

Scientific Programme

Sunday, August 16th, 2009

- 14.00 Registration, mounting posters (Session 1) and setting up of exhibition stands (to 19.00)
19.00 **Welcome Party** (The Mirrors Hall, The International Conferences Centre)

Monday, August 17th, 2009

- 7.30 AV testing & loading for morning speakers in the appropriate room (A, B or C)
8.00 Registration, mounting posters (Session 1)
- 9.00 **Welcome** (Conference Hall 1 - Session A)
9.00 Welcone Addresses and announcements
9.05 *Ioan Panzaru*: Rector of the University of Bucharest
9.10 *Angheluta Vadineanu*: Chairman of the Department of Systems Ecology and Sustainability and Director of the Romanian Ecological Society
9.15 *Colin S. Reynolds*: Chairman of the European Federation for Freshwater Sciences (EFFS)
- 9.25 *Plenary lecture 1* (see next page)

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Session A (Conference Hall 1)

- 9.25 **Plenary lecture 1** *Chair: Colin S Reynolds*
Peeter Noges
Europe-wide perceptions of water quality and sensitivities to global change
Aquatic biodiversity: assessment, conservation and management (1) *Chair: Colin S Reynolds*
10.05 *Kevin J COLLIER, John LEATHWICK, Bruno DAVID*
Determining stream biodiversity conservation priorities on private land in the Waikato Region of New Zealand
10.25 *Luana SILVERI, Maria Cristina BRUNO, Mauro CAROLLI, Maiolini BRUNO*
Hydropeaking impact on the vertical connectivity, effects on stonewly stygophilous species
- 10.45 COFFEE/TEA
- Aquatic biodiversity: assessment, conservation and management (2)** *Chair: Colin S Reynolds*
11.10 *Mikko OLIN, Martti RASK, Jukka RUUHIJARVI*
Evaluation of the finnish fish-based lake classification method
11.30 *Sırma ÇAPAR DINÇER*
Contribution to geographic distribution of *kahlilembus attenuatus* (Smith, 1897) (ciliophora: hymenostomata)
11.50 *Paul LEONARD, Jason DEBNAY*
The river Thames landscape strategy: working in partnership to meet common aims
12.10 *Ralf VERDONSCHOT, Piet VERDONSCHOT*
The efficiency of activity traps in bioassessment of macroinvertebrate communities in drainage ditches
- 12.30 LUNCH (12.30-13.30: AV for afternoon speakers)
- 14.00 **Plenary lecture 2** *Chair: Jordi Catalan*
Erik Jeppesen
Shallow lake dynamics in a climate change perspective
Aquatic biodiversity: assessment, conservation and management (3) *Chair: Jordi Catalan*
14.40 *Gorazd URBANIČ, Maja PAVLIN*
Impact of impoundments on benthic invertebrate assemblages; a biodiversity aspect in lowland ecoregions of Slovenia
15.00 *Fanny COLAS, Virginie ARCHAIBAUT, Simon DEVIN*
Methodology to evaluate the effects of sediment contaminants on macroinvertebrates communities - an example from a torrential system on two storages of fier - Annecy (France)
15.20 *Leslie FAGGIANO, Sovan LEK, Dick De ZWART, Muriel GEVREY*
Testing links between predicted risk of toxicant mixture and fish assemblages using predictive models
15.40 *Evelyne FRANQUET, Alain MAASRI, Gait ARCHAMBAUD-SUARD, Stéphanie FAYOLLE, Cécile CLARET, Valentine CARTIER, Bernard DUMONT*
Macroinvertebrates of intermittent Mediterranean streams: local biodiversity and climate changes
- 16.00 COFFEE/TEA
- Aquatic biodiversity: assessment, conservation and management (4)** *Chair: Piet Verdonschot*
16.30 *Jesús CASAS, Juan Salvador SÁNCHEZ-OLIVER, Ana SANZ, Miriam FURNÉ, Mariano PARACUELLOS, María DOLORES SUAREZ, Cristina TRENZADO*
The value of irrigation ponds, as compared with natural habitats, for the conservation of endangered species: the case of the Iberian toothcarp (*Aphanius iberus*, cuvier & valenciennes, 1846)
16.50 *Juan MELCHOR, Santiago BONACHELA, Antonia ELORRIETA, Francisca FUENTES, Irene GALLEGOS, Jesus CASAS*
Effects of pond management on water quality for irrigation and on the assemblages of aquatic fungi
17.10 *Mark DUNSCOMBE, Anne ROBERTSON*
Towards an understanding of hydrogeologic controls on lowland hyporheic assemblages in the UK

