11th Congress of the International Society for Ethnopharmacology (ISE 2010)

Continuity and change in ethnopharmacology: Transdisciplinary science for our future.

September 20 to 25th, 2010, Albacete, Spain

The conference is jointly organized by the:

International Society for Ethnopharmacology and
the Universidad de Castilla-La Mancha, Albacete, Spain

Highlights of the programme:

ISE 2010 (21.09. – 25.09.): The ISE’s first congress took place about 20 years ago (Strasbourg 1990). In 2009, the Journal of Ethnopharmacology, the official journal of the International Society for Ethnopharmacology (ISE) celebrated its 30th anniversary and over the last decades ethnopharmacology has developed into a kaleidoscope of research on human’s use of plants and other organisms as medicine, food and toxins. Several generations of ethnopharmacological researchers with diverse backgrounds and interests have shaped the field and today it certainly is a fast developing and flourishing area of academic and applied research.

The 11th congress of the International Society for Ethnopharmacology will offer a unique opportunity to present ethnopharmacological work and to discuss the wider implications of our research.

This congress will be held simultaneously with the Ier Encuentro Hispano Portuges de Etnobiologia

Confirmed Keynote lectures

Vernon Heywood (Reading, UK) and Rudolf Bauer (Graz Austria)

Confirmed Plenary lectures

J. Buxo (Girona, Spain), Robert Bye (and Edelmira Linares) (Mexico, D.F., Mexico), Elaine Elisabetsky (Porto Alegre, Brazil), Marco Leonti (Cagliari, Italy), Will McClatchey (Hawai`i, USA), Pulok Mukherjee (Kolkata, India), Victoria Reyes Garcia (Barcelona, Spain) Johannes v. Staden (Scottsville, South Africa), Caroline Weckerle (Zurich, Switzerland) Zhao Zhong-zhen (Hong Kong, PRC)

The main themes of the congress are:

- Ethnopharmacology and biocultural diversity
- Circum-Mediterranean ethnopharmacology / ethnobotany and its exchange with the Americas
- From traditional remedies to modern medicines – phytochemical, pharmacological and clinical studies
- Non-governmental organisations (NGOs) and their role in ethnopharmacology
- The interface between history and ethnopharmacology
- The interface of medicine and food plants

The congress will be held in memoriam of Prof Nina etkin (13.06.1948 - † 27.01.2009): At the meeting we will commemorate her life and work. Prof. Nina Etkin, former president of the ISE and well known researcher with a special interest in the interface between food and medicine.
REGISTRATION

The registration fee (see www.ISE2010.org) includes entry to scientific lectures (of XI ISE congress and 1st EHPE), poster sessions, exhibition, full set of abstracts, a copy of the conference program, coffee breaks, and social events. Each delegate could submit only one communication. Submission of abstracts will only be possible on-line, through the congress webb page during the registration process.