



## European Weed Research Society

**Joint Working Group Meeting**  
**“Weed Management Systems in Vegetables“**  
**and**  
**“Weed management in arid and semi-arid climate”**  
**13 -15 May 2019, Oeiras, Portugal**

### FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT

*January, 2019*

**“Novel approaches for weed management in vegetables and field crops under arid and semi-arid conditions in Europe”**

We are pleased to invite you to our next working groups workshop on “Weed Management Systems in Vegetables“ and “Weed management in arid and semi-arid climate”. The meeting of the Working Groups, promoted by the Instituto Nacional de investigação Agrária e Veterinária (INIAV), will be held in Oeiras (west Lisbon, Portugal). The workshop will start on Monday May 13th with two days and half day of oral presentations, poster sessions and discussions, plus a half day technical field trip.

**The workshop will include two satellite events:**

- 1. Workshop on weed emergence modeling and R practice**  
(will be given by Dr. M. Mesgaran, UC Davis, USA).
- 2. A special workshop on parasitic plant management under mediterranean climate**  
(will be led by Dr. Y. Goldwasser, and Prof. H. Eizenberg, Israel).

The structure of the workshop will include hands-on activities in small groups as well as specific time for discussion sessions regarding the workshop topics.

The weather in Lisbon in May is very pleasant. It is spring with average minimum temperatures of 15°C and maximum of 23° during the day., approximately 14h of light: sunrise around 6am and sunset around 8pm which more outdoor activities.

### Participation

If you would like to participate and contribute to the workshop please contact Hanan Eizenberg ([eizenber@volcani.agri.gov.il](mailto:eizenber@volcani.agri.gov.il)) or Euro Pannacci ([euro.pannacci@unipg.it](mailto:euro.pannacci@unipg.it)), or Isabel Calha ([isabel.calha@iniav.pt](mailto:isabel.calha@iniav.pt)) for more details. In order to allow high quality discussion and activities we will be happy to know as earlier as possible if you are interested and planning to come.



We hope to have enough funds to support up to 10-15 students and young scientists according to the EWRS rules. Please encourage your students to attend the joint workshop. If you are interested, please send your application and a title to the organizers.

**Workshop website - <https://wvm2019.webnode.pt/>**

### **Preliminary program**

#### ***Monday, 12 th May***

Arrival

#### ***Tuesday, 13 th May***

08:00-10:00 Registration

10:00-13:00 Workshop on weed emergence modelling

13:00-14:00 Lunch

14:00-18:30 Scientific sessions (oral presentations)

#### ***Wednesday 14 th May***

09:00-12:30 A special workshop on parasitic plant management under mediterranean climate

12:30-13:30 Lunch

13:30-18:00 field day to see troublesome weeds problems and experiments in commercial fields

20:00-23:00 Conference dinner

#### ***Thursday 15 th May***

09:00-13:00 Scientific sessions (oral presentations)

13:00-14:00 Lunch

14:00-18:30 Scientific sessions / Poster session

### **Organizing Committee**

Hanan Eizenberg – *Agricultural Research Organization (ARO) the Volcani Center, Neve Ya'ae Research Center.*

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## Scientific Committee

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## Venue

The meeting will be held in the Instituto Nacional de Investigação Agrária e Veterinária (INIAV) which is a State Laboratory for Agriculture, Forestry and Rural Development. It is located in Oeiras, in a campus where science and agriculture meet next to the sandy beaches of the Lisbon - Estoril - Cascais shoreline, with the historical and mysterious Sintra just behind. The perfect place for the birth of new ideas and the renewal of old ones! Oeiras is conveniently located next to Lisbon (ca 20 km distant from the old city centre) and it is easily accessed by a very frequent train service (Lisbon - Cascais line) as well as by car or taxi.

**Web-site** - <http://www.iniaiv.pt/>

## Connections from airport to the Workshop's place.

INIAV

### By car

To reach Oeiras from Lisbon take the highway, Autoestrada de Cascais (A5) and leave the road at the Oeiras access (EXIT 7). Then, follow the signs to Nova Oeiras.

To reach Oeiras from the North of Portugal, you can bypass Lisbon to arrive to Oeiras. You leave Autoestrada do Norte in Alverca following the signs to CREL. Follow CREL almost until the end (after the toll at Queluz). Then, you can follow through Autoestrada de Cascais (A5). You take a similar path if you come from Autoestrada do Oeste.

### By car along the seaside

Coming from Lisbon from Av. Marginal (EN6) take the right turn at Oeiras near the fast food chain (MacDonalds). At the first roundabout turn left cross the small bridge and turn right going under the train bridge. At the red lights turn left and drive for 300m. On the first turn go right till the end of the road reaching Av. da República. Then turn left and 100m after turn right into the main gate of INIAV. Follow the iBET signs.

### Arriving by Plane

Lisbon International Airport is 45 minutes drive to iBET - Oeiras.

The easiest way is to take a taxi directly to iBET. On arrival at the Lisbon airport, please go to the Visitors and Convention Bureau where there is a Taxi Voucher service from



where you can get a taxi without queuing (The price of this service is around 35 Eur). Or queue for a taxi from the taxi rank immediately outside the arrivals section. A cheaper way is to take the Aerobus to Cais-Sodr  (costs about 2.3   and is valid all day in Lisbon bus company - Carris ) and then take the train

### Arriving by Train

There are very frequent, fast and reliable train connections from Lisbon to Oeiras (13km).

### **Details about VISA - Who needs a VISA to enter Portugal?**

To enter Portugal, you may need a Passport and/or a Visa, depending on the country you live in. Citizens from the European Community don't need a Visa for entering Portugal. Portugal is also a signatory to the 1995 Schengen Agreement.

Passports must be valid for up to six months (depending on your nationality) and are required by all, except by European Union nationals and nationals of Iceland, Liechtenstein, Malta, Norway and Switzerland holding valid national ID cards. British, Australian, Canadian, American and Japanese need a valid passport.

Although it is not obligatory to have a return ticket, it is advisable to have one because, if you don't, you may have to prove sufficient means of financial support to return.

Visas are required by all for stays of up to 90 days, with the exception of:

- The above mentioned; nationals
- Nationals of Andorra, Argentina, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Ecuador, Hungary, Israel, Korea (Rep. of), Lithuania, Mexico, New Zealand, Norway, Paraguay, Poland, San Marino, Singapore, Slovak Republic, Slovenia, Switzerland, United States, Uruguay, Vatican City and Venezuela

### **Accommodation**

*Hotel Praia Mar, Carcavelos*

Rua do Guru , 16

2775-581 Carcavelos

#### **SPECIAL ROOM RATES:**

Standard Room with breakfast included: 65  (single); 75  (double), subject to availability

*Reservation/ Booking Centre:*

Please contact Mr. Ant nio Romeiro

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### **Propose deadlines:**

First circular  
Receiving abstracts titles  
Second circular include registration and accommodation fee  
Receiving full abstracts  
Deadline for registration and abstract acceptance.  
Post a full program

22<sup>th</sup> January 2019  
15<sup>st</sup> February  
1<sup>st</sup> March  
15<sup>th</sup> March  
15<sup>th</sup> April  
2<sup>nd</sup> May

### **Registration and fees:**

| <b>Category</b>         | <b>Early Registration</b><br>(before 15th April<br>2019) | <b>Late registration</b><br>(after 15th April<br>2019) |
|-------------------------|--|--|
| EWRS<br>member          | 200  | 300  |
| Non EWRS<br>member      | 250  | 350  |
| Student                 | 100  | 200  |
| Conference<br>companion | 150  | 250  |

Oeiras, 21th January, 2019