
3rd Circular and Provisional Programme



5th EUROPEAN SYMPOSIUM ON SOUTH AMERICAN CAMELIDS and First European Meeting on Fibre Animals

6 - 8 October, 2010
Sevilla, Spain

Dear Sir or Madam,

Thank you for your interest in participating in this Symposium.
Herewith we confirm your registration.

The organisers will be pleased to welcome you to Sevilla University in Spain.

1. SYMPOSIUM VENUE

(1) The Symposium will be held from Wednesday October 6th to Friday October 8th, 2010 on the "Diputación of Sevilla" located in the city centre. A detailed map has been included in Symposium Web.

The lecture hall for the Symposium is situated at the ground floor of the lecture building ("*Diputación de Sevilla*"); please follow the signs.

(2) *Welcome Reception* 6th October, 2010: will take place in a hall of the congress venue. Some "andaluzian typical foods" and drinks will be offered.

(3) *Visit to the "Reales Alcazares"* 6th October, 2010: It is one of the most interesting monuments (declared Heritage of the Humanity) of Sevilla city.

(4) *Social dinner* 8th October, 2010: restaurant situated in the historic city centre inside "Barrio de Santa Cruz".

Due to the difficult parking situation, we strongly recommend the use of *public transport*. Bus routes are available on the website <http://www.tussam.es>

2. HOW TO REACH SEVILLA

Situated in the South of Spain (538 km From Madrid), Seville can be easily reached:

a) by air and train

The most convenient international airport is Seville airport, situated 10 kilometres northwest of the capital in the national motorway A-4 towards Madrid.

Also, it is possible to reach Seville from the International Airports of Jerez de la Frontera (70 km) and Malaga (200 km).

Further information regarding Seville airport is available at:
http://www.aena.es/csee/Satellite?Language=EN_GB&MO=0&SMO=-1&SiteName=SVQ&c=Page&cid=1048243388846&pagename=subHome

Seville's Urban Transport Line links Prado de San Sebastián with the airport. You can look up the departure times for buses, either from the centre of Seville or the airport. Information about intermediate bus stops is also available on the website TUSSAM (<http://www.tussam.es/>). The itinerary is: Airport - Kansas City - Santa Justa Railway Station - Luis de Morales - San Francisco Javier - Carlos V - Prado San Sebastián (bus stop near to the congress Center). Price: Single fare, €2.30; including the return €4.00.

It is a very good option travelling by high speed train (AVE), which takes about 2 h 30 min (<http://www.renfe.com/EN/viajeros/index.html>), from Puerta de Atocha Station (Madrid) to Santa Justa Station (Seville).

b) by car

From Madrid, take the A4 motorway.

3. GENERAL TRAVELLING DETAILS

WEATHER: Seville has a Mediterranean climate, with average temperatures of 26° C in the summer and 12° C in the winter, experiencing mild winds during spring and summer. Winters are also mild. It rains only slightly during the autumn (average annual rainfall: 534 mm). Highest temperatures are experienced during the summer. With close to 3000 hours of sunlight annually, Seville's climate can be considered almost as perfect in all seasons.

MONEY EXCHANGE: The national currency in Spain is the Euro. There are many opportunities to exchange currency and the places to obtain the best rates are banks. There are also foreign exchange outlets in the airports and even in some hotels and restaurants, although the rates are usually not as favourable. Withdrawing money at a cashpoint (ATM) is often the most convenient and economic way to obtain Euros and there are ATMs all over the city. Many are located inside banks and out of hours you can enter these buildings by swiping your debit / credit card next to the door.

LANGUAGE: Most young people are able to speak English.

4. ACCOMMODATION

For reservation of hotel rooms, please contact with the official agency at:

VIAJES EL CORTE INGLÉS, S.A. DIVISION DE CONGRESOS
TENIENTE BORGES, 5. 41002 SEVILLA
TELF: +34 - 95 450 66 05 – +34 - 95 450 66 00 - FAX.: +34 - 95 422 35 12
e-mail: sevillacongresos1@viajeseci.es
Contact with: SUSANA MORALES

It is possible to book rooms in the city centre hotels from 90€ and cheaper in the outskirts.

5. MEALS

The symposium fee includes coffee breaks (beverages, small snacks) and the working lunches. Otherwise you may choose to use a restaurant in the city centre.

6. SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

Please find enclosed the *provisional* programme. The final programme will be handed out upon arrival. Abstracts of oral papers and posters will be handed out to all participants.

NOTE: ABSTRACTS BY PRESENTING AUTHORS WHO HAVE NOT PAID AND REGISTERED (BOTH REGISTRATION FORM AND COPY OF THE BANK TRANSFER SENT) BY AUGUST 12TH WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE ABSTRACT BOOK. ONLY PAPERS ACTUALLY PRESENTED AT THE CONGRESS WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE PROCEEDINGS.

Posters:

There will be about 15 posters. Posters will be put up during the Welcome Reception (6th October) and will be on display during the entire Symposium. The size of the poster walls is 1 m (width) x 1 m (height). Authors of posters should be present for discussion of their poster during the times indicated in the programme.

Oral presentations:

When preparing your Oral presentation take into account that it will take 20 minutes plus 10 minutes for discussion, that is **total time: 30 minutes**.

There will be a mention and a certificate for the best poster and the best oral communication.

Authors of oral presentations or posters are requested to email their **full manuscript before September 15th**. **Papers received after this date will not be included in the Proceedings.** The Proceedings of the Symposium will then be printed and mailed to all full participants as soon as possible, planned for the Spring 2011.

6. REGISTRATION DESK

The Registration Desk will be open:
Wednesday, 6th - 8th October: 8:30 – 18:00.

7. ORGANISERS

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