



12th EUROPEAN CONFERENCE ON FUNGAL GENETICS

Seville, March 23-27, 2014

The **12th European Conference on Fungal Genetics (ECFG12)** will be held in **Seville in 2014**. The scope of the conference covers the broad topic of fungal genetics, encompassing among other areas cell biology, molecular biology, classical genetics, fungal pathogenesis, and biotechnology. Attendees include PhD students, postdoctoral workers, and professional scientists from both academia and industry. Attendance has been in the range of 400-600 delegates in previous years.

The ECFG has traditionally attracted scientists from all over the world, and has provided a forum for discussion and interaction between academics, industrialists, students, and other experts. The programme will cover the main aspects of fungal biology and genetics with three Keynote lectures (opening and closing lectures, and “The EMBO lecture”), fifteen plenary lectures and nine parallel sessions (holding a total of 90 oral presentations). Additionally, there will be poster sessions for more informal discussions that will provide ample opportunities to meet and discuss scientific results with colleagues and friends, or to strengthen or establish collaborations between academia and industry. These sessions will be complemented with workshops, which will be held prior to the main conference.

Seville is a traditional Spanish town famous for its monuments, flamenco, sunny weather and the charm of the South. The contributions of three major religious cultures (christian, muslim and jewish) can be enjoyed in some of the most popular monuments in Seville: the biggest Spanish Catholic Cathedral, the *Giralda* tower, the intricated alleys and streets of the jewish quarter, or the magnificent arabic palace *Reales Alcazares*, ... Other splendid monuments of the rich Spanish history can be found spread all over the city in churches and small chapels. Seville is a vibrant city

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with a rich and unique cuisine! In addition to its lively spirit, Seville also holds one of the oldest universities: The University of Seville was founded in 1505. Today, the University of Seville is one the largest in Spain, with about 60,000 students. Seville can be easily reached by air with direct airport connection with many countries or by high-speed train from Madrid, Barcelona, and Valencia.

The organizing committees are composed by some of the most prominent scientists in fungal biology: an international committee with ten members of several European countries and USA; a Spanish scientific committee with members belonging to University (Universidad de Sevilla, Universidad de Córdoba, Universidad de Murcia, Universidad de León, Universidad Pablo Olavide, Universidad del País Vasco), the Spanish Research Council (Centro de Investigaciones Biológicas-CSIC, Instituto de Biología Funcional y Genómica-CSIC) and one company (Biopolis), and a local committee.

Additional information can be found at the ECFG12 web site:

<http://congreso.us.es/ecfg12>



CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

	Sunday March 23th	Monday March 24th	Tuesday March 25th	Wednesday March 26th
9.00-10.30	Satellite workshops	Plenary Sessions		
10.30-11.00	Coffee Break	Coffee Break		
11.00-12.30	Satellite workshops	Plenary Sessions		
12.30-14.00	Lunch	Lunch		
14.00-16.00	Registration	Poster Session	Parallel Sessions	Poster Session
16.00-17.30		Parallel Sessions	Coffee Break	Parallel Sessions
17.30-18.00		Coffee Break	Parallel Sessions	Coffee Break
18.00-19.30	Welcome and Opening Ceremony	Parallel Sessions	Sightseeing tour	Parallel Sessions
19.30-20.30	Welcome Reception	Poster Sessions		Closing Ceremony
20.30-22.00		Free time		Closing Congress Banquet



CONFERENCE VENUE SILKEN AL-ANDALUS PALACE HOTEL

CATEGORY: Four Star Hotel

ADDRESS: Avenida de la Palmera, 41012. Seville

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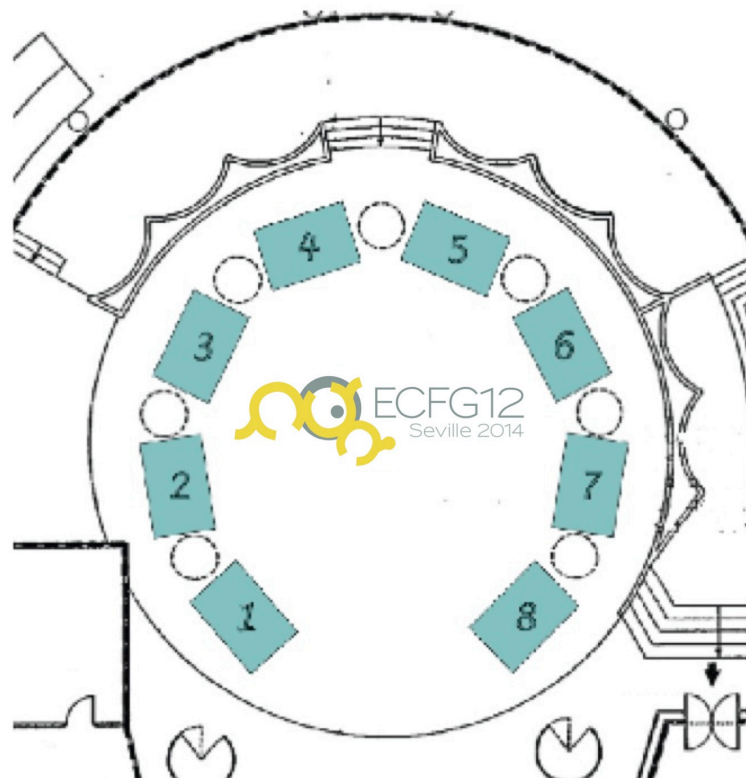
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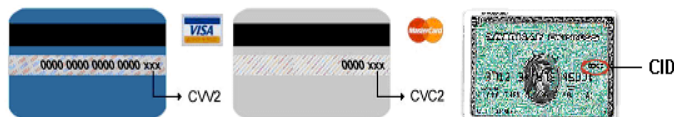
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