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Plenary Lectures	Thematic Sessions					Workshops and meetings			Social Events
	BIODIVERSITY	ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR	EVOLUTIONARY GENETICS	GLOBAL CHANGE	INSECT VECTORS	Satellite meetings	Workshops	Training and testimonies	
	INSECTS & SOCIETY	INSECTS AS SOLUTIONS	INSECTS THROUGH TIME	PHYSIOLOGY & BIOCHEM.	SOCIAL INSECTS				

Sunday 28th of June — Le Vinci - Palais des Congrès de Tours

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14:00-17:30	Registration	Registration											

Monday 29th of June — Le Vinci - Palais des Congrès de Tours

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08h45-09h30	Opening ceremony	Registration		Opening ceremony									
09h30-10h30	Plenary Lecture 1 Jerome Casas			Plenary Lecture 1 Jerome Casas Biomimetism									
10h30-11h00	Coffee Break		Coffee Break										
11h00-13h00	Thematic Sessions			ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Chemical Ecology of Insect Interactions 1		GLOBAL CHANGE Thermal ecology and climate change 1	EVOLUTIONARY GENETICS Symbionts and insects as holobionts 1	INSECT VECTORS Veterinary entomology	ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Multitrophic interactions 1	BIODIVERSITY Insect monitoring 1	INSECTS & SOCIETY Entomological education and citizen science in entomology	EVOLUTIONARY GENETICS Genetic variation and selection in insect population	SOCIAL INSECTS Parental care 1
13h00-13:20	Lunch Break		Lunch Break										
13h20-14h20												EB Entom Exp App	
14h20-14:30													
14h30-16h30	Thematic Sessions			ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Chemical Ecology of Insect Interactions 2		GLOBAL CHANGE Thermal ecology and climate change 2	EVOLUTIONARY GENETICS Symbionts and insects as holobionts 2	INSECT VECTORS Medical entomology 1	ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Multitrophic interactions 2	BIODIVERSITY Insect monitoring 2	INSECTS AS SOLUTIONS Biomimetism: From biological to bio-inspired photonic materials	INSECTS THROUGH TIME Museomics	SOCIAL INSECTS Parental care 2
16h00-17h00	Poster Session 1 Ice breaker		Poster Session 1 Ice breaker	EU funding programs COST networks		MOVIE Caterpillar		Institut Pasteur: From Lab to Field			Long-term perspectives on biomimetics		Insect parental care

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07h45-08h30	Move Like a Bug 1				Move Like a Bug 2								
08h45-09h00	Announcements	Registration		Announcements									
09h00-10h00	Plenary Lecture 2 Cleo Bertelsmeier			Plenary Lecture 2 Cleo Bertelsmeier Biological Invasion									
10h00-10h30	Coffee Break		Coffee Break										
10h30-12h30	Thematic Sessions			INSECTS AS SOLUTIONS Biocontrol and Integrated pest management 1	ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Plant-Insect-microorganism interactions 1	GLOBAL CHANGE Biological invasion 1	BIODIVERSITY Species distribution 1	INSECT VECTORS Medical entomology 2	EVOLUTIONARY GENETICS Symbionts and insects as holobionts 3	INSECTS THROUGH TIME Insect Systematics in the Biodiversity Crisis 1	INSECTS AS SOLUTIONS Insects as feed and food 1	INSECTS AS SOLUTIONS Biomimetism: Bioinspired materials, sensory and actuation systems	ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Imaging sensing and tracking tools 1
12h30-12:50	Lunch Break		Lunch Break										
12h50-13h50						Career 1 Master Mundus Doctoral Networks				Science Communication			AnimalITA
13h50-14h00													
14h00-16h00	Thematic Sessions			INSECTS AS SOLUTIONS Biocontrol and Integrated pest management 2	ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Plant-Insect-microorganism interactions 2	GLOBAL CHANGE Biological invasion 2	BIODIVERSITY Species distribution 2	INSECT VECTORS Medical entomology 3	SOCIAL INSECTS Division of labour, behavioural specialisat... 1	GLOBAL CHANGE Insect and resistance mechanisms 1	INSECTS AS SOLUTIONS Insects as feed and food 2	EVOLUTIONARY GENETICS Eco-evolutionary dynamics of sexual selection... 1	ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Imaging sensing and tracking tools 2
16h00-16h30	Coffee Break		Coffee Break										
16h30-18h30	Thematic Sessions			INSECTS AS SOLUTIONS Biocontrol and Integrated pest management 3	ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Plant-Insect-microorganism interactions 3	GLOBAL CHANGE Biological invasion 3	EU funding programs LIFE projects	EVOLUTIONARY GENETICS Genomics and evolutionary novelties 1	SOCIAL INSECTS Division of labour, behavioural specialisat... 2	GLOBAL CHANGE Insect and resistance mechanisms 2	INSECTS & SOCIETY From research to impact Insect rearing	EVOLUTIONARY GENETICS Eco-evolutionary dynamics of sexual selection... 2	INSECTS & SOCIETY AI and machine learning

