ICPS CONFERENCE 2018 CALL FOR PROPOSALS

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After the successful and exciting 2016 ICPS Conference in London, UK, it is time to select the next location for 2018 ICPS Conference. According to our principle of fair global distribution and the set schedule, the next venue should preferably be located in The Americas. If you or your society feels this should be your turn, please send a proposal by email to marcel@carnivorousplants.org.

In your proposal include information on the person/society (with contact details, including email) who will organize the Conference, the intended venue (capacity, equipment), travel details, accommodation, field trip opportunities, how you plan to make a record of the Conference (proceedings), and any ideas that will assist the ICPS Board of Directors to choose your proposal.

Please understand that, while perhaps interesting, proposals without a direct (personal) commitment to organize the Conference cannot be accepted for serious consideration by the Board.

The ICPS is prepared to distribute information and advertise the forthcoming event to its members and, if requested, a monetary loan to cover advance expenses can be supplied. The conference should, however, be economically self-sustained so any advanced payment by the ICPS can be reimbursed subsequently.

The ICPS will consider a grant for the creation of a record (or proceedings) of the conference.

If you have any questions about what should be in your proposal or what to expect when you try to set up a Conference, you can send your questions to marcel@carnivorousplants.org. A "Conference-manual" containing tips, tricks, and hard earned experience by those who organized a previous Conference is available to help you along the way.

Your proposal should be received by 15 April 2017.



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