Session B (Conference Hall 2)

9.25	Plenary lecture 1 Chair: Colin S Reynolds <i>Peeter Nages</i> Europe-wide perceptions of water quality and sensitivities to global change
10.05	Rivers and streams ecology and management (1) Chair: Angheluta Vadineanu <i>Thibault DATRY, Guillaume Le GOFF, Michel PHILIPPE</i> Benthic and hyporheic invertebrate assemblages along a flow permanence gradient in a French river
10.25	<i>Hiranthy WALPOLA, Maria LEICHTFRIED, Mala AMARASINGHE, Leopold FÜREDER</i> Comparison of leaf-litter decomposition of a native (<i>Ochlandra stridula</i>) and of an exotic plant species (<i>Hevea brasiliensis</i>) in a Sri Lankan stream
10.45	COFFEE/TEA
11.10	Rivers and streams ecology and management (2) Chair: Angheluta Vadineanu <i>Isabelle COMBROUX, Michèle TRÉMOLIERES</i> Impacts of restoration of connectivity in Rhine side channels
11.30	<i>Maria Cristina BRUNO, Bruno MAIOLINI, Mauro CAROLLI, Luana SILVERI</i> River (dis)continuity in the Italian Alps
11.50	<i>Zuzana PASTUCHOVA, Milan LEHOTSKY, Anna GRESKOVA</i> Morphohydraulic structure of small streams channel in relation to macroinvertebrate communities
12.30	LUNCH (12.30-13.30: AV for afternoon speakers)
14.00	Plenary lecture 2 Chair: Jordi Catalan <i>Erik Jeppesen</i> Shallow lake dynamics in a climate change perspective
14.40	Rivers and streams ecology and management (3) Chair: Maria Leichtfried <i>Burak ÖTERLER, Timur KIRGIZ, Meriç ALBAY, Belgin CAMUR-ELİPEK</i> The phytoplankton richness of streams feeding İğneada Longos (Turkish Thrace); a case study
15.00	<i>Vesna PETKOVSKA, Gorazd URBANIČ</i> Effect of fixed-fraction subsampling on macroinvertebrate bioassessment of rivers
15.20	<i>Ilya KRNO, Pavel BERACKO, Daniela ILLÉŠOVÁ</i> Effects of land use on macrozoobentos in submontane streams (West Carpathians, Slovakia)
15.40	<i>Javier PÉREZ, Ana BASAGUREN, Aingeru MARTÍNEZ, Clara MENDOZA, Aitor LARRAÑAGA, Jesús POZO</i> Effects of river impoundment on leaf litter breakdown in northern Spain
16.00	COFFEE/TEA
16.30	Rivers and streams ecology and management (4) Chair: Maria Leichtfried <i>Aitor LARRAÑAGA, Jesús CASAS, Margarita MENÉDEZ, Salvador MOLLÁ, Ana BASAGUREN, Carmen CASADO, Karen CORRAL, Enrique DESCALS, Javier GARCÍA-AVILÉS, José M. GONZÁLEZ, Enrique LÓPEZ, Mirian LUSI, Javier PÉREZ, Tecla RIERA, Neftalí ROBLAS, Jacoba SALINAS, Jesús POZO</i> Variability of the leaf litter processing in headwater streams of the Iberian Peninsula
16.50	<i>Marko MILIŠA, Vesna ŽIVKOVIĆ, Renata MATONIČKIN KEPČIJA, Mirela SERTIĆ-PERIĆ</i> Increased sediment load disturbance effects on stream macroinvertebrates
17.10	<i>Roland CORTI, Datry THIBAUT, Claret CECILE, Philippe MICHEL</i> Leaf litter decomposition along a flow permanence gradient in a French river

