

PAYMENT METHOD

Local participants may pay using bank draft payable to BENDAHARI UPM

Mail the cheque and your particulars to:
Secretariat ICCI 2015,
Institute of Tropical Agriculture,
Universiti Putra Malaysia,
43400, UPM, Serdang, Selangor, Malaysia

International participants: Bank Draft
or telegraphic transfer

Account No.: 1215-0005004-05-0 (ONLY
for international participants)
SWIFT Code: CIBBMYKL
Bank Address: CIMB Bank Berhad,
Universiti Putra Malaysia,
43400, UPM, Serdang, Selangor,
Malaysia

Proof of payment must be sent to the
Secretariat via email or fax.
Registration fee should be paid and
submitted with abstract

IMPORTANT DATES

Early- bird : Before 10th September 2015
Deadline : 10th October 2015

REGISTRATION FEES

Registration fee covers access to all
presentations, a banquet dinner, program
and abstract book, refreshments and
lunches throughout the conference session

Participants	Before Deadline	Early-bird
Local	RM750 (RM 400)*	RM650 (RM 350)*
International	USD 350 (USD 275)*	USD 300 (USD 250)*
Post-conference Tour USD 30 / RM 50		

* student's rate

Participants are welcomed to submit papers
as oral or poster presentations to the
conference

FURTHER INFORMATION

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First Announcement

International Conference on Crop Improvement:

Sustainability through
Leading-edge
Technology (ICCI 2015)

2nd - 3rd December 2015

Engineering Auditorium,
Faculty of Engineering,
Universiti Putra Malaysia



Negative impacts on crop production due to catastrophic diseases and global climate change needs innovative solutions. Recent advancement in omics and genetic manipulation strategies which employs systems approach to unveil biological mechanisms, enables development of efficient and more precise methodologies that maximize benefits from natural resources while minimizing perturbation on biological processes. The conference is aimed to provide exposure to researchers and students, detailing on proven technologies to address critical issues for agricultural sustainability.

OBJECTIVES

To provide a platform for exchange of ideas and promote international co-operation and networking on advancement in crop improvement

To update on recent approaches for agricultural development and sustainability

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

Chairperson:

Prof. Datin Dr. Siti Nor Akmar Abdullah (UPM)

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SESSIONS & INVITED SPEAKERS

A. Omics Approaches to Improving Sustainable Crop Production

Prof. Dr. Ismanizan Ismail
(Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia)*
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Chiew Foan Chin
(University of Nottingham)
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ho Chai Ling
(Universiti Putra Malaysia)

B. Advancement in Marker Technology

Dr. Sjaak van Heusden (Wageningen University)*
Prof. Dr. Festo Massawe (University of Nottingham)
Prof. Dr. Mohd Rafii Yusop (Universiti Putra Malaysia)

C. Strategies in Genetic Manipulation

Prof. Dr. Jeremy Roberts (University of Nottingham)*
Dr. Jack Vossen (Wageningen University)*

D. Crop Quality and Sustainability

Assoc. Prof. Dr. Carol Wagstaff
(University of Reading)*
Dr. Rebecca Smith
(University of Reading)

E. Plant Microbe Interaction

Prof. Dr. Jitendra Panwar (Birla Institute of Technology and Science, India)*
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ganesan Vadmalai
(Universiti Putra Malaysia)
Dr. Mohd Sayeed Akhtar (Universiti Putra Malaysia)

*** Plenary speakers**

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Academicians, scientists from government, agencies or the industry and students working in the area of plant molecular biology, biotechnology, pathology, breeding, and others with interest in crop improvement.

REGISTRATION

Conference Registration Form is available at www.ita.upm.edu.my

Email completed registration form and abstract as attachments to the secretariat at ICCIUPM2015@gmail.com

Please note that all registrations will be confirmed ONLY upon receipt of the registration fee

ABSTRACT

Structure of Abstract

Not exceeding 250 words
Title in **BOLD** capital letters; font size 14; Times New Roman

Author(s): Affiliation in *italics*; font size 10; no abbreviations, indicate address of each authors numerically with a superscript and email address of corresponding author

Abstract should be typed in single spacing; font size 12; Times New Roman; one paragraph

International Conference on Crop Improvement 2015 (ICCI 2015)

REGISTRATION FORM

Title:

Full name:

Organization/Institution:

Position:

Address:

Tel:

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Email:

Title of presentation/poster:

Sessions:

- ☐ A. Omics Approaches to Improving Sustainable Crop Production
- ☐ B. Advancement in Marker Technology
- ☐ C. Strategies in Genetic Manipulation
- ☐ D. Crop Quality and Sustainability
- ☐ E. Plant Microbe Interaction

Type of presentation:

- ☐ Oral
- ☐ Poster
- ☐ Participant

Post conference tour (Additional RM 50 for local participants and USD 30 for international participants)

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

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