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WORLD AQUACULTURE VISITS MEXICO

The World Aquaculture Society is the organization of professionals in the most important field in the world, with members of more than 100 countries. Its annual conference is recognized globally as the most relevant for the exchange of knowledge, technology, innovation and professional network training. During WA2022 there will be the participation of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) and other international organizations. There will be multiple presentations, workshops, business meetings, trade exhibition, art gallery, technical visits to farms and process plants in the region, and various events dedicated to building professional networks.

Mérida is distinguished for being one of the most beautiful cities in the world, as well as being considered one of the jewels of Latin America. With a wonderful climate, friendly and hospitable people, located in the State of Yucatan, cradle of the Mayan culture; It has various tourist attractions, among which are archaeological centers, beaches, large haciendas and majestic cenotes.

The Yucatan International Congress Center is an ecologically responsible building, equipped with state-of-the-art technology, built under the LEED Green Building certification system, it has "El Cenote" inside it, an underwater river that makes it unique in the world.

Due to the richness of its natural and hydrological resources, Mexico is considered one of the countries with the greatest aquaculture potential in the world. It is an honor for Mexico and a great opportunity that Mérida will become the capital of aquaculture during 2022. This event is expected to be a watershed in the evolution of the activity not only in the peninsula but throughout the country. #AquacultureNow.

WA2022 is inviting the national and international organisations and societies to hold their seminar, workshop and meetings during the event in Merida.

Stay in touch with the program developments for WORLD AQUACULTURE 2021 through our Web Page at: www.was.org



TECHNICAL PROGRAM COVERS THE LATEST RESEARCH

Sessions and workshops at World Aquaculture 2021 will cover all aspects of aquaculture in the Latin American and Caribbean region as well as the rest of the world. Sample topics will include:

Abalone

Advances in alternative feed ingredients Advances in live feeds for larviculture

Algea and macrophytes

Amphibian and Reptile Aquaculture

Animal health and Welfare

Aquaculture and Circular Economy Aquaculture business incubator

Aquaculture for the future

Aquaponics and Integrated Aquaculture-

Agriculture Systems

Aquatic veterinary health capacity

Arid land Aquaculture

Barramundi, Seabass & Seabream

Bio-floc Systems Biosecurity Biotechnology

Biotechnology products from the sea: Pharma,

Additives, Protein Sources

Breeding & Genetics Cage-culture Carpet Shells

Carps Catfish

Certification and legislation Clams (including Giant Clams) Climate change, adaptation, resilience

Cobia

Coldwater Species - General

Commercial Species. Shrimp, Tilapia, Oyster, Tuna Country Specific Sessions (eg 2008 Norway)

Crabs & Lobsters

Crayfish & Freshwater Prawn

Development of national aquaculture technology Development, Welfare and Poverty Alleviation (AwF)

Diseases

Drugs and Chemotherapeutics Economics & Management Ecosystems approach

Education, Extension, Technology Transfer & Workforce Development (AquaEd)

Eels Embryology Emerging Issues Emerging Species

Enhancement, Stocking & Ranching

Environment and Biodiversity and Climate Change

Energy-alternative sources and conservation

Engineering

Financing and investment Finfish Broodstock Maturation

Fish Health

Fish Meal and Oil (IFFO)

Flatfish

Food Safety, Inspections and Audits

Food security

Freshwater fish: Catfish, trout, Pejelagarto

Atractosteus tropicus

Freshwater crustaceans: Cherax crayfish,
Procambarus crawfish, Macrobrachium spp.

Freshwater Species - General

The future of integrated aquaculture

General Aquaculture

Genetic Improvement Programs for commercially

important aquaculture species

Grouper & Snapper

Hatchery & Larvae Management

Hatchery and Nursery Health - food and well-being

Immunology

Information Technology in Aquaculture

Innovation and High Techs

Integrated Multi-trophic Aquaculture

Investment funds and financing mechanisms for

aquaculture

Korean Aquaculture Session

Macroalgae

Marine Fish: Red drum, Cobia, Snapper, Totoaba,

Groupers Marketing & Trade Markets and media

Milkfish

Mollusks: Bivalves (Scallops, Penshell), Octopus

Mollusc Broodstock and Hatchery

Mollusc Cultivation

Mullets
Mussels
Nutrition & Feed
Ocean acidication
Octopus and Cuttlefish
Offshore Aquaculture
Omics tools for Aquaculture
Organic Aquaculture
Ornamentals
Other Marine Fish

Ovster

Pacific & Indigenous Aquaculture Pangasius, Clarias & Ictalurus Pearl and Queen Conch Culture

3rd International Symposium on Perch and Bass

Physiology, Morphology & Histology

Plankton Culture
Policy & Regulations
Polyculture
Pond Culture

Prebiotics and Probiotics Processing Technology Product Quality Production systems Raceway Systems Recirculating Systems

Regularization in aquaculture planning Reservoir based and Lake Aquaculture

Salmonids Scallops Sea cucumbers Sea urchins

Seafood & Health (GILLS) Seaweeds and Algae

Shrimp Farm Design and Management

Shrimp Feeding and Nutrition

Shrimp Genetics, Broodstock and Hatchery Management

Shrimp pathology and biosecurity

Snappers Socioeconomics

Spatial Planning, Regulation and Zoning

Species with potential for Expansion. Marine Fish (Seriola),

Pacific Oyster

Species with potential for economic development

Standards & Certification

Sturgeons Supply chain

Sustainable Development of Aquaculture

Tilapia Trade Trouts Tuna

Urban aquaculture Value Chain Development Warm water Species – General

Wastage Utilisation Water Quality and Usage Women in Aquaculture Workforce development Yellowtails, Amberjacks, etc

Zebrafish

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- * Admission to all sessions, seminars and the trade show.
- * Admission to the Receptions.
- Conference bag and Show Directory(except for spouse)
- Refreshment Breaks and Cash Bar Happy Hour
- Students receive the full registration package plus the Student Reception.

