

Third circular: Conference announcement – Keynote Speakers

Dear colleagues,

We would like to remind you of the conference

8th German-Brazilian Symposium on Sustainable Development Facing human impacts: the challenges for society and for science

to be held at **Pontifícia Universidade Católica do Rio Grande do Sul (PUCRS)**, from **October 02 - 07, 2017**. The event will feature important professors and researchers, who will give lectures in their areas of expertise:

1. Ocean Research

Prof. Dr. Peter Hackspacher, Institute of Geosciences and Exact Sciences (UNESP)

Prof. Dr. Martin Zimmer, Leibniz-Centre for Marine Tropical Research (ZMT) and University of Bremen

2. Agriculture and Food Safety

Prof. Dr. Leandro Astarita, School of Biology (PUCRS)

Prof. Dr. Georg Cadisch, Institute of Agricultural Sciences in the Tropics (Hans-Ruthenberg-Institute), University of Hohenheim

3. Water

Prof. Dr. Carlos André Bulhões Mendes, Institute of Hydraulic Research (UFRGS)

Prof. Dr. Jörg Metzger, Institute for Sanitary Engineering, Water Quality and Solid Waste Management, University of Stuttgart

Prof. Dr. Peter Grathwohl, Department of Geosciences, University of Tübingen

4. Sustainability in Exploration, Mining, and Renewable Energy

Prof. Dr. João Marcelo Ketzer, Institute for Petroleum and Natural Resources (PUCRS)

Prof. Dr. Ulrich A. Glasmacher, Institute of Earth Sciences, Heidelberg Center for the Environment, Heidelberg University

Prof. Dr. Ana Olívia Baruf Franco Magalhães, Instituto de Ciência e Tecnologia (Unifal-MG)

5. Global Climate Change

Prof. Márcio Martins Pimentel, Department of General and Applied Geology, Geosciences Institute (UnB)

Prof. Dr. Jörg Matschullat, Institut für Mineralogie, Technische Universität Bergakademie Freiberg

6. Biodiversity, Ecology, and Forestry

Prof. Dr. Gerhard Ernst Overbeck, School of Biology (UFRGS)

Dr. Marcus Giese, Management of Crop Water Stress in the Tropics and Subtropics, University Hohenheim

7. Bioeconomy

Prof. Dr. José Vitor Bomtempo Martins, School of Chemistry (UFRJ)

Dr. Dominik Patzelt, BIOPRO Baden-Württemberg GmbH

8. Global Geoparks

Prof. Dr. José Patricio Pereira Melo, Department of Chemistry (URCA)

Dra. Jutta Weber, Presse- und Öffentlichkeitsarbeit, International cooperation, Geo-Naturepark Bergstrasse-Odenwald

Me. Elizabeth Silva, International Geoscience and Geoparks Programme (UNESCO)

Prof. Dr. Artur Sá, Geoparks, Sustainable Regional Development and Healthy Lifestyles (UNESCO)

9. Development of Green Infrastructure in Urban Areas

Prof. Dr. Paulo Renato Mesquita Pellegrino, School of Architecture, Urbanism and Design (USP)

Dr.-Ing. Bernd Eisenberg, Institute of Landscape Planning and Ecology, University of Stuttgart

10. Social and Environmental Responsibility

Prof. Dr. Jose Rubens Morato Leite, Law School (UFSC)

Prof. Dr. Matthias Schmidt, Beuth Hochschule für Technik Berlin

11A. Public Health I: Translational Medicine (NEW SESSION)

Prof. Dr. Lars Zender, Director Medical Clinic VIII, University Hospital Tübingen

Prof. Dr. Ghazaleh Tabatabai, Department of Neurooncology, University Hospital Tübingen

Prof. Dr. Fernanda Bueno Morrone, School of Pharmacy (PUCRS)

11B. Public Health II: Academic Drug Discovery

Prof. Dr. Eliezer Barreiro, Biomedical Sciences Institute, LassBio (UFRJ)

Dr. Otávio Sarmiento Pieri, Instituto Oswaldo Cruz (FIOCRUZ)

Prof. Dr. Stefan Laufer, Director Baden-Württembergisches Brasilien-Zentrum, Dept. of Pharmacy and Biochemistry, University of Tübingen

Prof. Dr. Stela Maris Kuze Rates, School of Pharmacy (UFRGS) and National Institute for Science and Translational Technology in Medicine

12. Environmental Law and Ethics

Prof. Dr. Ricardo Timm de Souza, School of Humanities (PUCRS)

Prof. Dr. Thomas Potthast, International Centre for Ethics in the Sciences and Humanities (IZEW), University of Tübingen

13. Binational Programs and Cooperation

Dr. Martina Schulze, German Academic Exchange Service DAAD

The deadline for submission of abstracts ends on **Jul 31** and the deadline for submission of approved papers ends on **August 31**. The list of approved abstracts will be available on the event website:

www.pucrs.br/eventos/unidades/8o-simposio-brasil-alemanha

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