

Córdoba, August 2020

1st Seed Congress of Argentina

Sixth Circular

The Association of Private Agricultural Laboratories (ALAP) together with the Faculty of Agricultural Sciences of the National University of Córdoba, inform about the First Seed Congress of Argentina, to be held on November 3 and 4, 2020, available through VIRTUAL modality. The company named Nickel will be responsible for the coordination and commercialization of the event and the Agrositio Channel is going to broadcast it.

REMEMBER THAT REGISTRATION FOR AUTHORS OF SCIENTIFIC WORKS IS FREE.

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED FOR SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS.

ABSTRACTS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL AUGUST 31 AND POSTERS UNTIL SEPTEMBER 15, BOTH WITHOUT EXTENSION.

Below, we share the instructions for PRE-REGISTRATION and PRESENTATION OF WORKS, and we provide detail information about the PRESENTATION OF POSTERS AND ORAL PRESENTATIONS.

1- PRE-REGISTRATION

Those interested in sending scientific contributions must complete the PRE-REGISTRATION form, which can be found on the Congress website <https://laboratoriosalap.com.ar/congresosemillas/>

2- PRESENTATION OF ABSTRACTS

Abstracts may be submitted informing whether they are unpublished works or not (published in other events from 2018 onwards).

The abstracts will be received until MONDAY, AUGUST 31, 2020 in the mail box cascomitecientifico@gmail.com placing in the Subject: “CAS, last name of the first author and title”.

The approval of the abstracts will be communicated by the Evaluation Committee of the 1st First Seed Congress of Argentina (CAS 2020) by an email sent from cascomitecientifico@gmail.com in which you will be informed of the ORDER NUMBER assigned to your work.

Abstracts may be submitted in the following specialties:

- **Health and food safety (S).**
- **Present and future challenges in the regulatory framework (L).**
- **The seed quality analysis (C).**
- **The production of quality seeds and the application of technological innovations (T).**
- **Genetics in seeds, challenges for the analysis of the new generation of improved seed (G).**

Prior the acceptance by the Scientific Committee, the papers will be presented during the Congress orally or on a poster. The selection for oral presentation will be made by the Scientific Committee, responsible for the evaluation of the works.

Publication of the abstract: The abstracts presented at the 1st Seed Congress of Argentina (CAS) will be published on the ALAP site www.laboratoriosalap.com.ar

The rules for the elaboration of the abstract are as follows:

- **Languages:** Abstracts in Spanish, English or Portuguese will be accepted.
- **Format:** Word file, A4 page, 2.5 cm margins, justified paragraphs, Arial 12 font.
- **Title:** capitalize only the corresponding words, as well as italics (scientific names); avoid abbreviations.
- **Authors:** write the full last name and the initial letters of the names of all authors separated by semicolons. Capitalize only where applicable. Highlight the corresponding author with underlining. Place of work: indicate the full name of the institutions. Associate the author with his place of work with a numerical superscript, when these are different. Indicate the email only for the author responsible for the work.
- **Text:** Describe clearly: introduction (highlight the importance of the topic), objectives of the work, materials and methods, results and conclusions. Do not include bibliography, tables, or figures/photographs. The length should not exceed 250 words.
- **Keywords:** include three keywords about the work presented, if possible different from the title. Initials in capital letters and separated by semicolons.

The name of the file must be the initial of the selected specialty (S, L, C, T, G), last name and first name of the first author and the number of the abstract sent. Use hyphens between items. The file name must not contain empty spaces.

Example: **C-Mendez-Jorge-1.doc**

3- PRESENTATION OF POSTERS

All approved works will be presented in poster format.

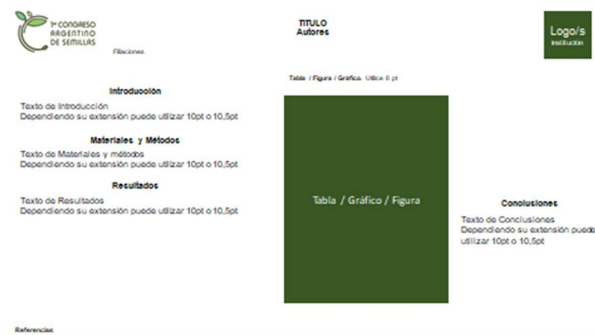
Each author may enter <https://laboratoriosalap.com.ar/congresosemillas/> and download the template and the regulations for the presentation of posters.

Once the poster is completed, save a copy in **PDF format** and send it to cascomitecientifico@gmail.com; the file will have the same name as the abstract, adding at the beginning the **ORDER NUMBER** assigned by the CAS 2020 and at the end the word "poster" separated by a hyphen (Ex. 1- **C-Mendez-Jorge-1-poster**). ONLY SEND THE POSTER IN PDF.

THE DEADLINE FOR THE SUBMISSION OF POSTERS IS ON SEPTEMBER 15, 2020

Template for the poster

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Instructions for the presentation of posters

Content:

- **TITLE:** Authors, Affiliation, Contact
- **INTRODUCTION:** The problem, the objective
- **METHOD:** Very short graphics or phrases
- **RESULTS:** Tables, figures or photos
- **CONCLUSIONS:** the most important, listed

Font size and type

- **Titles:** Arial 11 in lowercase bold (uppercase where applicable).
- **Authors:** Arial 10 (with superscript for affiliations)

- Affiliations and contact: Arial 7
- Subtitles (Introduction, Materials and Methods, Results and Conclusions): Arial 10.5 in lowercase bold (uppercase where applicable)
- Content: Arial 10
- Tables, figures and graphs: Arial 7
- Scientific names: in italics

Position of texts and images:

- Top left corner: Congress logo
- Upper right corner institutional logo (if applicable)
- Upper central box: Title and authors in the same box
- Small box (under Title and Authors): Affiliations and contact
- Body of the slide: Poster content

4- ORAL PRESENTATIONS

The works selected with this modality by the Evaluation Committee of the CAS 2020 will be informed after September 15 from cascomitecientifico@gmail.com

The templates for the presentation of dissertations can be downloaded from the Congress site <https://laboratoriosalap.com.ar/congresosemillas/>.

The presentation must be performed by one of its authors, with a time limit of 10 minutes. For the recording of the presentation, the speaker will be summoned during the month of October from [cascomite científico@gmail.com](mailto:cascomitecientifico@gmail.com)

IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS, DO NOT HESITATE TO CONTACT US.

We appreciate your interest in the 1st Seed Congress of Argentina 2020 (CAS 2020), under the motto "Germinating new ideas".

We look forward to count on your active participation. **#noscuidamosentretodos**



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