Session C (Conference Hall 3)

- 9.25 **Plenary lecture 1** *Chair: Colin S Reynolds*
Peeter Nages
Europe-wide perceptions of water quality and sensitivities to global change
- 10.05 **Extreme habitats and effects of global change (1)** *Chair: Sergi Sabater*
Zuzana ČIAMPOROVÁ-ZAŤOVIČOVÁ, Ladislav HAMERLÍK
Littoral benthic macroinvertebrates of alpine lakes (Tatra Mts, Slovakia) in altitudinal gradient: a basis for climate change assessment
- 10.25 *Elisabeth I. MEYER, H. Wolfgang RISS*
Global warming as a driver of biodiversity in karst streams?
- 10.45 COFFEE/TEA
- 11.10 **Freshwater systems undergoing climatic changes (1)** *Chair: Rene Groben*
Alex ELLIOTT, Vicky BELL
The conservation of a fish species: what does the future hold for the vendace (*Coregonus albula* (L.)) in the UK under a changed climate?
- 11.30 *Vicenç ACUÑA, Diego TONOLLA, Klement TOCKNER*
Thermal landscapes in alpine river corridors
- 11.50 *Ian JONES, Ian WINFIELD*
Long-term changes in habitat availability for arctic charr in a temperate lake
- 12.10 *Veronique ROSSET, Beat OERTLI*
Climate warming and eutrophication: how will they impact local pond diversity?
- 12.30 LUNCH (12.30-13.30: AV for afternoon speakers)
- 14.00 **Plenary lecture 2** *Chair: Jordi Catalan*
Erik Jeppesen
Shallow lake dynamics in a climate change perspective
- 14.40 **Freshwater systems undergoing climatic changes (2)** *Chair: Rene Groben*
Belinda GALLARDO, Alvaro CABEZAS, María GONZALEZ-SANCHÍS, Eduardo GONZÁLEZ, Mercedes GARCÍA, Gascón STÉPHANIE, Comín FRANCISCO
Aquatic community patterns across environmental gradients in a Mediterranean floodplain and their application to ecosystem restoration
- 15.00 *Verónica FERREIRA, Eric CHAVUET*
Synergistic effects of water temperature and dissolved nutrients on litter decomposition and associated fungi
- 15.20 *Piet VERDONCHOT, Anna BESSE-LOTOTSKAYA*
Spatio frequency and lowland stream resilience: an experimental approach
- 15.40 *Monica TOLOTTI, Ulrike NICKUS, Hansjörg THIES*
Decoupling nutrient and climate impacts on an alpine lake comparing sediment and long-term limnological records
- 16.00 COFFEE/TEA
- 16.30 **Ecotoxicology (1)** *Chair: Judit Padisák*
Chloé BONNINEAU, Marta RICART, Lorenzo PROIA, Helena GUASCH, Anna ROMANI, Sergi SABATER
Approaching real complexity: toxic impact of a mixture of diuron and propranolol on fluvial biofilm communities
- 16.50 *Oana Teodora MOLDOVAN, Ioana MELEG, Traian BRAD, Erika LEVEI, Mirela MICLEAN, Bela ABRAHAM, Marin CONSTANTIN, Sanda IEPURE*
Impact of heavy metals on interstitial fauna: the example of Arieş River (Romania)
- 17.10 *Antonella CATTANEO, Michèle DE SÈVE, Rosario MOSELLO, Gabriele TARTARI, Giuseppe MORABITO*
Periphyton changes over 20 years of chemical recovery of Lago d'Orta, Italy

Session A (Conference Hall 1 Hall)

