Organized by and for young microbial ecotoxicologists, this series of three half-day webinars will spotlight the research activities of International keynote speakers, M.Sc., Ph.D. students and Post-Docs that will present their research in Microbial Ecotoxicology to the international community as live or pre-recorded Flash presentation. The webinar will be free and open to everyone!

Six thematic sessions will be held:

➔ Role of microorganisms on contaminant dynamics, biotransformation and bioremediation
➔ Microbial responses to contaminants across multiple levels of biological organization
➔ Emerging approaches in microbial ecotoxicology
➔ Impacts of contaminants on biotic interactions
➔ Use of microorganisms for environmental quality assessment
➔ Exposure of microorganisms to multiple stressors: combined responses and effects

More details on https://ecotoxicomic.org/sessions/

Keynote Speakers

Belinda Ferrari
ARC Future Fellow, Deputy Head of School and Director of Research in the University of New South Wales. She is specialised in Antarctic soil biodiversity and perform discovery-based and applied research.

Fabio Roldan
Professor at the Javeriana University (Colombia). He is interested in the use of biotechnological processes during the remediation of environments contaminated with organic and inorganic compounds.

Ahmed Tlili
Head of Aquatic Biofilms group in Swiss Federal Institute of Aquatic Science and Technology. He is interested in using freshwater biofilms as a biological interface to monitor effects of environmental pollutants.

Awards

Thanks to a grant from the Environmental Science and Pollution Research (ESPR) Journal (Springer), the Three Best Live Presentations will receive an award:

The awarded Ph.D. Students and Post-Docs will be invited to present their work as invited speakers at the EcotoxicoMic 2022 Conference (Montpellier, France, 15-18 November 2022)

Submit your Abstract (deadline for submission is 30th June)

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Two types of presentation are possible: Live presentation or pre-recorded Flash presentation.

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(Notification of acceptance of abstracts will be sent by early September)