



9th International Bioerosion Workshop

First circular

This is the first announcement inviting you to participate in the 9th International Bioerosion Workshop (IBW) that will be held at the Istituto Superiore per la Conservazione ed il Restauro (ISCR), Rome, Italy, on 23rd-27th October 2017.

Website: www.9thbioerosionworkshop.com

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Topics

- Bioerosion in natural and artificial substrates: stone, wood, building materials, coral reefs
- Bioerosion in Cultural Heritage: stone and wooden artefacts in underwater and subaerial environments
- Bioerosion in Paleoecology, Paleontology and Paleoichnology

Important dates

Abstract submission deadline: February 1st 2017

Early registration: before May 1st 2017

Late registration: from May 2nd 2017 to July 31st 2017

Guidelines for abstracts

Deadline to submit contributions: February 1st 2017

Send to: info@9thbioerosionworkshop.com

Language: English

File format: MS Word file (docx, rtf) or MS Word compatible files

Paper size: A4, margins 2.5 cm at all sides

Specify:

- selected topic
- type of contribution (poster or oral presentation)

Fonts and paragraph formats

- **Title:** Arial, 14 pt, bold, lowercase, single spaced, justified
- **Author(s):** Arial, 12 pt, regular, lowercase, single spaced, justified
Name¹, Given name(s), Name², Given name(s) & Name³, Given name(s)
Name of the presenter to be underlined
- **Address(es):** Arial, 11 pt, regular, single spaced
- **Contact author's e-mail:** Arial, 11 pt, regular
- If there is more than one author, please indicate who is the corresponding author.

Abstract

- **Length:** maximum two pages (figures, tables and references included)
- **Text:** Arial, 12pt, single spaces
- Latin taxa names in italics

Registration fees

	Early registration before May 1 st 2017	Late registration from May 2 nd 2017 to July 31 st 2017	On-site
Regular participant*	250€	350€	500€
Student Speaker**°	100€	150€	250€
Student Visitor***°	50€	50€	50€

**The fee includes: access to all sessions, coffee and lunch breaks, conference kit, USB pen drive with abstracts, social events (the Ice-breaker, intra-conference fieldtrip) and certificate of presentation.*

*** The fee includes: access to all sessions, coffee breaks and certificate of participation.*

° Students must send a copy of study registration to info@9thbioerosionworkshop.com

Social dinner will cost 60€ per person, payable in cash upon registration on 23rd October 2017 at the conference desk.

Post-workshop excursion – 28th-29th October 2017

The participants will visit the area of Campi Flegrei (Naples). The programme includes a visit to: the submerged archaeological park by boat with underwater viewing chamber; the Archaeological Museum of Campi Flegrei; the *Macellum* of Puteoli and the Solfatara volcano.

The excursion will be held with a minimum number of 15 participants. It will not take place in case of adverse weather conditions or extraordinary events.

The fee ranges between 250€ and 300€, it includes: bus ride; visits; lunches; dinner and hotel accommodation.

The fees are payable from January 2017 to:

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Further information

The conference programme, a list of speakers and poster presenters will be provided in the second circular in April 2017.