- 8.00 AV testing & loading for morning speakers in the appropriate room (A, B or C)
- 8.30 **Plenary lecture 3** *Chair: Peeter Noges*
Jean-Pierre Descy
Microbial communities in large tropical lakes: response to environmental changes
- Aquatic biodiversity: assessment, conservation and management (5)** *Chair: Peeter Noges*
Luciano CAPUTO, Giuseppe ALFONSO, Federico MARRONE, Antoni PALAU
Limnological characterization of 16 lentic water bodies belonging to the territory of the 'Fundación San Ignacio Del Huinay', Xth region de Los Lagos, Chile
- 9.40 Pierre GIERLINSKI, François GUEROLD, Philippe ROUSSELLE, Philippe WAGNER
Evidences for a link between decomposer diversity and functional process of organic matter decomposition
- 10.00 Nela KUBOVA, Jana SCHENKOVA
The occurrence of leeches (*hirudinida*) on localities with different anthropogenic influence
- 10.20 COFFEE/TEA
- Aquatic biodiversity: assessment, conservation and management (6)** *Chair: Peeter Noges*
Giuseppe ALFONSO, Genuario BELMONTE
The "age effect" on the zooplankton community structure
- 11.10 Florent ARTHAUD, Joël ROBIN, Gudrun BORNETTE, Dominique VALLOD
Algal productivity and diversity in shallow lakes: the role of nutrients
- 11.30 Veronika OSTERMAIER, Rainer KURMAYER
Genotype determined microcystin net production of *Planktothrix rubescens* in alpine lakes
- 11.50 Olivier Pierre LAUSECKER, Julio ARCE, Claire DUREN, Stéphane HARNOIS, Caroline MAUDUIT, Simon DEVIN, Philippe USSEGLIO-POLATERA
Pressure-health status-impact model and macro-zoopelagic bio-ecological traits use for the evaluation of road de-icers impact on two springs of the granitic Vosges Mountains, France
- 12.10 Johann MULLER, Florence HULOT
Mutualistic effects of the complex *Paramecium bursaria* - *Chlorella vulgaris* on two ciliates: *Colpidium striatum* and *Tetrahymena pyriformis*
- 12.30 LUNCH (12.30-13.30: AV for afternoon speakers)
- 14.00 **Plenary lecture 4** *Chair: Meryem Beklioglu*
Jordi Catalan
Persistent pollutants and the understanding of freshwater pelagic food webs
- Aquatic biodiversity: assessment, conservation and management (7)** *Chair: Meryem Beklioglu*
Julia REISS, R. BAILEY, D. PERKINS, G. WOODWARD
Body size overrides biodiversity effects on ecosystem processes
- 15.00 Angela CURTEAN-BANADUC, Doru BANADUC, Dana SIMIAN
Lotic biodiversity assessment and management - Vișeu watershed case study
- 15.20 Teodora-Alexandra PALARIE, Nicoleta GEAMANA, Oana MUSCLEANU, Catalina IONITA, Marius Cosmin OPREA, Angheluta VADINEANU
A contribution to the economic valuation of benefits provided by ecological restoration in the lower Danube Basin
- 16.00 COFFEE/TEA
- 16.30 **POSTERS SESSION 1**
- 17.30 **MEETING OF EFFS REPRESENTATIVES**

Session B (Conference Hall 2)

