



The 2nd African Fungus Day- 2023

الفطريات من أجل التنمية المستدامة في القرن الحادي والعشرين
Fungi for Sustainable Development in the 21st Century
Date: May 25, 2023 Online

TIME	TITLE	SPEAKER
10:00-10:15 AM	Department of Plant Sciences, Faculty of Science, The University of Bamenda, Cameroon,	Prof.Tonjock Rosemary Kinge
10:15-10:30 AM	Department of Microbial Genetic Resources, National Gene Bank, Agricultural Research Center (ARC), Egypt.	Dr. Akram H. Mohammed
10:30-11:00 AM	Novel anti-infective and neurotrophic secondary metabolites from cultures of rare and new species of basidiomycetes	Dr. Dr. Marc Stadler Department of Microbial Drugs, Helmholtz Center for Infection Research, German Center for Infection Research (DZIF), Braunschweig, Germany
11:00-11:30 AM	Avances in the taxonomic study of macromycetes from West Africa : the case of Inocybe	Dr. AIGNON Loubegnon Hyppolite Research Unit Tropical Mycology and Plants-Soil Fungi Interactions (MyTIPS), Faculty of Agronomy, University of Parakoum, Benin.
11:30-12:00 PM	New strains of Trichoderma asperellum as innovative solutions for sustainable agriculture	Prof.Saida Messgo-Moumene Faculty of Natural Science and Life, Blida 1 University, Algeria.
12:00-12:30 PM	Unveiling Novel Secondary Metabolites from Algerian fungal Endophytes	Dr. Sara Raouia Noumeur Dept. of Microbiology and Biochemistry, Faculty of Natural and Life Sciences, University of Batna 2, Algeria
12:30-1:00 PM	Extracellular Matrix, a Key Determinant of Fungal Biofilm Environmental Responses, is a Course for Concern	Dr. Thabiso Motaung Motaung Department of Biochemistry, Genetics and Microbiology, Forestry and Agricultural Biotechnology Institute (FABI), South Africa.
1:00-1:30 PM	Fungal Infections in Africa: An Overview of the Situation.	Dr. Sarah Ahmed Center of Expertise in Mycology, Radboudumc / Canisius Wilhelmina Hospital, Nijmegen, The Netherlands
1:30-2:00 PM	Break	
2:00-2:30 PM	Exploring new habitats and Lesser-Known Fungal Groups to Accelerate the Documentation of African Fungal Diversity: The Case of Polypores in Benin, West Africa	Dr. Boris Olou Research Unit of Tropical Mycology and Plants-Soil Fungi Interactions, Faculty of Agronomy, University of Parakou, Benin.
2:30-3:00 PM	Fungal Potential for Sustainable Industrial Biotechnology	Ms. Moforcha Lilian Department of Plant Science, University of Buea, Cameroon.
3:00-3:30 PM	Beneficial Fungi for Biostimulat--on and Biocontrol of Plant Diseases.	Dr. Lobna Hajji Hedfi Regional Centre of Agricultural Research of Sidi Bouzid (CRRA), Sidi Bouzid, Tunisia.
3:30-4:00 PM	Discussion and Recommendation	All Participants