

ABLS 2007 will convene at Instituto de Ecologia, AC, (UNIRA Auditorium), Xalapa, México.

The Program Chair and Local Host have scheduled the events **tentatively** as shown below. Please keep in mind that unknown factors may require a few changes, especially, for instance, in the time and place for things like the Exec. Comm. meeting and the ABLS Business Meeting. Also, things like poster sessions cannot be firmly scheduled until we have more information on numbers of papers vs. posters, etc.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Sunday Aug 12: arrival & registration

- 4:00 pm. Pick up of registration materials. (Hall E, Fiesta Inn hotel).
- 6:00 pm. Welcome reception. An opportunity for attendees to discuss and network in a social setting. (Hall E, Fiesta Inn hotel).

Monday Aug 13: paper sessions (UNIRA auditorium, INECOL)

- 7:00 am. ABLS breakfast (Hall C, Fiesta Inn hotel)
- 8:30 am. Transportation from Fiesta Inn hotel to INECOL (takes ca 20-30 mins)
- 9:15 am. Invited speakers; Paper session 1
- 12:00 pm. Lunch
- 2:30 pm. Paper session 2
- 5:30 pm. End of sessions; Transportation from INECOL to Fiesta Inn hotel
- 6:00 pm. ABLS Exec. Comm. Meeting (Hall A, Fiesta Inn hotel)

Tuesday Aug 14: Field Trip 1

- 7:30 am. FT1 departure. Fiesta Inn hotel.
- 6:30 pm. Return. Fiesta Inn hotel.

Wednesday Aug 15: paper sessions (UNIRA auditorium, INECOL)

- 8:30 am. Transportation from Fiesta Inn hotel to INECOL (takes ca 20-30 mins)
- 9:15 am. Paper session 3
- 12:00 pm. Lunch
- 2:30 pm. POSTER session
- 4:00 pm. ABLS Business Meeting; in same auditorium UNIRA
- 5:00 pm. End of session; Transportation from INECOL to Fiesta Inn hotel
- 6:00 pm. ABLS Dinner. Folklore cultural event after dinner (Hall E, Fiesta Inn hotel)

Thursday Aug 16: Field Trip 2 and Field Trip 3

- 8:00 am. FT2 departure. Fiesta Inn hotel.
- 8:15 am. FT3 departure, Fiesta Inn hotel.
- 4:00 pm. FT2 & 3 return. Fiesta Inn hotel.

Friday Aug. 17: Departure