- 8.30 **Plenary lecture 3** Chair: Peeter Noges
Jean-Pierre Descy
Microbial communities in large tropical lakes: response to environmental changes
- Rivers and streams ecology and management (5)** Chair: Meric Albay
- 9.20 *Angheluta VADINEANU, Radu Stefan VADINEANU, Sergiu CRISTOFOR, Mihai Cristian ADAMESCU, Constantin CAZACU, Carmen POSTOLACHE, Geta RISNOVEANU, Gheorghe IGNAT*
Scientific arguments for identification the lower Danube River System (LDRS) as highly modified water body (HMWB)
- 9.40 *Elisa BOTTAZZI, Alex LAINI, Simone GUARESCHI, Giampaolo ROSETTI*
Composition and abundance of meiofauna and macroinvertebrate in mountain streams of northern Italy
- 10.00 *Stephane DESCLOUX, Thibault DATRY, Pierre MARMONIER*
Effect of streambed clogging on benthic / hyporheic invertebrate assemblages in 3 French rivers
- 10.20 COFFEE/TEA
- Rivers and streams ecology and management (6)** Chair: Meric Albay
- 10.50 *Katharina A. M. DOEHRING, Angus R. MCINTOSH, Roger YOUNG*
How are we going to get up there? - Research on native fish distribution and the effects of culverts in urban environments
- 11.10 *Anna-Maria ERTEL, Susanne ROLINSKI, Thomas PETZOLDT, Thomas BERENDONK*
River water quality modelling within an integrated water management framework for the Western Bug region (Ukraine)
- 11.30 *Jon S. OLAFSSON, Groa V. INGIMUNDARDOTTIR, Iris HANSEN, Sesselja G. SIGURDARDOTTIR*
On the edge; invertebrate assemblages in geothermal affected sub-arctic streams
- 11.50 *Marta ILLYOVÁ, Ilja KRNO*
Influence of land use on hyporheos in Veľká Fatra Mnts. Catchment streams
- 12.30 LUNCH (12.30-13.30: AV for afternoon speakers)
- 14.00 **Plenary lecture 4** Chair: Meryem Beklioglu
Jordi Catalan
Persistent pollutants and the understanding of freshwater pelagic food webs
- Rivers and streams ecology and management (7)** Chair: Kevin Collier
- 14.40 *Corine GRAC, Florence Le BER, Photis NOBELIS, Michel LAFONT, Michele TRÉMOLIÈRES*
Response of biological indices to pressures in the running waters of the Alsace floodplain (eastern France).
Towards a proposal of a new tool for assessing ecological status of waterbodies
- 15.00 *Elena PREDA, Angheluta VADINEANU, Constantin CIUBUC, Sergiu CRISTOFOR*
Body size dynamics and trophic structure of lotic macroinvertebrate communities
- 15.20 *Octavian PACIOGLU, Anne ROBERTSON, Peter SHAW*
Hyporheic assemblages and diffuse nitrate pollution in chalk river ecosystems
- 15.40 *M. LEITAO, E. EVERBECQ, J.-P. DESCY*
Phytoplankton diversity and dynamics in the R. Loire
- 16.00 COFFEE/TEA
- 16.30 **POSTERS SESSION 1**

Tuesday, August 18th, 2009

Session C (Conference Hall 3)

- 8.30 **Plenary lecture 3** Chair: Peeter Noges
Jean-Pierre Descy
Microbial communities in large tropical lakes: response to environmental changes
- 9.20 **Microbial systems: communities and processes** Chair: Eric Chauvet
Kristin STEGER, Katrin PREMKE, Cristian GUDASZ, Lars J. TRANVIK
Seasonal effects on microbial biomass and community structure in lake sediments
- 9.40 *Iwona KOSTRZEWSKA-SZLAKOWSKA*
Bacterioneuston enzymatic activity in humic lakes
- 10.00 *Linda NEDBALOVÁ, Jan FOTT, Jaroslav VRBA, Jiří KOPÁČEK*
Current status of the Bohemian Forest lakes: further progress in the recovery from acidity?
- 10.20 COFFEE/TEA
- Freshwater systems undergoing climatic changes (3)** Chair: Stefan Bertilson
Doris PICHLER, John B. CHRISTENSEN, Nikolai FRIBERG, Jon S. OLAFSSON, Gisli M. GISLASON, Simon LANGAN, Guy WOODWARD
Food webs in a changing climate: impacts of warming on arctic streams
- 11.10 *Viera STRAŠKRÁBOVÁ, Jarmořík SEĎA, Michael BREDEMEIER*
Aquatic ecosystems as indicators of climate and land use changes
- 11.30 *Georgia COSOR, Mihai ADAMESCU, Constantin CAZACU*
Long-term changes in the climate and hydrological conditions in the Braila Islands LTSER site
- 12.30 LUNCH (12.30-13.30: AV for afternoon speakers)
- 14.00 **Plenary lecture 4** Chair: Meryem Beklioglu
Jordi Catalan
Persistent pollutants and the understanding of freshwater pelagic food webs
- Life histories** Chair: Dolors Planas
Cédric MONDY, Virginie ARCHAÏBAULT, Philippe USSEGGLIO-POLATERA
Changes in freshwater invertebrate feeding specialization and competition in a context of anthropogenic perturbations
- 15.00 *Jarosław KOBAK, Tomasz KAKAREKO, Małgorzata POZNANSKA*
Preferences of the ponto-caspian amphipod *Dikerogammarus haemobaphes* for the habitat formed by living zebra mussels
- 15.20 *Karen Van de WOLFSCHAAR, Lara van den BOSCH, Erwin WINTER, Leo NAGELKERKE, Joep de LEEUW*
Effects of location and flood characteristics on fish growth in the Volga floodplain
- 15.40 *Leena NURMINEN, Zeynep PEKCAN-HEKİM, Jukka HORPPILA*
Feeding efficiency of perch (*Perca fluviatilis*) and roach (*Rutilus rutilus*) in varying turbidity - an individual-based approach
- 16.00 COFFEE/TEA
- 16.30 **POSTERS SESSION 1**

