

European Culture Collections' Organization (ECCO) XXVIII Annual Meeting

ECCO COLLECTIONS: CELLULAR AND GENETIC DIVERSITY AND MICROBIAL COMMONS FOR THE RESEARCH COMMUNITY

ECCO XXVIII will meet on Thursday (start 12:00) and Friday (full day), 02-03 July 2009,
at the Academicum Lecture Facility of Sahlgrenska Academy of the University of Göteborg
in Göteborg, Sweden

For registration: see [Registration](#)

PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

Thursday, 02 July 2009

Start 12:00 Registration / Mounting of Posters

13:00 Introduction and Welcome

Session 1: Culture Collections and Research

Chair: NN & NN

13:10 - 13:45 Nikos Kyrpides, DOE-JGI "Genomics and relevance for culture collections and researchers"

13:45 - 14:20 Ramon Rosello-Mora, UIB "Advancing the pragmatic classification of new species by means of database-based molecular analysis"

14:20 - 14:55 NN "MALDI-TOF MS and Applications in Microbiology"

14:55 - 15:30 Brian Tindall, DSMZ "Issues relating to strain deposition in collections and made available"

15:30 - 16:00 Tom Dedeurwaerdere, UKL "Global microbial commons"

16:00 - 17:00 Coffee / Tea / Poster viewing

**19:00 Boat Excursion of the Göteborg Archipelago / Buffet Dinner
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Session 2: New Developments in Fastidious Cellular Organisms

Chair: Maike Lorenz & NN

09:00 - 09:25 Maike Lorenz, SAG “Algae Overview, Research in Preservation, Networking, Applications”

09:25 - 09:45 Lilia Santos; ACOI “Algae, Research”

09:45 - 10:05 Thomas Leya, CCCryo “Antarctic Algae”

10:05 - 10:20 Renata Lebecka, IHAR “Phytophthora”

10:20 – 10:40 Martin Schumacher, DSMZ “Plant Cell Culture”

11:00-11:30 Coffee / Tea / Poster viewing

11:30 – 12:30 AGM, Poster Prize, Elections of Coll. Officer, Treasurer, ECCO MTA

12:30 - 14:00 Lunch

Session 3: Challenges for Culture Collections and Responses

Chairs: Dagmar Fritze & Joost Stalpers

14:00 – 14:25 Nelson Lima, MUM “Capacity Building in Culture Collections and the GBRCN/EMbaRC Projects

14:25 - 14:50 Jürgen Mertsching, MHH “Risk Groups, Risk Assessment”

14:50 - 15:15 Ingegerd Kallings “CWA”

15:15 - 15:40 David Smith, CABI “ABS and Sectoral Approaches under the CBD”

15:40 - 15:55 Barbara Parodi, ICLC “Update on BBMRI”

16:00 – 17:00

16:00 - 17:00 Next Venues – Prof. Dr. Bülent Gürler, Istanbul, Turkey, ECCO 2010;
Proposals for 2011 needed;
Wrap-Up; Close