

# PROGRESS AND FUTURE PERSPECTIVES ON THE COMPLEXITY OF SYMBIOSIS

Thursday, 12 December 2019

Grados Conference Room, Faculty of Mathematics, Burjassot Campus  
Information for students who are participating in the round table

Registration for the conference is free and is now open at <http://ir.uv.es/5uzGUKz>

## 10:45 ROUND TABLE.

Moderators: Patricia **Moya** (ICBIBE) and Arantzazu **Molins** (ICBIBE)

<http://symbiolichen.blogs.uv.es/>

What is a round table? A round table is a group dynamics technique in which a group of specialists on a topic, coordinated by a moderator, conducts a discussion.

**Objectives of the round table:** To offer and share different points of view from a wide and varied level of information and expertise. To provide facts and opinions on the topics under discussion. To debate the proposed topics. To generate ideas and possible collaborations.

### *Session planning by experts and moderators:*

Assignment of the subject matter and the order of presentation.

1. **Biodiversity of microorganisms in holobiontas:** Lucia Muggia (UNITS, Italy), Eva Barreno (UVEG)
2. **Extremophile organisms:** Ricardo Amils (INTA, UAM)
3. **Lichens and climate change:** Leopoldo G. Sancho (UCM)
4. **Cell signaling in symbiosis:** Lorenzo Lamattina (UMDP, Argentina), Myriam Catalá (URJC)
5. **Metabolism and biotechnological applications:** Pedro Carrasco (UVEG)

- ✓ The participants will sit in a semi-circle on the central stage of the Grado Conference Room of the Faculty of Mathematics, with the moderator sitting in the middle.
- ✓ The moderator will start the round table, present the general subject matter and briefly present each speaker.
- ✓ Each speaker will give a 10-minute presentation with the help of a PowerPoint, if necessary. The PowerPoint will be projected behind the semicircle, and can be controlled remotely by the speaker from his/her seat.
- ✓ The moderator will control the time for each speaker and encourage debate amongst the round table participants concerning the topic.
- ✓ A question and answer session will take place between the members of the table and the audience in the auditorium.
- ✓ The moderator will summarize and bring each discussion point to a conclusion

The round table will conclude with a summary of the meeting or debate.

