



50 YEARS OF OPTIMA AND 30 YEARS OF FLORA MEDITERRANEA AND BOCCONEA

**International collaboration and ongoing projects on floras and
taxonomy in European and Mediterranean countries**

Online at: <https://meet.google.com/uit-dhch-jvw>

27th June – Palazzo Branciforte, Largo Gae Aulenti, 2, Palermo

15:30-18:00. – Scientific meeting

15:30-16:00. Theophrastus Award 2024 to Prof. K. Husnu Can Baser (Nicosia, Cyprus) and lecture: Essential Oil-bearing Plants of the Island of Cyprus.

16:00-16:15. Floccia Francesca (Rome, Italy): SBI and ISPRA: working together to bring fungi into environmental policies.

16:15-16:30. Valdés Benito (Seville, Spain): The endless floristic knowledge of a territory. The Iberian Peninsula.

16:30-16:45. Korotkova Nadja (Berlin, Germany): The Euro+Med PlantBase - Metrics, impact, status, and future directions.

16:45-17:00. Chatelain Cyrille (Genève, Switzerland): African Plant Database, a tool for Flora and a link to WFO, what do we need?

17:00-17:15. Oberprieler Christoph (Regensburg, Germany): Integrative species delimitation in intensively hybridising plant genera - the CARRARA approach.

17:15-17:30. Nieto Feliner Gonzalo (Madrid, Spain): Revisiting taxonomically challenging groups with phylogenomics. Lessons from the western Mediterranean *Arenaria* sect. *Plinthine* (*Caryophyllaceae*).

17:30-17:45. Raimondo Francesco M. (Palermo, Italy): The Herbarium Mediterraneum project in Palermo: current status and perspectives.

17:45-18:00. Domina Giannantonio & al. (Palermo, Italy): Thirty years of publishing activity of the Foundation pro Herbario Mediterraneo.

18:00 – 19:30. International Board of OPTIMA (restricted)

28th June – Palazzo Branciforte, Largo Gae Aulenti, 2, Palermo

9:30-12:15 – Scientific meeting

9:30-9:45. Greuter Werner (Berlin, Germany & Palermo, Italy): Med-Cheklst Think tank.

9:45-10:00. Kamari Georgia (Patras, Greece), Bareka Pepi (Athens, Greece): Karyology as a Key Factor in Plant Biosystematics: Karyological Databases and Mediterranean Plant Karyological Data.

10:00-10:15. Spadaro Vivienne (Palermo, Italy) & al.: Wild species from the families *Apiaceae* and *Asteraceae* traditionally used as food in some Mediterranean countries.

10:15-10:30. Gianluigi Bacchetta (Cagliari, Italy): The conservation of the Mediterranean flora: from theory to practice.

10:30-10:45. Svetlana Bancheva (Sofia, Bulgaria): State of the art and future prospects about the Flora of Bulgaria.

10:45-11:00. Fennane Mohamed (Rabat, Morocco): Perspectives pour une Flore électronique du Maroc.

11:00-11:15. Domina Giannantonio (Palermo, Italy): Recent developments in vascular flora research in Italy.

11:15-11:30. Šegota Vedran, Vuković Nina (Zagreb, Croatia): Current status of the Flora Croatica Database project.

11:30-11:45. Tison Jean-Marc (L'Isle d'Abeau, France) & al.: The current state of knowledge of the French Flora.

11:45-12:00. Daoud-Bouattour Amina (Tunis, Tunisia): 2010-2025 : Nouvelle mise à jour taxonomique de la Flore de Tunisie.

12:00-12:15. Sennikov Alexander (Helsinki, Finland): State of the art and future prospects about the Atlas Florae Europaea.

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