

## 1<sup>ST</sup> ANNOUNCEMENT FOR REGISTRATION, PAPERS AND ABSTRACTS



CAN THO UNIVERSITY  
Can Tho, Vietnam



with participation of European and Hungarian institutions:



Institute for Small Animal Research and Co-ordination Centre for Gene Conservation (KÁTKI) Godollo



Association of Hungarian Small Animal Breeders for Gene Conservation (MGE) Godollo



Research Institute for Fisheries, Aquaculture and Irrigation (HAKI) Szarvas

cordially invite Southeast-Asian and European scientists, experts, breeders and producers and their co-operating colleagues, who work in Agricultural Research for Development (ARD), animal husbandry, gene conservation of AnGR, aquaculture and fisheries, to participate in the

**7<sup>th</sup> Vietnamese–Hungarian International Conference on Agricultural Research  
for Development (ARD)**

including

**“International EU-SEA Scientific Symposium on Agricultural Research for  
Development (ARD) with special regards to Ecological Farming Systems”**

**(Can Tho, 26-30 Aug 2012)**

Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the above mentioned institutions and organisations, Can Tho University organises the

**7<sup>th</sup> Vietnamese–Hungarian International Conference on Agricultural Research for  
Development (ARD)**

including

**“International EU-SEA Scientific Symposium on Agricultural Research for  
Development (ARD) with special regards to Ecological Farming Systems”**

The conference is part of a series of conferences, started in 1998 and held in every second year either in Vietnam or in Hungary. Joining the earlier Vietnamese-Hungarian conferences, the conference will bring together specialists from EU and Southeast Asia (SEA) to Vietnam. The language of the conference will be English (simultaneous translation will not be available during the conference). It is a great pleasure for organisers to invite you to participate in this event and to ask you to submit a paper or poster on subjects related to the following sessions and main topics:

*Sessions of the Conferences:*

- Session 1 Plenary session
- Session 2 Agricultural Research for Development (ARD)
- Session 3 Animal husbandry
- Session 4 Aquaculture and fisheries

*Main subjects of the Conference:*

- Improvement of ecological farming systems in SEA, with special regards to the conservation of agro-biodiversity.
- Production systems, enhancing sustainable agriculture and rural development: households' low input farming systems – focusing on the environmentally sustainable and socially adapted conditions.
- Agricultural Research for Development (ARD) in underprivileged rural areas: ARD for poverty alleviation,
- Food security – food safety from farm to fork – high quality local products: quality of animal and fish products, aspects of genetics, reproduction, nutrition, animal health care and environmental factors in ecological and sustainable farming systems, adaptation possibilities of foreign domestic animal breeds in the tropics.
- The role of animal and fish genetic resources (AnGR) in sustainable agriculture.
- Other aspects of Research for Development in SEA.

The 7<sup>th</sup> Vietnamese-Hungarian International Conference on Agricultural Research for Development (ARD) including “International EU-SEA Scientific Symposium on Agricultural Research for Development (ARD) with special regards to Ecological farming Systems” will be held in Can Tho, Vietnam.

**Can Tho University (CTU)**, an important state higher education institution in the Mekong Delta (MD), is the cultural, scientific and technical center of the MD and Vietnam. Founding in 1966, CTU from a university with a few fields of study has been developing into a multidisciplinary university. It has an enrolment of 43,029 undergraduate students, 2,417 students have been following Master courses, and 126 students are PhD candidates. CTU has got 1,977 staff including 1,174 teaching staff and 981 supporting staff. Currently, it has 87 Undergraduate, 33 Master and 9 Doctoral training programs.

CTU's main missions are training, conducting scientific research, and transferring technology to serve the regional and national socio-economic development. In addition to its training responsibilities, CTU has actively taken part in scientific research projects, applying the advances in scientific and technological knowledge to solving problems related to science, technology, economics, culture and society in the region. From achievements in its scientific research and international cooperation projects, the university has developed a variety of products and technological production processes that benefit people's lives and promote export, thus helping the university gain prestige in national and international markets.

The university has established scientific and technological cooperation with many international organizations, universities, and research institutes. As a result of these cooperative projects, the staff's administrative capabilities and specializations have been upgraded. The facilities, experimental equipment, and scientific materials have also been added.

