

A great success for the 4th International Conference - EcotoxicoMic2024



- 147 participants from 28 countries
- >50 PhD students and Post-Docs
- 7 international keynote speakers
- 39 oral presentations
- 83 poster presentations (incl. 7 poster corner presentations)
- Financial support for 16 participants
- 3 + 3 awards for best oral and poster presentations by Young Researchers



Submit your article to the FEMS Microbiology Ecology thematic issue on Microbial Ecotoxicology of Contaminants of Emerging Concern

FEMS Microbiology Ecology invites submissions to a thematic issue on “Microbial Ecotoxicology of Contaminants of Emerging Concern”. The thematic issue will be associated with the EcotoxicoMic 2024 conference, which took place from 12th to 14th November 2024 in Gothenburg (Sweden). Please note that **submissions are also open to people who did not attend the conference**. Accepted manuscripts will be published in regular issues of the journal upon acceptance, and the Thematic Issue will be compiled and made available online upon completion.

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Submission deadline: 31 May 2025

https://academic.oup.com/femsec/pages/call_for_papers

Save the dates in 2025



6-10 October 2025: First EcotoxicoMic Research School (Bordeaux, France)

“Assessing functional impacts of contaminants on microbial communities and consequences for ecosystem functioning: from the field to the laboratory”

This research school will be open to international PhD students, post-docs and researchers. Both terrestrial, continental and coastal aquatic ecosystems will be taken into account in the training programme, which will combine theoretical lectures, field sampling campaigns and experimental approaches in the laboratory.

More information and registration opening coming soon!

November 2025: Third EcotoxicoMicYR Webinar

Virtual international conference for Young Researchers

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 presentations. The webinar will be free and open to everyone!

Call for Abstract submission will open in Spring 2025.



CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS

You are a PhD Student, a post-doc, or a non-permanent researcher conducting research in microbial ecotoxicology. You are looking to broaden your international network and contribute to the development of the EcotoxicoMic network.

➔ **Don't hesitate, join the EcotoxicoMicYR group !!!**

You will then have the opportunity to **take part in the organizing committee of the EcotoxicoMicYR 2025 webinar** and to interact with other young researchers from several countries.

Don't miss this opportunity to take part in the life of the EcotoxicoMic network and broaden your soft skills.

Interested? Please contact the current members of the EcotoxicoMicYR group

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The 5th EcotoxicoMic International Conference – **EcotoxicoMic 2026** - will be held in Autumn 2026 in Thessaloniki, Greece.

Main Organizer: Prof. Dimitrios Karpouzias (Univ. of Thessaly)