

First Announcement / Call for Papers

The world of multicellular organisms largely consists of insects, both on the species level and on the individual level. The number of entomologists is also large, but not nearly large enough considering the size of the field. For entomologists, there is always a need to meet with like-minded people, exchange experiences and partake of the latest research results.

For many years, these meetings have been organised in the form of national and international conventions and symposia, including meetings for entomologists from the five Nordic countries. From 1997 on, the Nordic meetings have welcomed participants from the Baltic countries, and we have also been fortunate to have participants from France, Germany, Great Britain, Russia, Ukraine and Poland.

The XXVII Nordic-Baltic Congress of Entomology will be held in Uppsala, Sweden, on July 29 - August 4, 2007. This meeting coincides with the 300th anniversary of the birth of Carolus Linnæus (Carl von Linné). The city in which he lived and worked as teacher, researcher and innovator was Uppsala. The Entomological Society of Uppland is honoured to be hosting this congress, and we are delighted to welcome you to Uppsala.

Regarding the programme, we welcome contributions (talks or posters) within ecology, systematics, physiology and other relevant areas. We intend to look at the preliminary applications in order to prepare a first draft of the programme. However, we already know that we will include lectures on systematics and the Linnæan walks around Uppsala, where we will make excursions for a couple of days.

We invite non-binding preliminary registrations to be submitted before May 31, 2006. In the autumn of 2006, when the fee has been set, we will need a final, binding registration. We are looking into various means of external financing, and it is our ambition to set the fee at around €150 or lower. Undergraduate students will be offered special stipends to help defray the costs.

Preliminary registration - Please submit the following information

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Name.....: *

Surname.....: *

Mailing Address...: *

Postal Code:.....: *

City: *

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E-mail address.....:

Title of Paper.....:

Talk or Poster

Accompanying Person(-s)

Member of Entomological Society

Not member

Student

Please indicate if you need our help in finding cheap accommodation: youth hostel standard or other.

Please e-mail your preliminary booking to: sten.jonsson@snf.se

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Other enquiries regarding the meeting can also be sent to these addresses.

You are heartily welcome to the congress/ The Entomological Society of Uppland

Please help us by spreading this information to those who might be interested!