



XVII Argentine Symposium of Paleobotany and Palynology

TOWARDS NEW CHALLENGES

Paraná – Entre Ríos, July 30th to August 5th 2018

sapp2018@palino.com.ar

<http://fcyt.uader.edu.ar/web/sapp2018>



We are pleased to invite you to participate in the *XVII Argentine Symposium of Paleobotany and Palynology* (SAPP 2018), **TOWARDS NEW CHALLENGES**. This prestigious scientific event brings together the most recognized specialists both locally and worldwide, and its importance is reflected in the significant number of participants who have attended each one, which has risen in the last two symposia, 150 in Corrientes 2012 to 180 in La Plata 2015.

In this edition it will be held for the first time in the city of Paraná, Entre Ríos province, between July 30 and August 5, co-organized by the Latin American Association of Paleobotany and Palynology and the Universidad Autónoma de Entre Ríos, declared of Institutional Interest (CS Res. N ° 121/17).

We thank you for the diffusion of this invitation and we hope to have your valuable contribution.

VENUE OF THE EVENT – CITY OF PARANÁ

Paraná is the capital city of the Entre Ríos province, Argentina. It is located in the center-east of the country, on the left bank of the Paraná River.



It has 137 km² and a population of 247 863 inhabitants, being the most populous city of the province and the fourteenth at the national level. In addition, it is the main component of the agglomerate called Gran Paran . Next to the Gran Santa Fe they form an urban area of more than 1 000 000 inhabitants, united by the subfluvial tunnel Ra l Uranga – Carlos Sylvestre Begnis.

The parked ravines, such as the Parque Urquiza, are one of the unique characteristics of Paran , which has a close relationship with the river that gives its name.



It has a pampean climate, with an average temperature of 18 ° C (annual) and a total annual precipitation that does not exceed 1,250 mm. In the summer the average temperature of the city is 23 ° C, while in winter it is between 18 ° C and 5 ° C, with low rainfall.



Venue of the SAPP

Escuela Normal José María Torres de Paraná – Facultad de Humanidades, Artes y Ciencias Sociales - Universidad Autónoma de Entre Ríos

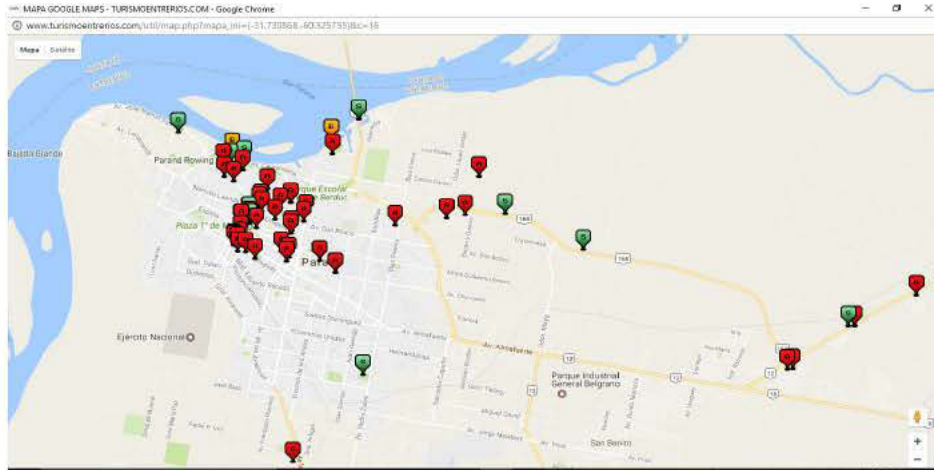
The **headquarters of the SAPP** is located near the **Plaza 1° de Mayo**, in the block bounded by the streets: Urquiza, San Martín (pedestrian), Montecaseros and 25 de Mayo. Around it are numerous buildings of importance: the cathedral, the municipal palace, the mail building, the Banco de Entre Ríos headquarters, the **José María Torres normal school**, the Orchard school as well as businesses, dining rooms and hotels.



For more information contact:

[https://es.wikipedia.org/wiki/Paran%C3%A1_\(Argentina\)](https://es.wikipedia.org/wiki/Paran%C3%A1_(Argentina))

<http://www.turismoentrerios.com/parana/>



INSCRIPTION

	Professionals Partners ALPP	Professionals Partners APA/SAB	Professionals	Degree students+
Early Registration 30/01/2018	USD 100	USD 120	USD 140	USD 40
Onwards*	USD 120	USD 140	USD 160	USD 50
COURSES #	USD 15	USD 30	USD 40	NO FEE

* Registration costs will be maintained until the date of the Symposium. Accreditations can be made every day.

Registration fee for the following courses:

**Forensic Palynology
Palynofacies**

PAYMENT METHODS

See in the website <http://fcyt.uader.edu.ar/web/sapp2018> under *Inscripción*.

If not, please, contact Mercedes di Pasquo sapp2018@palino.com.ar

We invite everyone to visit this page regularly as they will find updated information about the event and to disseminate this site as well as the circular to those who may have interest.