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07h45-08h30	Move Like a Bug 3				Move Like a Bug 2								
08h45-09h00	Announcements	Registration		Announcements									
09h00-10h00	Plenary Lecture 3 Martin Kaltenpoth			Plenary Lecture 3 Martin Kaltenpoth Symbionts									
10h00-10h30	Coffee Break		Coffee Break										
10h30-12h30	Thematic Sessions			ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Plant-Insect-microorganism interaction 4		GLOBAL CHANGE Thermal ecology and climate change 3	BIODIVERSITY Insect decline and conservation biology 1	EVOLUTIONARY GENETICS Genomics and evolutionary novelties 2	INSECTS & SOCIETY Insects and ecosystems services in agriculture 1	PHYSIOLOGY & BIOCHEM. Neurobiology and sensory systems 1	INSECTS & SOCIETY Forest entomology 1	INSECTS & SOCIETY Global Entomology: Strengthening N–S Cooperation	INSECTS & SOCIETY Forensic entomology
12h30-12:50	Lunch Break		Lunch Break										
12h50-13h50						Career 2 MSC Actions ERC		Trivia Event		Open Science		ECE PREASIDIUM	
13h50-14h00													
14h00-16h00	Thematic Sessions			ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Plant-Insect-microorganism interactions 5		GLOBAL CHANGE Thermal ecology and climate change 4	BIODIVERSITY Insect decline and conservation biology 2	EVOLUTIONARY GENETICS Genomics and evolutionary novelties 3	INSECTS & SOCIETY Insects and ecosystems services in agriculture 2	PHYSIOLOGY & BIOCHEM. Neurobiology and sensory systems 2	INSECTS & SOCIETY Forest entomology 2	Meeting of Entomological Societies	PHYSIOLOGY & BIOCHEM. Endocrinology and hormonal regulation in insects
16h00-1700	Poster Session 2 Ice breaker		Poster Session 2 Ice breaker				INSECTS & SOCIETY From research to impact Conservation	Tribute to Marylène Poirié	Careers in Entomology	Functional characterization of arthropod genes			

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08h45-09h00	Announcements	Registration		Announcements									
09h00-10h00	Plenary Lecture 4 Bregje Wertheim			Plenary Lecture 4 Bregje Wertheim Immunity									
10h00-10h30	Coffee Break		Coffee Break										
10h30-12h30	Thematic Sessions			INSECTS AS SOLUTIONS Biocontrol and Integrated pest management 4	ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Chemical Ecology of Insect Interactions 3	EVOLUTIONARY GENETICS Unraveling phenotypic plasticity	PHYSIOLOGY & BIOCHEM. Insect pathology and immunity 1	INSECT VECTORS Vectors of plant pathogens 1	INSECTS & SOCIETY Biopesticides and improved formulations 1	PHYSIOLOGY & BIOCHEM. Insect development	ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Population dynamics and modelling 1	SOCIAL INSECTS Apidology 1	INSECTS THROUGH TIME Insect Systematics in the Biodiversity Crisis 2
12h30-12:50	Lunch Break		Lunch Break										
12h50-13h50						Career 3 Collaborative projects					Ethics and Welfare	Entomology in the wikispace	EB Royal Entomological Society
13h50-14h00													
14h00-16h00	Thematic Sessions			INSECTS AS SOLUTIONS Biocontrol and Integrated pest management 5	ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Chemical Ecology of Insect Interactions 4	ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Behavioral ecology 1	PHYSIOLOGY & BIOCHEM. Insect pathology and immunity 2	INSECT VECTORS Vectors of plant pathogens 2	INSECTS & SOCIETY Biopesticides and improved formulations 2	PHYSIOLOGY & BIOCHEM. Insect development Insect metabolism and nutrition	ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Population dynamics and modelling 2	SOCIAL INSECTS Apidology 2	INSECTS THROUGH TIME Paleoentomology
16h00-16h30	Coffee Break		Coffee Break										
16h30-18h30	Thematic Sessions			INSECTS AS SOLUTIONS Biocontrol and Integrated pest management 6	ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Multitrophic interactions 3	ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Behavioral ecology 2	EVOLUTIONARY GENETICS Eco-evolutionary dynamics of host-microbiome interactions	INSECT VECTORS Vectors of plant pathogens 3		PHYSIOLOGY & BIOCHEM. Insect metabolism and nutrition	ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Population dynamics and modelling 3		INSECTS THROUGH TIME Archeoentomology
20h00-23h30	Gala Dinner							Gala Dinner					

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08h00-08h30													
08h30-10h30	Thematic Sessions	Registration		INSECTS & SOCIETY Insects and Ecosystems services in agriculture 3		ECOLOGY & BEHAVIOR Behavioral ecology 3	INSECTS AS SOLUTIONS Ecosystems services – Pollination	BIODIVERSITY Species distribution 3	INSECTS & SOCIETY Biopesticides and improved formulations 3	INSECTS & SOCIETY Urban entomology	INSECTS AS SOLUTIONS Ecosystems services – Soil managers and Architects		
10h30-11h00	Coffee Break		Coffee Break										
11h00-12h00	Plenary Lecture 5 Francesco Pennacchio			Plenary Lecture 5 Francesco Pennacchio Plant protection									
12h00-13h00	Closing ceremony			Closing ceremony									
13h00-14h00	Lunch		Lunch boxes										