



**1<sup>st</sup> Euro-Mediterranean Conference**

**on Marine Natural Products**

**October 31<sup>st</sup> – November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2008**

**PYRAMISA RESORT & VILLAS  
SHARM EL SHEIKH EGYPT**

**1<sup>st</sup> Euro-Mediterranean Conference on  
Marine Natural Products (EMCMNP-I)  
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## Invitation

The organizing and scientific committees cordially invite you to participate in the 1<sup>st</sup> Euro-Mediterranean Conference on Marine Natural Products. The conference will be held in Pyramisa Resort & Villas Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt from October 31<sup>st</sup>–November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2008.

## Chair

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## Scientific Topics

Drug Discovery  
Isolation & Structure Elucidation  
Biosynthesis & Molecular Aspects  
Bioprospecting & New Frontiers  
Marine Biotechnology  
Marine Biodiversity & Chemical Ecology  
Marine Toxins  
Marine Aquaculture  
Pharmacognosy and Medicinal Plants (Special session)



Menna and his family fishing and fowling (A wall painting from the tomb of Menna, Thebes, Dynasty 18, ca. 1400-1350 B.C.)

## Invited Speakers (Preliminary)

Ali Al-Mourabit (France) Guido Cimino (Italy)  
Sergey Dobretsov (Oman) Marcel Jaspars (UK)  
Thomas Larsen (Denmark) Werner Mueller (Germany)  
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Eric Schmidt (USA) David Sherman (USA)  
Coran Watanabe (USA) Wei Zhang (China)

## Call for Papers

Research contributions (short lectures, posters related to above mentioned topics on marine natural products and related topics are welcome.

## Official Language

The official language of the congress will be English. There will be no provision for translation in other language.

## Conference Fees

The registration fee of participants includes **Full-board open buffet (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)** accommodation in a double bedroom, coffee breaks, attendance of all scientific sessions, conference material and certificate of attendance.

CATEGORIES	Before August 31	After August 31
Participants	500€	650€
Students	350€	400€
Accompanying Persons	500€	600€

**Extra payment (100€)** for accommodation in a single bedroom. Payment must be paid in Euros (by Bank transfer or draft) to:

**Marine Natural Products Conference, National Bank of Egypt, Suez Canal University Branch, Ismailia, Egypt,**  
Swift Number: NBEGEGCX301,  
Account Number: 141768

## Registration Form

Name: .....  
Institution/Company: .....  
Address: .....  
City/Postal code: .....  
Country: .....  
Phone/Fax number: .....  
E-mail: .....

### I intend to submit:

- A short lecture related to the scientific topic:  
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- Poster related to the scientific topic:  
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### The title of my lecture/poster:

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## Registration online

Please use the website (www.emcmnp.org) to complete your registration form and to submit your abstract.

**In the memory of the late Professor Dr. Abdel-Azim H. Saber**

**Special Session on Pharmacognosy, Medicinal Plants and Related Topics is dedicated to Dr. Saber**

A special Session on Pharmacognosy, Natural Products of Terrestrial Origin and related topics will be held as a part of the EMCMNP-I. This session is dedicated to the late *Prof. Dr. Abdel-Azim H. Saber (1908-1999) of Cairo University*. Researchers are encouraged to submit their abstracts in any topics related to the Pharmacognosy, Medicinal Plants and their applications.