For suggestions of symposia / round tables and other matters of scientific scope, or related to operational logistics, please contact by mail.

ABSTRACTS

Deadline for submission of abstracts: January 31, 2018. Send to sapp2018@palino.com.ar

All abstracts will be refereed by the Scientific Committee of the Symposium (see instructions for format in attached file). **At least one of the authors** must pay the registration at the closing date of receipt of the abstracts.

The Organizing Committee has foreseen that the number of communications **can not be greater than 2 (two) by first author**. Each author must indicate in the registration form (see attached file), in the case of submitting two communications, which one of them suggests to be presented orally. The Scientific Committee may modify this proposal.

Abstracts will be published in the volume 2017 of the digital magazine of the ALPP, which will be available on the symposium page as well as on the Association's blog and through the UADER website, and will be distributed to other associations and National and international entities.

ALPP AWARD

Within the XVII SAPP the ALPP (Latin American Association of Paleobotany and Palynology, <http://alpaleobotanicapalinologia.blogspot.com.ar>) will award 2 prizes for **postgraduate students** and 2 prizes for **young doctors** (up to 5 years after defending their doctorate), who participate as the first author in a work of Paleobotany or Palynology.

Participants must be associated to the ALPP with the daily quota and for non-members they will have the possibility to join until the deadline for submission of abstracts.

The members of the Directive Committee will select the jury that will evaluate the participants during the event. Winners will receive their prize at the ALPP Assembly at the end of the event, which consists of a certificate and an amount equivalent to the registration fee (Partner / Early Registration).

In the registration form (see in the website) they must indicate in which category (postgraduate or young doctor) they will compete.

For inquiries about the award or the means to partner with ALPP contact Dr. Mercedes Di Pasquo (medipa@cicyttp.org.ar).

ORGANIZATION

A tribute will be made to **Dr. Mirta Quattrocchio**, who through her great trajectory as CONICET researcher and Professor of the South National University (Universidad Nacional del Sur) has a wide contribution to Palynology, and will give the first inaugural plenary lecture. At the end of the event a welcome lunch will be offered.

The event is organized in parallel rooms of **General Sessions (SG) and Thematic Sessions (ST)**, and will offer one plenary lecture per day, and courses and other activities of interest.

General Sessions

Paleozoic Paleobotany and Palynology
Mesozoic Paleobotany and Palynology
Paleogene-Neogene Paleobotany and Palynology
Quaternary Paleobotany and Palynology.

Thematic Sessions (ST)

Paleoxilology
Embryophytes
Palynofacies
Evolution
Phytoliths, Diatoms and Archeobotany / Palynology
Melisopalynology - Entomopalynology
Forensic Palynology
Palynomicology and Modern Processing Techniques
New methodologies in Paleobotany and Palynology

Courses

Red of Pollen Catalogs- RCPol – Dra. Claudia da Silva (Universidad de Sao Paulo, Brasil)- 1 full day – **More information of this online database is in the website <http://rcpol.org.br/en/homepage/>**

Palynofacies – Drs. Marcelo Martínez, Daniela Olivera (Universidad Nacional del Sur)- 1 full day - Paraná

Forensic Palynology – Dra. Leticia Povilauskas (Universidad Nacional de La Plata) - 1 full day - Paraná

Analysis of paleoecological data with "R" and databases in connection with Tilia and Neotoma – Drs. Thomas Heisecke, Sonia Fontana (Goettingen Alemania), Marcos Echeverría (Universidad de Mar del Plata) - 5 days – CICYTTP in Diamante

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE XVII SAPP

President Mercedes di Pasquo - CONICET Researcher - CICYTTP-UADER-ENTRE RÍOS/ ALPP President (2009-2020)	UADER Aníbal Sattler (Rector – UADER) Jorge Noriega (FcyT Dean – UADER)
Vice-president Guillermina Fagúndez – CONICET Researcher- CICYTTP-UADER-ENTRE RÍOS	Science and Technology Secretaries Brenda Ferrero (Rectorado – Universidad Autónoma de Entre Ríos)
Secretaries Noelia Nuñez Otaño – UADER Marcela Quetglas – FCNyM Josefina Bodnar – FCNyM	Ernesto Brunetto (Facultad de Ciencia y Tecnología)
Treasurers Leticia Povilauskas - FCNyM Sol Noetinger– MACN-APA Paola Soñez- CICYTTP	Webmaster Maximiliano Tosso (Facultad de Ciencia y Tecnología)
Webmaster Agustina Yañez – MACN – ALPP Mercedes di Pasquo - SAPP	
Representatives CICYTTP-UADER-ENTRE RIOS	
Mariana Bertos Diego Blettler Daniela Chemez Jimena Franco Eliana Moya Nadia Muñoz Noelia Patterer Esteban Passeggi	Egly Pérez Pincheira Rita Soledad Ramos Estela Rodriguez Leonardo Silvestri Cecilia Trujillo José Felix Vila Favio Gerardo Vossler