a better and healthier environment.

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INSTRUCTIONS

PRESENTATIONS

Please, prepare and present your material in English.

Oral presentation: Invited speakers have 20 min, and other presentations 10 min time (+ 5 min for discussion). PC projectors will be provided. Should you need extra equipment, please, contact the organizers in due time.

Poster presentation: The board size is ca. 80 (width) x 120 (height) cm (hard wood, poster mounting material will be provided).

ABSTRACTS

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Do not forget to submit the abstract NOT LATER THAN 15 APRIL 2013.

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Abstracts should be concise, on one page presented (including the title and names). The body of the text should be written single-spaced with no indentations, justified. Use standard abbreviations only. Do not include references and figures or tables into the abstract. Submit your abstract preferentially by e-mail. Use 12 pt Arial font with 2,5 cm side margins.

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Manuscripts should be sent upon the information on the abstract acceptance **NOT LATER THAN 30 APRIL 2013** to ftevents@tf.uns.ac.rs.

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The accepted manuscript will be published in the Conference proceedings with ISBN number. The following formatting should be applied:

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Abstract

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Introduction

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The registered participants with accepted abstracts, should delivered full paper in electronic form (doc.file) to ftevents@tf.uns.ac.rs until April 30, 2013.

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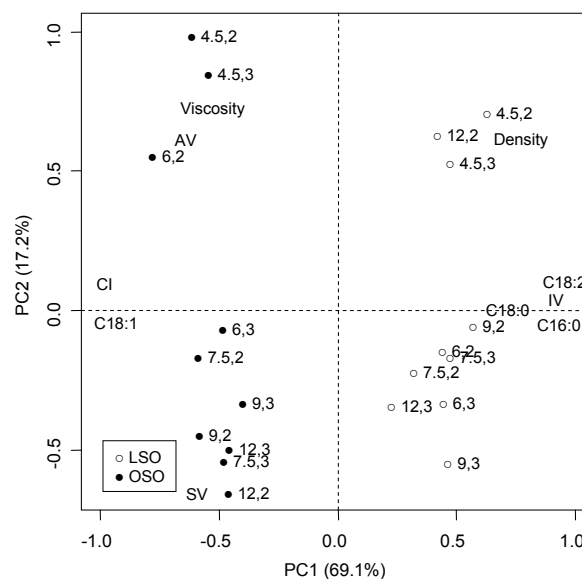


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References

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