



1st Meeting of the Iberian Ecological Society
XIV AEET Meeting
Barcelona, Spain
4th - 7th February 2019

Ecology: an integrative science in the Anthropocene

Coinciding with the commemoration of the centenary of the birth of Professor Ramón Margalef, we are pleased to announce the first Iberian Ecological Society Meeting. The conference is aimed to be the kickoff of a new scientific society joining ecologists from Iberian countries, whatever the system or approach they work on. The Asociación Española de Ecología Terrestre (AEET), the Asociación Ibérica de Limnología (AIL), and the Sociedade Portuguesa de Ecologia (SPECO), as well as a group of Iberian Marine Ecologists, support this initiative. The conference will concur with the XIV AEET Meeting.

The conference will address the great transdisciplinary and integrative background of Ecology. The objective of the conference is to highlight those crosscutting ecological concepts shared by the different branches of this discipline (limnology, marine ecology, terrestrial ecology, theoretical ecology), regardless of the study system. In this way, we aim to provide a platform for the dialogue and the exchange of ideas and approaches between the different specialties of our science. The broad scope of Ecology makes this science particularly convenient to study the huge environmental transformations induced by human societies, a topic that will be specifically addressed in the meeting. A preliminary list of themes will include, among others:

- Theoretical ecology
- Evolutionary ecology
- Molecular ecology
- Biogeography and macroecology
- Community ecology
- Biodiversity
- Biotic interactions
- Population ecology
- Food webs and energy fluxes
- Biogeochemical cycles
- Global change
- Conservation, restoration and management
- Ecology and society

Conference venue

The conference will be held at University of Barcelona, Biology Faculty building (Diagonal 643, Barcelona)
<http://www.ub.edu/biologia/queoferim/index/planol.html>

Important dates

- March-April 2018: Call for Sessions Proposal
- June 2018: Call for Contributions
- June 2018: Opening of Registration
- October 2018: Acceptance of Contributions

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Websites

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AEET: <http://www.aeet.org/>

SPECO: <http://www.speco.pt/pt/>

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