We would appreciate, if you send this announcement and registration form to colleagues who may also be interested in attending the conference. Please send back registration form by post, fax or e-mail to one of the following addresses:

*For Vietnamese participants*

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For further questions please don't hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

Dr. Kisne, Dr. Do Thi Dong Xuan  
Chairman of the Organising Committee

A/Prof. Dr. Ha Thanh Toan  
Rector of Can Tho University

**Conference venue:**

CAN THO UNIVERSITY. Campus II, 3/2 Street, Ninh Kieu District  
Can Tho City, Vietnam

Conference date: 26-30 August, 2012

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Programme proposal for the 7<sup>TH</sup> VIETNAMESE–HUNGARIAN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH FOR DEVELOPMENT (ARD)

including

“International EU-SEA Scientific Symposium on Agricultural Research for Development (ARD) with special regards to Ecological Farming Systems” and field studies

	Date	Conf. day	OFFICIAL PROGRAM
<b>PRE-CONFERENCE TOURS: AGROECOLOGY IN SEA: FIELDTRIP STUDIES AROUND TONG LE SAP LAKE – CAMBODIA</b>			
Wed	22 Aug	1	Pre-conference tours: Around Tong Le Sap lake – Cambodia 11.40-12.30: Saigon – Siemreap flight Overnight in Siemreap
Thu	23 Aug	2	Pre-conference tours: Around Tong Le Sap lake – Cambodia - Siemreap Overnight in Siemreap
Fri	24 Aug	3	Pre-conference tours Around Tong Le Sap lake – Cambodia Tong Le Sap lake aquaculture system 18.25-19.45: Siemreap – Saigon flight Overnight in Saigon
Sat	25 Aug	4	12.00-17.00: Cu Chi farming system Overnight in Saigon
<b>7<sup>TH</sup> VIETNAMESE–HUNGARIAN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH FOR DEVELOPMENT (ARD) including “International EU-SEA Scientific Symposium on Agricultural Research for Development (ARD) with special regards to Ecological Farming Systems”</b>			
Sun	26 Aug	5	Start of the conference: 8.00-8.30: Registration 8.30-12.00: Hai Luc farm (Tien Giang Province) – Studies on the Hungarian poultry farm in the Mekong Delta 12.00-13.30: Lunch break 13.30-16.30: My Tho eco-systems Overnight in Tra Vinh
Mon	27 Aug	6	9.00-12.00: Tra Vinh University 12.00-13.00: Lunch break 13.00-15.30: Tra Vinh – Can Tho: Overnight in Can Tho
Tue	28 Aug	7	Conference sessions: 8.00-8.30: Registration 8.30-9.00: Welcoming notes Session 1. Plenary session 9.00-10.00: Keynote lectures 10.00-10.30: Coffee break Session 2. Agricultural Research for Development (ARD) 10.30-12.00: Presentations 12.00-13.30: Lunch break Session 3. Animal husbandry 13.30-15.00: Presentations 15.00-15.30: Coffee break Session 4. Aquaculture and fisheries 15.30-17.00: Presentations Get together party 18.00-20:30 Overnight in Can Tho

Wed	29 Aug	8	<p>Conference sessions Poster session 9.00-10.00: Discussion Chairmen session 10.00-11.00 Closing ceremony – recommendations 11.00-12.00 12.00-13.30: Lunch break Can Tho family farming systems 13.30-18.00 Overnight in Can Tho</p>
Thu	30 Aug	9	<p>Mekong Delta ecosystem studies Tram Chim National Wetland Reserve Overnight in Saigon</p>
<b>POST CONFERENCE TOURS: AGRO-ECOLOGICAL FARMING SYSTEM STUDIES- NORTH VIETNAM</b>			
Fri	31 Aug	10	<p>Starting of ecological farming system studies (Indigenous genebank and habitat studies in Lao Cai) 17.00-19.00: Saigon – Hanoi flights 21:25-6.00: Hanoi – Lao Cai (by train)</p>
Sat	1 Sep	11	<p>6.00: Arrival to Lao Cai 6.00-7.00: Lao Cai - Sapa 9.30-12.30: La Chay – Ta Vang village agro-ecological farming systems. 12.30-14.00: Lunch break 14.00-17.00: Ta Phin village. Overnight in Sapa</p>
Sun	2 Sep	12	<p>9.00-12.00: Hmong native chicken and Muong Khuong native pig studies at Binh Lu market 12.00-13.00: lunch break at Tam Duong 13.00-14.30: Tam Duong, Sapa 14.30-17.00: Ham Rong 17.00-18.00: Sapa – Lao Cai 18.00: Dinner break 21:00-6.00: Lao Cai – Hanoi (by train)</p>
Mon	3 Sep		<p>6:00: Arrival to Hanoi End of the Conference</p>
Participants, who wish to spend some extra days in Vietnam before or after the official programme, may ask for help from the organisers.			

