



Gesellschaft  
für  
Mykotoxinforschung e. V.  
Society  
for  
Mycotoxin Research

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## **SOCIETY FOR MYCOTOXIN RESEARCH**

The *Society for Mycotoxin Research* (Gesellschaft für Mykotoxinforschung e.V.) was founded in Munich in 1997.

The aim of this registered, non-profit association is to promote research on all scientific fields of mycotoxinology including:

- Mycotoxins and Human Health
- Mycotoxins and Animal Health
- Mycotoxins and Food Safety
- Mycotoxins and Feed Safety
- Toxicogenic Fungi and Production of Mycotoxins
- Toxicology of Mycotoxins
- Occurrence and Analyses of Mycotoxins

One of our core ideas was to create bridges between the different scientific disciplines working on the field of toxigenic fungi and mycotoxins.

## **MYCOTOXIN WORKSHOPS**

As a forum of this claim we have annual scientific congresses, *MYCOTOXIN WORKSHOPS*, which are held continuously since 1979 and which are organised under the responsibility of the Society since its foundation.

The 32<sup>nd</sup> Mycotoxin Workshop with more than 200 participants from 16 countries was held 2010 in Copenhagen, Denmark, and the 33<sup>rd</sup> Mycotoxin Workshop was held in Freising near Munich, Germany. The 34<sup>th</sup> Workshop was in Braunschweig, Germany in 2012, the 35<sup>th</sup> 2013 in Ghent, Belgium and the next Event will take place in May 2014 in Göttingen, Germany.

## **SCIENCE AWARD**

The *BRIGITTE GEDEK AWARD FOR MYCOTOXIN RESEARCH*, endowed with 10,000.- € is awarded from the *Society for Mycotoxin Research* to scientists every two years for a creative and outstanding scientific contribution (master thesis, doctoral thesis as well as publication in international scientific journals).

## **SCIENTIFIC JOURNAL**

With a continuous publication history of 20 years, *MYCOTOXIN RESEARCH* became the official journal of the *Society for Mycotoxin Research*, effective with Volume 21 (2005).

The *Society for Mycotoxin Research* has taken the editorial responsibility for the scientific contents of this journal which provides an international forum and interdisciplinary platform for all scientists working in the field of mycotoxins and toxigenic fungi.

## **MEMBERS**

The society presently has more than 200 members from 20 countries (among them 140 from Germany).

Please feel free to contact our Society. You are always welcome.