To qualify for the student rate, a copy of your student I.D. is required.

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FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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CALL FOR PAPERS – DEADLINE: February 28 2022

WORLD AQUACULTURE 2021 encourages the submission of high quality oral and poster presentations. We strongly encourage authors to consider poster presentations because poster sessions will be an integral part of the program. Papers submitted for "oral presentation only" may not be accepted as oral presentations due to the limited number of available time slots. **All abstracts must be in English – the official language of the conference.**

Each oral presenter shall be entitled to no more than 15 minutes for a presentation, plus 5 minutes for questions. Authors of studies involving proprietary products or formulations should present this information in workshops or the trade show. Oral presentations should use Power Point. Slides, overhead projectors and video players will not be available or allowed.

All presenters are required to pay their own registration accommodation and travel expenses. WORLD AQUACULTURE 2021 cannot subsidize registration fees, travel or hotel costs.

No Abstract Book will be printed - an Abstract Book will be available online.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF ABSTRACTS

Expanded Abstract Format - Please refer to the sample.

- **1. TITLE OF PAPER:** The abstract title is printed in CAPITAL LETTERS, with the exception of scientific names which should be Upper/lower case and *italicized* (see example). Scientific names should not be preceded or followed by commas or parentheses or other markings.
- **2. AUTHOR(S):** The first name should be the presenting author. Use * after the presenting author. Type in upper/lower case.
- **3. ADDRESS AND EMAIL:** Type only the <u>presenting</u> <u>author's</u> institution, address and email. Type in upper/lower case.
- 4. MAXIMUM LENGTH: One Page
- **5. PAGE SIZE:** Standard 8.5 x 11 inch paper (portrait)
- **6. MARGINS:** 1-inch margin throughout (left/right/top/bottom)
- 7. SPACING: Single spaced
- **8. PARAGRAPHS:** Paragraphs should be separated by a blank line and should not be indented.
- 9. FONTS: Character fonts should be 12 point type.
- 10. FIGURES & TABLES: Figures and tables are highly recommended. They should be reduced to the appropriate size for a one page abstract and should be clearly readable at the reduced size. The reduced figures and tables should be included in the abstract in camera-ready form.



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PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR ABSTRACT ONLINE

Submit your abstract via the internet at the meeting website.

Follow the complete instructions on the website for online submission.

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If you are unable to submit your abstract online, contact the Conference Manager for alternative methods at:



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MANY OPPORTUNITIES FOR FARM TOURS

Some very special tours will be arranged. Details to be provided later – check our website for updates.

HOTELS

We have arranged a wide range of quality accommodations at special rates. Please check the website for hotel details.

TRADE SHOW SCHEDULE

MAY 25 10:00 - 18:30

MAY 26 10:00 - 18:30

MAY 27 10:00 - 16:30

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TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Tuesday, May 24					
Registration Open & Exhibit Set-up	1000 – 1700				
Farm Tours					
WAS Business Meeting	1600 – 1700				
COFI Meeting	0900 – 1700				
Inauguration & WAS/LACC Awards/spotlight	1700 - 1900				
Welcome Drink	1915 – 2100				
Wednesday, May 25					
Registration Open	0730 – 1700				
Plenary Sessions	0900 – 1030				
Break	1030 – 1120				
Trade Show Open	1000 – 1830				
Sessions	1120 – 1300				
FAO COFI meeting	1120 – 1700				
Industry Forum	1120 – 1700				
Lunch (at individual expense)	1300 – 1430				
Sessions	1430 – 1730				
Happy Hour & Posters	1730 – 1830				
Student Reception	1900 – 2100				
Thursday, May 26					
Registration Open	0800 – 1700				
Sessions	0900 - 1040				
COFI Meeting	0900 – 1700				
Break	1040 – 1110				
Trade Show Open	1000 – 1830				
Sessions	1110 – 1310				
Lunch (at individual expense)	1310 – 1430				
Sessions	1430 – 1730				
Happy Hour & Posters	1730 – 1830				
President's Reception	1900 – 2200				
Friday, May 27					
Registration Open	0800 – 1600				
Sessions	0900 – 1040				
COFI Meeting	1300 – 1700				
Break	1040 – 1110				
Trade Show Open	1000 – 1630				
Sessions	1110 – 1310				
Lunch (at individual expense)	1300 – 1430				
Sessions	1430 – 1550				
Break	1550 – 1610				
Sessions	1610 – 1730				
Exhibit Move-out	1630 – 1900				

Saturday, May 28

Farm Tours