*Registration procedures:*

*Registration and payment:*

Deadline for registration:

**31<sup>st</sup> May, 2012**

The conference participation is free of charge for Vietnamese, Lao and Cambodian participants.

Registration is considered to be accepted after the registration fee has been transferred (see Technical requirements).

Please complete the *Registration form* and send it to the organizers at the addresses below, as soon as possible, but not later than the deadlines show.

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**Registration form**

(Participants wishing to present a paper and/or a poster are kindly asked to fill and send the *Registration form* back not later than 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2012.)

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Conference venue:  
CAN THO UNIVERSITY  
Can Tho, Vietnam

Conference date:  
**26-30 August, 2012**

Personal data  
(Please print in capital letters)

Family Name	
Given Name(s)	
(Academic) title	
Present status at work	
Institute/Organisation	
Address for correspondence	
Street	
City	
Code	
Country	
Telephone	
Fax	
E-mail	

*Please mark your choice:*

I wish to participate in the 7<sup>th</sup> Vietnamese-Hungarian Conference in Can Tho (26-30 Aug.).

Yes

No

I wish to participate in pre-conference tours: fieldtrip studies around Tong Le Sap Lake – Cambodia (22-25 Aug.)

Yes

No

I wish to participate in post-conference tours: Lao Cai agro-ecological farming system studies (31 Aug- 3 Sep.)

Yes

No

*Presentations:*

I prefer oral presentation\* on the 7<sup>th</sup> Vietnamese-Hungarian Conference.

Yes

No

I prefer poster presentation\* on the 7<sup>th</sup> Vietnamese-Hungarian Conference.

Yes

No

\* Presentations (either oral or poster) will be accepted by the Scientific Committee of the Conference, based on their summary.

Authors, proposed title (max. 150 spaces) of presentation

**(Deadline 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2012)**

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Authors, final title (max. 150 spaces) and English summary (max. 2000 spaces) of presentation.

**(Deadline 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2012)**

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Authors of accepted presentations will be asked personally to supply the text of full paper by e-mail to publish in proceedings.

**(Deadline 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2012)**

Titles, summaries and full papers should be sent by email to

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Date, .....

Signature of the applicant

## INSTRUCTIONS TO AUTHORS

**ABSTRACTS** should be prepared according to the following instructions.

All abstracts and full texts must be written in English. Abstracts should be thoroughly checked for spelling and grammar. Abstracts are to be submitted in Microsoft Word format only and in a specified format. Abstracts must not contain pictures, references, tables and diagrams.

Abstracts should include:

**TITLE:** Font type: Arial, bold, size 12, capital letters, centred  
space: 12

**AUTHOR(S):** Font size 10 Bold (Centred)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Initials of the name, 2<sup>nd</sup> FAMILY NAME (CAPITAL)
  - Use numbers in suffix to refer to the addresses
  - Use \* Asterisk to indicate the corresponding author and report his e-mail
- Space: 10

Institution(s), postal address(es) Font size 10 (see box for the pattern):

Double space: 10

**Abstract** – subtitle: Font type Arial, Bold, size 10.

Space: 10

Text (specific information on objectives, experimental methods, statistical analysis, together with a synthesis of the results and conclusions). Text of abstract must not exceed 2000 spaces. Font type: Arial, size 10, justified, no space between paragraphs, first lines start at 0.5 cm.

Space: 10

*Keywords:* (maximum of 5 keywords). Italic, font type: Arial, size 10.

**POSTER** session is also planned during the Conference. Authors wishing to be assigned to a poster session are kindly requested to indicate their intention as shown in the registration form. Proposed poster size and format: Height: max 1.2 m; Width: max. 1.0 m.

**FULL TEXT:** The document should be presented in Word format

The article should not exceed 6 A4 pages

All fonts in Arial, margins 2.5 cm (left, right, top, bottom), use “justify” for the text distribution of the entire document.