Wednesday, August 19th, 2009

Mid-symposium excursions

- 8.00 Balea Lake Tour
- 8.00 Lakes Tour
- 8.30 Sighisoara Medieval Citadel Tour
- 9.00 Zarnesti Tour

Session A (Conference Hall 1)

- 8.00 AV testing & loading for morning speakers in the appropriate room (A, B or C)
- 8.30 **Plenary lecture 5** *Chair: Jean-Pierre Descy*
Stefan Bertilsson
Dynamic properties of aquatic microbial communities: finding appropriate scales and drivers
Large lakes versus shallow lakes (1) *Chair: Jean-Pierre Descy*
Nadezhda BEREZINA, Sergey GOLUBKOV, Aleksey MAXIMOV, Katerina ARAKELOVA, Ludmila UMNOVA
Phosphorus flux by bottom macroinvertebrates in lakes
Olga BUHVESTOVA, Külli KANGUR, Marina HALDNA
The seasonality of nutrient dynamics in two parts of large shallow Lake Peipsi
Tiina NOGES
Relationships between morphometry, geographic location and water quality parameters of European lakes
- 10.00 COFFEE/TEA
- 10.50 **Large lakes versus shallow lakes (2)** *Chair: Jean-Pierre Descy*
Jaroslav VRBA, Jana NOVOTNÁ, Linda NEDBALOVÁ, Jiří KOPÁČEK, Jiří NEDOMA
Variations in cell-specific extracellular phosphatase activity of natural dinoflagellate populations: effects of phosphorus deficiency versus light deficiency
Gorazd URBANIČ, Vesna PETKOVSKA, Maja PAVLIN
Response of littoral benthic invertebrates on lakeshore degradation in alpine lakes
11.30 László G.-TÓTH, Laura PARPALA, Eszter BARANYAI, Csilla BALOGH
Negative effect of the enhanced turbulence on the zooplankton in Lake Balaton, the largest shallow lake in Central Europe
11.50 Miklós BALINT, Lujza UJVAROSI, Noemi MESZAROS, Octavian POPESCU
Genetic differentiation of aquatic insects in the Carpathians: how different can aquatic and terrestrial organisms be?
- 12:30 LUNCH (12.30-13.30: AV for afternoon speakers)
- 14.00 **Plenary lecture 6** *Chair: Luigi Naselli-Flores*
Rene Groben
Identifying freshwater organisms using molecular biological techniques - a way to replace traditional monitoring methods?
Water quality and sensitivities to global change (1) *Chair: Luigi Naselli-Flores*
Philippe CECCHI, Nicolas MOIROUX, Robert ARFI
Anthropogenic pressures exerted on watersheds control the dominance of cyanobacteria in West African small reservoirs
15.00 Okan KÜLKÖYLÜOĞLU, Derya AKDEMİR
Ecological characteristics of non-marine ostracods (crustacea) from Erzincan (Turkey)
15.20 M. VANDERSTUKKEN, N. MAZZEO, S. DECLERCK, W. Van COLEN, K. MUYLAERT
Do macrophytes stabilise the clearwater state with biological mechanisms in subtropical shallow lakes where the refuge effect is absent? - A mesocosm study
- 16.00 COFFEE/TEA
- 16.30 **POSTERS SESSION 2**

Session B (Conference Hall 2)

