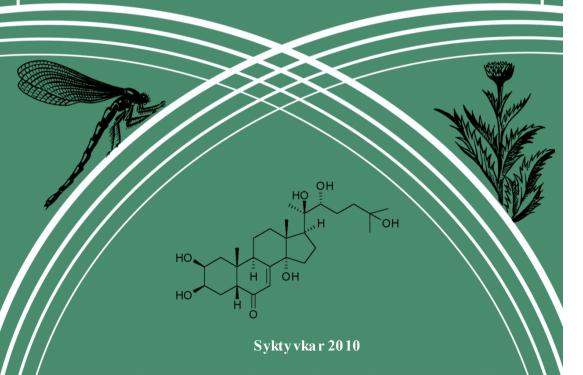
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Second International Workshop on Phytoecdysteroids July 4-7, 2010 Syktyvkar, Republic of Komi, Russia



Dear Colleagues!

Institute of Biology of Komi Science Centre of Ural Division of Russian Academy of Sciences, Timiryazev Institute of Plant Physiology of RAS, Research Center for Preventive and Clinical Nutrition of Tyumen Science Centre of Russian Academy of Medical Sciences together with Scientific Council of Biochemistry of RAS, Biochemical Society under RAS and the Society of Biotechnologists of Russia named after Y. A. Ovchinnikov will conduct the Second International Workshop on Phytoecdysteroids in Syktyvkar (Republic of Komi, Russia) on the 4-7th of July, 2010.

The Workshop is opened to professionals in the field of bioorganic chemistry, biochemistry, biotechnology and pharmacology of phytoecdysteroids and other natural low molecular bio-regulators with close structure and functions. The list of invited participants is limited, but the absentee participation is possible. After reviewing, the materials of oral presentations and submitted papers of absentee participants will be published in the Russian reviewed academic journal.

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

- Current situation of the phytoecdysteroids studies in the world;
- Screening the world flora for the ecdysteroids presence;
- Structural diversity of phytoecdysteroids;
- Phytoecdysteroids as deterrents and anti-feeding agents of the phytophagous insects;
- Ecdysteroid biosynthesis and its regulation in intact plants and plant cells cultures;
- Chemical modification of ecdysteroids. Structural-functional relationships in a row of natural and chemically modified ecdysteroids;
- Current status and perspectives of phytoecdysteroids application in medicine, veterinary medicine and cosmetics;
- Biotechnology of phytoecdysteroids production from plants and cell cultures.

PROGRAM COMMITTEE

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Executive secretary: Dr. Ivan Chadin, Vice-Director of the Institute of Biology, Komi SciCentre, UrD, RAS

KEY DATES

April 15, 2010 – deadline for participants registration;

April 25, 2010 –distribution of the invitations to participants;

May 1, 2010 – deadline for the confirmation of participation in the 2^{nd} International Workshop on Phytoecdysteroids in accordance with the Registration Form, which will be posted on the website of the Institute of Biology <u>http://ib.komisc.ru/add/conf/</u>

May 1, 2010 - program of the 2nd International Workshop on Phytoecdysteroids will be at the site of the Institute of Biology http://ib.komisc.ru/add/conf/phytoecdy

IMPORTANT DATES

Day of arrival and registration (details will be	July 4, 2010	
specified in the Invitation)	July 5, 2010	8.00 - 10.00
Opening the 2 nd International Workshop on Phy-	July 5, 2010	10.00 - 10.40
toecdysteroids		
Oral lectures and communications, poster session	July 5, 2010	11.00-18.30
	July 6, 2010	9.00-14.00
Summing up and closing ceremony	July 6, 2010	16.00-17.30
Conference banquet	July 6 2010	19.00
Excursions	July 7, 2010	9.00-14.00
Departure of participants	July 7, 2010	

Dr. Svetlana Volodina, Mr. Dmitry Shadrin, Mrs. Yana Pylina, Mr. Vasily Startsev, Mrs. Yulia Glyad, Mr. Nikolay Martynov The meeting will be held at the Business Centre of Komi Republican Ski Stadium named after Olympic Champion Raisa Smetanina.

ORGANISATION FEE

Arrangement fee is 1000 rubles for Russian citizens and 50 Euro for the foreign citizens. It should be paid at the day of registration at the registration desk.

ACCOMODATION

Accommodation of participants is offered in hotel complex "Olimpiets", located in 7 km from Syktyvkar on the territory of Komi Republican Ski Stadium named after Olympic Champion Raisa Smetanina. It consists of modern comfortable hotel and cottage village, a Business Centre with conference room, restaurant and health centre.

Participants will be met and transferred to the venue for the conference.

PRICE LIST FOR ACCOMMODATION IN COTTAGE VILLAGE

Category	Price, rubles/ day
Single room Lux	5600
Double room Comfort	2800 for each person

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TRAVEL INFORMATION

Syktyvkar is connected with Moscow and St. Petersburg by airlines and railway. Flight time from Moscow and St. Petersburg to Syktyvkar takes 1 h 40 min, railway trips are 27 h from Moscow and 36 h from St. Petersburg.

Planes from Moscow depart from Vnukovo and Sheremetyevo airports. Flights are carried out by two Companies UTair and Aeroflot-Nord. You can book tickets on-line on the websites of the companies: <u>http://www.utair.ru/</u> (UTair) and <u>http://www.aeroflot-nord.ru/</u> (Aeroflot-Nord).

Information about timetables of all modes of transport can be specified on the webpage: <u>http://komionline.ru/information/traffic</u>