**Title of paper:** Font Size: 12, Bold, capital letters (centred)

Single space, font size 12

**Author(s)** Font size 10 Bold (centred)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Initials of the name, 2<sup>nd</sup> FAMILY NAME (CAPITAL)
  - Use numbers in suffix to refer to the addresses
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- single space, font size 10

**Institution(s), postal address(es)** Font size 10 (see box for the pattern):

double interspaces, font size 10

**Abstract of paper:** (see below)

**Keywords:** (max 5) see below

double space, font size 10

**Subtitles:** (e.g. Introduction; Materials and methods ... etc.) Font size 10, Bold.

single space, font size 10

Texts Font size 10 Normal, no space between paragraphs, first lines start at 0.5 cm

**References:** Font size 10, Bold

single space, font size 10

Reference: Font size 10 Names in CAPITAL LETTERS, bold, year normal in round brackets, title normal, name of journal in italics, volume number bold, page number normal, no space between paragraphs e.g.:

**SZABO, X.Y., KOVACS Z. and DUPONT, A.B.** (2007) Poultry genetic resources. *European Poultry* **65** (1):11-18.

Tables, figures and pictures: edited in the document, Word or Excel tables, Excel figures or jpg pictures centred. Titles of figures, pictures and tables: font size 10, Bold. Inside the table and figure font size 10 Normal.

**TITLE OF THE PAPER**

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**Abstract**

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### Technical requirements

*Expenses for Hungarian and EU-SEA participants (all prices are subject of the number of participants – calculations were made on minimum 10 participants)*

#### 7<sup>th</sup> Vietnamese-Hungarian Conference, and study tour

Conference fees	Early registration 31 <sup>st</sup> May, 2012	Late registration 15 <sup>th</sup> June, 2012
Conference registration fee (26-30 Aug) <i>(Conference participation is free of charge for Vietnamese, Lao and Cambodian participants)</i>	375 EUR	450 EUR
Pre-conference tours: fieldtrip studies around Tong Le Sap lake – Cambodia (22-25 Aug.)	200 EUR	280 EUR
Post-conference tours: Lao Cai ecological farming system studies (31 Aug-3 Sep.)	355 EUR	450 EUR

#### **Conference registration fee includes:**

- proceedings of the conference (published by Can Tho University),
- get together party, coffee and lunches mentioned in the programme,
- accessories, other organisational expenses, guide.
- travel (land, water) and transfer during the programme
- All fees of fieldtrip studies, technical visits.

#### Excludes:

- personal expenses, visa, airport tax on leaving Vietnam, meal, extra tickets, etc.

#### **Pre-conference tours fee**

Fieldtrip studies around Tong Le Sap lake – Cambodia (22-25 Aug, 2012))

#### *Includes:*

- Accommodation in Cambodia in TWN or DBL with daily breakfast at hotels mentioned.
- Local English Speaking Guide as itinerary
- Transfer services in a private air-conditioned
- Entrance fees as itinerary
- Tong Le Sap Lake transfer
- 1 dinner at local restaurant only
- Fresh water 2 bottles per pax per day

#### *Excludes*

- Domestic & International flights – flight SGN-REP
- Single supplement (50 USD/room/night)
- Visa on arrival USD 20/pax
- Personal insurance
- Soft and alcohol drinks during the trip
- Tips

#### **Post-conference tours fee**

(31 Aug- 3 Sep., 2012, Saigon – Hanoi flight, Hanoi – Lao Cai – Sapa – Hanoi)

- including transfer (Saigon – Hanoi flight, bus, train), guide
- excluding personal expenses, airport tax on leaving Vietnam (14 USD), meal, extra tickets, accommodation, etc.

#### *Accommodation:*

Organisers will arrange full accommodation during the programme in appropriate hotels (if available), however, there is a possibility for participants to arrange accommodation on their own.

Accommodation fees (EUR)

	Single room	Double room		Total EUR
In Saigon:	75/pax/night	45/pax/night		
In Tra Vinh – Can Tho	70/pax/night	40/pax/night		
In Hanoi	75/pax/night	45/pax/night		
In Sa Pa	70/pax/night	40/pax/night		
Late check-out in Sa Pa (2 Sep)	70/pax/night	40/pax/night		
Early check-in in Hanoi (3 Sep)	75/pax/night	45/pax/night		

Payment of registration fee AND pre- and post-conference study tours must be done in advance till 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2012 (early registration) or till 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2012 (late registration) by bank transfer:

**Name of the account holder:** Magyar Kisállatnevelők Genmegorzo Egyesulete (MGE)  
Association of Hungarian Small Animal Breeders for Gene  
Conservation

**Banking details of MGE:**

**Name of the Bank:** Budapest Bank  
**Address of the Bank:** H-1138 Budapest, Vaci ut 193.  
**Address of the account holder:** H-2100 Godollo, Isaszegi ut 208.  
**Swift Code:** BUDAHUHB  
**Account number (IBAN):** HU-34 10103836-52917139-00000005  
**Transfer remarks** VN-HU SEA EU-NET conference

There is no facility for Credit Cards or cheques use for paying the fieldtrip study fees.