

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FEES AND ANNUAL DUES

Conference Registration Fee including cost of all conference materials	
Members	₦10,000
Non-members	₦20,000
Corporate Bodies	₦30,000
ANNUAL DUES	
Ordinary Members	₦5,000
Student	₦5,000 which includes registration
Corporate Membership	₦50,000
Life Membership	₦50,000

Pre conference registration can be done through any Branch of First Bank of Nigeria Plc.
Account name: Crop Science Society of Nigeria
Account Number: 2022702825

TECHNICAL EXHIBITION

Corporate bodies, institutions, agro-allied industries and individuals are invited to exhibit their products and services. Exhibition fee is fifty thousand naira (₦50,000.00) per stand.

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LIST OF HOTELS AND GUEST HOUSES AND THEIR RATES

University of Nigeria, Nsukka Guest House (within the campus) room rates: ₦5,000 - ₦35,000

New Hotel Carolina, #1 Obollo Road, Nsukka (Beach Junction approx. 1 km from the campus) Room rates: ₦3,000 - ₦5,000

Old Hotel Carolina, Along Obollo Road, Nsukka (1 km away from Beach Junction) Room rates: ₦3,000 - ₦5,000

Conis Hotel Ltd #29, New Anglican Road, Nsukka (Approx. 3 km from the campus) Room rates: ₦2,500 - ₦4,000

El-Rinar Guest House, Ugwu Ajie Odenigbo, Nsukka (Approx. 2.5 km from the campus) Room rates: ₦2,500 - ₦4,000

Ikenga Hotels Ltd, #160 Ogurugu Road, Nsukka (approx. 3.5 km from the campus) Room rates: ₦3,000 - ₦10,000



5th



NATIONAL ANNUAL CONFERENCE of the Crop Science Society of Nigeria (CSSN) (Nsukka, 2018)

Theme:

ROLE OF SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION (STI) IN TRANSFORMING CROP PRODUCTION IN NIGERIA

Sub-Themes:

- 1) Resolving poor crop performance through the application of STI
- 2) Salvaging endangered indigenous crop species for improved rural economy
- 3) The role of seed systems and technology
- 4) Organic crop production and biopesticide technology
- 5) Crop improvement and biotechnology
- 6) Upscaling horticultural practices in Nigeria through STI
- 7) Harnessing indigenous knowledge in crop production and preservation

Date:
October 07-11, 2018

Venue:
Hall of Fame
University of Nigeria, Nsukka

Host:
University of Nigeria,
Nsukka

Preamble

Crop Science is a major component of agriculture and the base on which all the other branches anchor.

The Crop Science Society of Nigeria is established to:

- 1) promote and foster awareness and understanding of the basic and applied knowledge in crop production
- 2) enhance interaction and exchange of ideas in crop production, protection and improvement at national and international levels through Conferences, Symposia, Lectures, Seminars and Journal publications.

The Local Organizing Committee (LOC) of the Crop Science Society of Nigeria is pleased to invite you to the 5th national annual conference scheduled for 7th to 11th October, 2018 at the University of Nigeria, Nsukka. The opening ceremony will take place at the Hall of Fame, University of Nigeria, Nsukka on Monday 8th October, 2018.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE CONFERENCE

- * Opening Ceremony
- * Keynote Address
- * Plenary Session
- * Technical Session
- * Annual General Meeting of the CSSN
- * Exhibitions
- * Cocktail Party

CALL FOR PAPERS

SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS AND FULL PAPER

Guidelines for Abstract Preparation

An abstract of **not more than 300 words** should be prepared in MS word and sent to the LOC by email to: cropss.nigeria@unn.edu.ng

The deadline for submission of abstract is June 30th 2018. Authors of accepted papers will be duly communicated by July 15, 2018. The deadline for submission of the electronic copy of the full paper will be August 15, 2018.

Paper Contributions

It is essential that all prospective authors follow the under listed guidelines to ensure quality, uniformity and timely compilation of the papers. Non-compliance may result in delays or outright rejection.

- * The full paper should not exceed 15 A4-sized pages including the tables, figures and references.
- * The paper must be written in English language and sent electronically to our email: cropss.nigeria@unn.edu.ng
- * The accepted papers will be peer reviewed and published in the conference proceedings.
- * Exceptionally good papers will be published in the Nigerian Journal of Crop Science

Conference Programme

Day one

Sunday, October 7th 2018.

- * Arrival and registration of participants

Day two

Monday, October 8th 2018