

1st ICHBG

1st International Congress of Historic Botanical Gardens

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- Over recent years, there has been a renewed interest in the care and value of historic botanical gardens those with built heritage, historical collections, or historical connections. Such gardens have made a major contribution to our understanding of the origin and development of botanical science, and to related disciplines such as herbal medicine, ethnobotany and ethnopharmacology. They have also influenced many of the crops we grow, the food we eat and the trees, shrubs and herbs that adorn our streets, parks, and gardens.
- However, unless prompt action is taken, many of these unique resources risk falling into neglect, decay or in some cases total loss. This is already happening in many places, and it is timely to celebrate and protect the treasures held in these historic botanic gardens. The 1st International Congress of Historic Botanical Gardens will be held in Lisbon, 11-12 October 2021. In the second year of the great pandemic that conditioned our activity, we will meet in person, safely, or virtually, with the perks of those who may be present.
- We dedicate this congress to Vernon Heywood, an intense and passionate life for Botany and Conservation of Biodiversity.



- The Congress will be held at the Museu Nacional de História Natural e da Ciência/Museus da Universidade de Lisboa (MUHNAC/MULisboa)
- The National Museum of Natural History and Science (MUHNAC) is the largest and most important museum of the University of Lisbon. It includes the Lisbon Botanic Garden (19th century), the Laboratorio Chimico (19th century), the Astronomical Observatory of the Lisbon Polytechnic School (19th century), the Ajuda Astronomical Observatory (19th century) and the collections of the Tropical Research Institute (IICT) and the Tropical Botanic Garden (early 20th century), apart from diverse collections of natural history, history of science and medicine, biobanks (seeds, audio and DNA/tissues), scientific illustrations and drawings, photography, cartography, institutional history and one of the largest scientific historical archives in Portugal. MUHNAC is the leader os PRISC, the Portuguese Infrastructure of Scientific Collections, included in the national roadmap of strategic research infrastructures.
- In the web page you have information about hotels that we recommend: https://historicalbotanicgardenscongress.org/accomodation



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THE SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS IS OPEN

Other deadlines:

July 21st: Final deadline for abstracts submission and for early bird

registration.

August 24th: Final decision of contribution acceptance by the Scientific

Committee.

August 31st: Final deadline for cancelation request.

September 1st: Start of late registration fee. **October 4th:** Final deadline for online payment

October 11-12th, 2021: 1st International Congress of Historical Botanic

Gardens

November 30th: Final deadline for full-paper submission

Fees – All the infoormation at

https://historicalbotanicgardenscongress.org/fees/

One day and full registration fee includes:

Admission to all scientific sessions
Admission to posters & workshops sessions
Congress book of abstracts & program
Proceedings
Coffee breaks
Certificate of attendance

Accompanying Person

Full registration fee for accompanying person includes:

Congress welcome reception

Entry tickets for MNHN's and Botanic Gardens of University of Lisbon with guided visits

(1) Student registration requires a copy of an International Student Identity Card (ISIC) or a Certificate of Student status signed by the Head of the Institute or Department and must be sent to the Congress Secretariat before the registration deadline of the applicable tariff by regular mail or as a scanned document via email. Please note in the email title "Student Certificate".

(2) AAJBA, AAJH only for members up to date with their 2021 subscription.



Themes

Conference themes (*Promoting and protecting our historical legacy*):

- 1. Historic Botanic Gardens (case studies and definitions).
- 2. Botanic Gardens and the introduction of economically important species.
- 3. History is now documenting and protecting contemporary gardens for posterity.
- 4. Managing Historic Botanic Gardens (problems and issues): Preserving the past while responding to contemporary needs.
- 5. Tourism opportunities for Historical Botanic Gardens. Round Table: *Promoting and protecting our historical legacy.*

Complete information and registration at:

https://historicalbotanicgardenscongress.org