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“Mosquito Control without Borders”

SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS FOR ORAL AND POSTER PRESENTATIONS

The deadline for abstract submission is **December 15, 2018**. Submissions received after this deadline will not be considered. All abstracts have to be submitted by using the default template to office@emca-online.eu. You have to download the **template form**, fill in all the required fields and submit it to office@emca-online.eu as attached file (**name the document with your last name**).

Abstract guidelines

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Topics	
1	Mosquito borne diseases and their control in France
2	Dynamic of mosquito species in a changing environment
3	Indigenous mosquitoes and their control
4	Invasive mosquitoes and their control
5	Mosquito control in urban habitats
6	Mosquito control in wetlands and other non-urban breeding sites
7	Mosquito surveillance and monitoring
8	Blackflies and their control
9	Personal protection against mosquitoes
10	Cross-linking between governments, medical entomology and field workers
11	New technologies in research and application
12	Mosquito vectors and mosquito-borne diseases: surveillance and control
13	Mosquito control application technologies
14	New mosquito control strategies and tools

The primary/submitting author will receive an email message confirming the receipt of the abstract and he must inform the co-authors. The primary/submitting author will receive a confirmation of acceptance for oral presentation, poster presentation, or rejection, by e-mail before January 15, 2019. All accepted abstracts will be published in the abstract book.

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- ❖ The abstract length **may not exceed 300 words**. Please do not include tables, charts, or other figures in the abstract content.
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Posters

Posters must fit within the confines of a 100 cm high x 70 cm wide poster board and consist of materials that can be mounted easily.

The poster session is scheduled for 12 March from 18:00 - 19:30. The posters will be on display during the whole conference.

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Important Procedural Information

- ❖ Concomitant with the submission of an abstract both, registration and payment of the fee are required.
- ❖ The oral presentations may not exceed 12 minutes with three additional minutes allowed for questions.
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