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International Society for Plant Pathology

(Dr Greg Johnson, President 2013-2018)



Report to ISPP from an Associated Society for 2013-2018.

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Name of Society: French Phytopathological Society (Société Française de Phytopathologie)

Year Established: 1971

Web address for Society: <http://www.sfp-asso.org/>

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Nominated Officers. Is the list for your society on the ISPP website correct?

(<http://www.isppweb.org/societies.asp>) Yes/~~No~~* (*strike out whichever is not applicable)

(If Yes, there is no need to list them here. If listing is not correct, please list here President, Secretary, Treasurer, Business Manager/Office and ISPP councillors (address, telephone and email contacts).

Will a Society member be making corrections to the ISPP entry for your society on-line?

Yes/~~No~~*

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Society membership: 233 members in 2015; 262 members in 2016; 277 members in 2017

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Society Activities and publications

The French Society of Phytopathology (Société Française de Phytopathologie – SFP) is a non-profit society aimed at encouraging and developing research in phytopathology, facilitating relationships between scientists, and participating in the organization of national and international congresses, conferences and meetings. The SFP financially encourages young scientists (PhD students) to attend national and international conferences related to phytopathology, by awarding about 10 grants each year. The Society holds its national congress every 3 years. The last Congress was a joined conference SFP with the European Foundation for Plant Pathology (EFPP), which was held in Dunkerque in June 2017.

The forthcoming SFP Congress will be held in Bordeaux or Arcachon in June 2021. Members of SFP were selected by ISPP to organize the ICPP2023 Congress which will be held in Lyon (France) from 20-25 August 2023 and thus be hosted by the SFP.

The SFP also organizes three more specific conferences (focused on plant virology, bacteriology and mycology) in Aussois (French Alps) every 2 years (see below). During these meeting, the SFP awards a prize for the best oral presentation and the best poster presented by the students. The SFP also sponsors a number of national and international conferences, related to plant pathology, which are organized by SFP members. Communication among SFP members is largely provided through a mailing list (about 300 messages posted each year), the SFP Website (<http://www.sfp-asso.org/>), and a Twitter account since 2016 (@SFP_France, >850 followers, >2000 tweets). The SFP board has decided

to contribute to a new edition of his famous French-speaking "Phytopathologie" book dating 2003. The second edition might be produced in 2019.

Society Conferences and Workshops

- 14th Plant Virology Meeting, Aussois. 13-17 Jan. 2013.
- 10th "Jean Chevaugeon" Phytopathology and Mycology Meeting, Aussois, 25-29 Jan. 2014.
- 11th Bacteria/Plant Meeting, Aussois. 3-7 Feb. 2014
- 15th Plant Virology Meeting, Aussois, 11-15 Jan. 2015.
- 9th National Congress of the SFP, Colmar, 2-5 June 2015. <https://colloque.inra.fr/colloquesfp2015/>
- 11th "Jean Chevaugeon" Phytopathology and Mycology Meeting, Aussois, 22-25 Jan. 2016. <https://colloque.inra.fr/jjc2016/>
- 12th Bacteria/Plant Meeting, Aussois. 2016
- 16th Plant Virology Meeting, Aussois, 15-19 Jan. 2017. <http://rvv2017.cirad.fr/index.php/rvv2017/user/register/2>
- 12th EFPP-10th SFP Conference, Dunkerque, 29 May-2 June 2017. <https://efpp12sfp10.univ-littoral.fr/>
- 12th "Jean Chevaugeon" Phytopathology and Mycology Meeting, Aussois, 15-19 Jan. 2018. <https://colloque.inra.fr/jjc2018/>
- 13th Bacteria/Plant Meeting, Aussois, 29 Jan.-2 Feb. 2018. <https://colloque.inra.fr/aussois-plantes-bacteries-2018/>

Conferences and Workshops sponsored by the SFP

- Workshop of the French Network for Plant Health, Angers, 28-29 Mar. 2013. http://www.geves.fr/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=440&Itemid=560&lang=fr
- 6th meeting of IOBC-WPRS Working Group, Induced resistance in plants against insects and diseases: leaping from success in the lab to success in the field, Avignon, 10-13 juin 2013. https://colloque.inra.fr/iobc_inducedresistance_avignon_French_Society_of_Phytopathology
- 6th European Workshop on Leaf Senescence, Versailles, 14-18 octobre 2013. https://colloque.inra.fr/6th_workshop_on_leaf_senescence
- Conférence "Tolérance aux stress biotiques et abiotiques chez les plantes cultivées". Ilheus, Brésil, 6-8 novembre 2013
- Colloque "Interactions bactéries-champignons : un domaine de recherche fédérateur pour la microbiologie fondamentale et appliquée". Roscoff, France. 7-11 décembre 2013
- Journées du REID. Montpellier, France. 10-13 février 2014
- 2nd Adam Kondorosi Symposium: Frontiers in Legume Biology. Gif sur Yvette, France. 11-12 décembre 2014
- Colloque Pathobiome. Paris, France. 24-26 juin 2015
- International Conference on Arabidopsis Research. Paris, France. 5-9 juillet 2015
- Conférence "Diagnostic en santé des végétaux". Angers, France. 1-2 avril 2015
- Colloque "Génétique des interactions arbres-parasites". Orléans, France. 23-28 août 2015
- Réunion du réseau Résistance de l'INRA. Lauret, France. 4-6 novembre 2015
- Réunion annuelle du réseau européen Cost Sustain. Banyuls, France 17-19 février 2016.
- 13th European Congress of Fungal Genetics ECFG, Paris France, 3-6 April 2016
- Euro-Mediterranean Agrobacterium Meeting. Gif sur Yvette, France. 12-14 septembre 2016
- 13e Congrès International d'Epidémiologie des Virus. Avignon, France. 6-10 juin 2016
- 3rd Adam Kondorosi Symposium: Frontiers in Beneficial Plant-Microbe Interactions. Gif sur Yvette, France. 24-25 avril 2017

Funding opportunities

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