

2nd CONGRESS OF GENETICISTS
IN BIH WITH INTERNATIONAL PARTICIPATION



SEPTEMBER 13-17, 2021

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Dear colleagues, followers, and friends,

We proudly invite you to join us on the occasion of the 2nd Congress of Geneticists with International Participation. This year, with COVID-19 threat still looming, we give precedence to the safety; therefore, the Congress will be held online.

The circumstances aside, we intend to maintain the standard established at the 1st Congress of Geneticists with International Participation in 2019. We will gather international authors, bh diaspora representatives, and local scientists that pursue research in various fields of genetics.

This year, we again stand together with University of Sarajevo - Institute for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology, the publisher of Genetics and Application. With special edition of the journal dedicated to the Congress we also contribute to the popularization of the journal.

We invite the presenters and authors to provide *in extenso* manuscripts for the following issues of the journal.

We want to draw your attention to the **"Workshop on Advanced Biotechnology in Bosnia and Herzegovina – novel tools, safety measures, ethical issues in genetic manipulation"**, that we co-organize with the United States Department of Agriculture and State Department. Our intention is to facilitate the introduction of the most advanced method of genetic editing (i.e. CRISPR Cas9) in Bosnia and Herzegovina and develop platform for its safe and responsible utilization, efficient control and monitoring.

I use the opportunity to express my gratitude to all my colleagues from the Organizing and Scientific Committees as well to all of our young colleagues that incorporated their knowledge, experience and efforts into this Congress. In hope that we will make this event into a tradition of *Sharing, Learning and Innovating Genetics* I wish you all pleasant and fruitful work.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "K. Bajrović", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Prof. dr. Kasim Bajrović,

Chairman of the GENuBiH

2nd Congress of Geneticists in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Venue

The ***2nd Congress of Geneticists in Bosnia and Herzegovina*** with international participation will be held online.

All registered attendees and participant

Congress registration fee

	Categories	Early registration 7. 6. - 15. 7. 2021.	Late registration 16. 7. - 1. 9. 2021.
Students*	Attendance only; GENUBiH members	5 €	
	Attendance only; GENUBiH non-members	10 €	
	Presenters; GENUBiH members	15 €	20 €
	Presenters; GENUBiH non-members	20 €	30 €
Attendance only, GENUBiH members		20 €	
Attendance only, GENUBiH non-members		30 €	
Presenters; GENUBiH members		25 €	35 €
Presenters; GENUBiH non-members		50 €	70 €

*Student status is granted upon submission of supporting documentation. Clear and legible scans sent to genubih@gmail.com are acceptable.

Registration fee for the Congress will provide access to online and video sessions and e-posters during the Congress and for the following 12 months. Poster and oral presenters will get a pdf certificate by the email.

Important days

	Date:
Early registration for the Congress	7. 6. 2021. - 15. 7. 2021.
Late registration for the Congress	16. 7. 2021. - 1. 9. 2021.
Abstract submission	5. 6. 2021. - 31. 7. 2021.
Abstract acceptance	15. 8. 2021.

Topics:

- *Human and Medical Genetics,*
- *Genetics of Natural Resources,*
- *Bioengineering, Biotechnology and Bioinformatics,*
- *Biomonitoring and Genetic Toxicology,*
- *Forensic Genetics.*

Abstract guidelines and submission

The authors are invited to submit their abstracts online not later than the **20th of August, 2021.**

The working language of the Congress is English. The abstracts shall be prepared using Calibri, 12 pt not exceeding 350 words (abstract body). The title shall be capitalized, in bold, central alignment, followed by the list of authors and their affiliations. The presenting author's name shall be underlined. The abstract body shall be in justified alignment. The abstract shall not contain abbreviations/acronyms or references.

In the online abstract submission form the type of presentation will be selected (either oral or poster) and topic specified.

The abstracts will be peer-reviewed and the communicating author notified of the outcome. The extended version of selected presentations will be published as full papers in the journal *Genetics and Applications*.

Please fill in the abstract submission through the [Congress registration form](#).

Abstract acceptance will be announced before the 1st of September, 2021 and abstract acceptance confirmations provided if needed.

Congress registration form

Please fill in the [Congress registration form](#) to complete your registration procedure.

Provisional program of the Congress

<i>Time</i>	<i>Mon, Sep 13th</i>	<i>Tue, Sep 14th</i>	<i>Wed, Sep 15th</i>	<i>Thu, Sep 16th</i>	<i>Fri, Sep 17th</i>
<i>Workshop: 13:00-15:00</i>	<i>Workshop day 1</i>	<i>Workshop day 2</i>	<i>Workshop day 3</i>	<i>Workshop day 4</i>	<i>Workshop day 5</i>
<i>Congress: 17:00-20:00</i>	<i>Human and Medical Genetics</i>	<i>Genetics of Natural Resources</i>	<i>Bioengineering, Biotechnology and Bioinformatics</i>	<i>Biomonitoring and Genetic Toxicology</i>	<i>Forensic Genetics</i>

Instructions for international payments

Payments should be made by bank transfer and all bank charges paid by the participant!

BENEFICIARY NAME: Udruženje genetičara u BiH (Genetic Association in Bosnia and Herzegovina)

BENEFICIARY ADDRESS: Zmaja od Bosne 8, 71000 Sarajevo

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