- 8.30 **Plenary lecture 5** Chair: Jean-Pierre Descy
Stefan Bertilsson
Dynamic properties of aquatic microbial communities: finding appropriate scales and drivers
Rivers and streams ecology and management (8) Chair: Viera Straskrabova
- 9.20 *Michael DANGER, Eric CHAUVENT*
Elemental stoichiometry of fungal and bacterial decomposers: effects on the functioning of detritus-based stream ecosystems
- 9.40 *Armin LORENZ, Daniel HERING*
Downstream dispersal in lowland streams - a matter of habitats?
- 10.00 *Maja PAVLIN, Gorazd URBANIČ*
Relationship among nutrients, land use and benthic invertebrates in Slovenian rivers
- 10.20 COFFEE/TEA
- 10.50 **Food webs interactions and food web manipulations (1)** Chair: Mark Gessner
Vincent MEDOC, Thierry RIGAUD, Loïc BOLLACHE
The role of minnows in the trophic transmission of the manipulative parasite *Pomphorhynchus laevis*
- 11.10 *Alexander KOPYLOV, Dmitry KOSOLAPOV, Valentina LAZAREVA, Inna PYRINA*
Long-term and seasonal changes of planktonic food webs in Rybinsk Reservoir (Upper Volga, Russia): the importance of microbial loop
- 11.30 *Satu ESTLANDER, Leena NURMINEN, Mikko OLIN, Mika VINNI, Matti RASK, Sari IMMONEN, Jukka HORPPILA*
Battle in the dark: water colour affecting perch-roach interaction
- 11.50 *Anne LILJENDAHL, Satu ESTLANDER, Jukka HORPPILA*
Combined refuges in humic lakes - a secret of survival?
- 12.10 *Anatole BOICHE, Damien LEMOINE, Marie-Helene BARRAT-SEGRETAIN, Gabrielle THIEBAUT*
Testing the evolution of increased competitive ability hypothesis with two generalist herbivores on two exotic macrophyte species
- 12.30 LUNCH (12.30-13.30: AV for afternoon speakers)
- 14.00 **Plenary lecture 6** Chair: Luigi Naselli-Flores
Rene Groben
Identifying freshwater organisms using molecular biological techniques - a way to replace traditional monitoring methods?
- 14.40 **Food webs interactions and food web manipulations (2)** Chair: Mark Gessner
Jan FOTT, Veronika SACHEROVA, Radka KRENOVA
Recovery of zooplankton from acidity in small headwater mountain lakes
- 15.00 *Julien CORNUT, Arnaud ELGER, Eric CHAUVENT*
Effects of burial on leaf litter processing in a woodland stream
- 15.20 *Alan HILDREW, Jonathan GREY, Mark TRIMMER, Michelle JACKSON*
Methane-subsidised secondary production in a fast flowing lowland river
- 15.40 *Christiane HUDON, Antonella CATTANEO, Anne-Marie TOURVILLE-POIRIER*
How does a shift from filamentous chlorophytes to cyanobacterial (*Lyngbya wollei*) mats alter the trophic network in a large fluvial lake?
- 16.00 *Cayetano GUTIÉRREZ-CÁNOVAS, Josefa VELASCO, Juan HERNÁNDEZ, Andrés MILLÁN*
Shifts in food web structure between two reaches of a saline Mediterranean stream suffering different degrees of stress
- 16.20 COFFEE/TEA
- 16.30 **POSTERS SESSION 2**

Session C (Conference Hall 3)

