

# First Circular of INTECOL2017Beijing

**Ecology and Civilization in a Changing World  
21-25 August, 2017**



INTECOL2017Beijing which is the 12<sup>th</sup> International Congress of Ecology, is organized by the International Association for Ecology (INTECOL). As the host of the congress, the Ecological Society of China warmly welcome you to attend this meeting together with leaders in ecology from the globe, as well as scientists, educators, practitioners and policy-makers, who are dedicated to protecting and preserving our planet.

The theme of the congress is **Ecology and Civilization in a Changing World**, which will focus on harmonious and sustainable development among people, nature, and society in the context of global development.

We do hope that you can join us for discussing the issues facing the human and finding solutions to them, as well as making new friends from the other regions.

We are looking forward to seeing you in Beijing in August 2017!

## Congress Highlights

- A once in every four year opportunity to showcase all aspects of the ecological sciences.
- Over 3000 scientists expected to attend.
- 70 general symposia in addition to keynote and plenary sessions.
- China-wide field trips designed to showcase the diversity of China and its distinctive and rich flora.
- As the capital of China, Beijing is connected by air and high speed rail to all major cities in China.

## Scientific Program

According to the tradition of previous INTECOL meetings, the Scientific Program of the INTECOL2017Beijing will cover all fields of ecological sciences. The Congress includes plenary lectures, keynote symposia, general symposia (both oral and poster sessions), social and association meetings, discussions, and workshops.

## Thematic Topics

- Ecosystem services and management
- Global climate change and ecosystem adaptation
- Urbanization and regional environmental change
- Biogeochemical cycling and ecosystem health
- Ecological degradation and ecosystem restoration
- Environmental stress and biodiversity conservation
- Industrial ecology and green economy
- Molecular ecology and evolution
- Landscape pattern, process and sustainability
- Ecohydrology and watershed management
- Paleocology, ecological dynamics and environmental assessment
- Agroecology, sustainable agriculture and rural development

## Call for Symposia

The call for Symposia is still open at [www.intecol2017.org](http://www.intecol2017.org). All prospective participants are invited to submit a proposal for a symposium that fits within one of the twelve thematic topics.

## Call for Abstracts

The congress website has been comprehensively revised, 6 themes and 60 symposia have been published on web. The abstract submission is opened; the deadline of abstract submission is Feb. 10, 2017.

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