





Fruit Research Institute, Čačak & International Society for Horticultural Science (ISHS)

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XII International Symposium on Plum and Prune Genetics, Breeding and Pomology

Zlatibor, Serbia

July 7-10, 2020

September 14-17, 2021

FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT

Dear coleagues,

We are pleased to invite you to participate at the international symposium dedicated to plum and prune that will be held at <u>Hotel Palisad</u>, from 14th to 17th September, 2021 at Zlatibor, Serbia.

The Symposium aims to gather researchers from the fields of study on plum and prune who share a common interest in horticultural sciences. The conference will provide opportunity for scientists, professionals and students to present their latest findings and discuss their current work related to basic and applied aspects on issues of plum and prune.

Topics

- 1. Genetics and breeding
- 2. Genetic resources and cultivar testing
- 3. Rootstocks
- 4. Physiology and orchard management
- 5. Diseases and pests
- 6. Fruit quality, ripening and postharvest
- 7. Fruit drying and processing
- 8. Marketing and economics

Invited speakers

- Dr. Mihai BOTU, University of Craiova Faculty of Horticulture, Romania
- Dr. Michael NEUMÜLLER, Bavarian Centre of Pomology and Fruit Breeding, Germany
- Dr. Sylvie DALLOT, INRA Centre de Montpellier, France
- Dr. Ninoslav NIKIĆEVIĆ, Faculty of Agriculture University of Belgrade, Serbia

Venue place

The Symposium will be organized in <u>Hotel Palisad</u>, skillfully matched into Zlatibor landscape, surrounded from all sides with pine forest.

Preliminary program

	Tuesday September 14	Wednesday September 15	Thursday September 16	Friday September 17
Morning	Registration Poster mounting	Excursion with lunch	Sessions	Session
	Conference opening Session			Symposium closure
	Welcome cocktail Lunch		Dine	
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Afternoon	Sessions		Sessions	
			Gala dinner	

Publication of abstracts and papers

Book of abstracts will be published before the symposium. Abstracts should be no longer than 300 words. Authors should indicate preferred session and type of presentation (oral or poster), but the final decision will be made by the Scientific Committee.

Full papers will be published in the series <u>Acta Horticulturae</u>. Participants that register for the symposium will receive one copy during the event.

Important dates

Abstract submission deadline: February 1, 2021
Notification of abstract acceptance: February 15, 2021
Early registration deadline: June 1, 2021
Full paper submission deadline: April 1, 2021

Language

The official language of the Symposium will be English.

Scientific Committee

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