- 8.30 **Plenary lecture 5** Chair: Jean-Pierre Descy
Stefan Bertilsson
Dynamic properties of aquatic microbial communities: finding appropriate scales and drivers
- Patchiness, heterogeneity and fragmentation of the habitat** Chair: Erik Jeppesen
Tomasz KAKAREKO, Jaroslaw KOBAK
Preferences of two expansive ponto-caspian gobiids, racer goby *Neogobius gymnotrachelus* and monkey goby *Apollonia fluviatilis*, for bottom substrates and macrophyte coverage
- 9.40 Karla PETRIVALSKA, Karel BRABEC, Vit SYROVATKA, Ondrej HAJEK
What do small oligochaetes like? - distribution and habitat preferences of oligochaetes within the hydrologically dynamic lowland river
- 10.00 Rui CORTES, Simone VARANDAS, Samantha HUGHES, Marco MAGALHAES
Environmental drivers of benthic communities: the importance of landscape metrics
- 10.20 COFFEE/TEA
- Mediterranean Limnology (1)** Chair: Erik Jeppesen
Yaron HERSHKOVITZ, M. SHACHAK, A. GASITH
The role of in-stream vegetation as 'disturbance modulators' in a small Mediterranean-climate stream
Yosef YACOBI
Long term variation of phytoplankton standing stock and productivity in Lake Kinneret, Israel
- 11.30 Giuseppe CASTELLI, Rossella BARONE, Federico MARRONE, Luigi NASELLI-FLORES
How phytoplankton biomass and functional groups react to environmental constraints? A comparison in two different Mediterranean ponds
Paloma LUCENA-MOYA, Isabel PARDO
Invertebrate community composition and biodiversity in Mediterranean coastal lagoons
- 12.10 Jean-François RUBIN, Alexandre RICHARD
Clim-arbres: plant trees to save fish!
- 12.30 LUNCH (12.30-13.30: AV for afternoon speakers)
- 14.00 **Plenary lecture 6** Chair: Luigi Naselli-Flores
Rene Groben
Identifying freshwater organisms using molecular biological techniques - a way to replace traditional monitoring methods?
Wetlands. Temporary and permanent ponds Chair: Geta Risnoveanu
Francisca FUENTES-RODRIGUEZ, Jesus CASAS, Irene GALLEGOS, Juan MELCHOR, David LEÓN, Patricio PEÑALVER, Julia TOJA
Family richness and composition of macroinvertebrate assemblages in farm ponds of a Mediterranean region (South of Spain)
Irene GALLEGOS, Pedro M. SÁNCHEZ-CASTILLO, Carmen PÉREZ-MARTÍNEZ, Francisca FUENTES-RODRIGUEZ, Juan MELCHOR, Jesús CASAS, David LEÓN, Patricio PEÑALVER, Julia TOJA
Diversity of primary producers in farm ponds of a Mediterranean region (Andalusia, southern Spain)
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- 8.30 **Plenary lecture 7 Chair: Colin S Reynolds**
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Responses of litter decomposition and decomposers to global environmental change
- Mediterranean Limnology (2) Chair: Colin S Reynolds**
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Role of nutrients and climate on functioning of the Turkish shallow lake
- 9.40 Meric ALBAY, Şeref YÜKSEL, A. Halil ÖZEL, Cenk GÜREVIN, Başak OĞUZ, Reyhan AKÇAALAN
Environmental factors affecting geosmin and 2-methylisoborneol production in Sapanca Lake, Türkiye
- 10.00 COFFEE/TEA
- Water quality and sensitivities to global change (2) Chair: Ian Jones**
- 10.30 Aleksandra T. ROMARHEIM, Pal BRETTUM, Gunnhild RIISE
Impact of climate and nutrient loading on cyanobacteria - inter annual and seasonal variation in an eutrophic lake
- 10.50 Janusz ZBIKOWSKI, Aleksandra OLCHOWICZ, Jarosław KOBAK
The impact of sand grain size on the substratum selection and growth rate of an oligochaete *Limnodrilus sp.*
- 11.10 Patricia María RODRÍGUEZ-GONZÁLEZ, John STELLA, Filipe CAMPELO, Maria Teresa FERREIRA, Antonio ALBUQUERQUE
Hydrologic controls on stand structure, tree architecture and growth in Southern-European forested wetlands
- 11.30 Susanne ROLINSKI, Thomas PETZOLDT, Katrin HILLERT, Lothar PAUL, Jürgen BENNDORF
Ecological consequences of turbidity intrusions: linking water quality to water quantity management of drinking water reservoirs
- 11.50 Dolors PLANAS, Myriam JOURDAIN, Alexandrine PANNARD, Beatrix BEISNER
Advection of nutrients and algae from benthic sources and within surface waters affects the propensity for cyanobacteria blooms
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Electronic multiple entry key for the identification of aquatic invertebrates: a new tool for nature managers in Switzerland
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Natural and anthropogenic variations in littoral substratum affect periphyton and macroinvertebrates
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Morphology and infraciliature of two ciliates (protozoa: ciliophora) from a river basin in Turkey
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