

## Call: Symposium proposals for the XX European Congress of Herpetology

The organizing committee of the <u>XX European Congress of Herpetology</u> has opened the call for symposia to be presented during the meeting from September 2-6, 2019 in the city of Milan, Italy. This call will remain open until the 15<sup>th</sup> of November 2018.

The proposal must be submitted by the symposium's coordinator and must include the symposium's title, a summary, and the names and affiliations of potential speakers. The proposal must also indicate whether the speakers have been approached, whether they have expressed interest in participating and, preferably, the tentative titles of their talks.

The organizing committee, jointly with the symposium's coordinator, might invite additional speakers based on the abstracts submitted to the congress. The organizing committee may suggest additional key speakers per symposium based on the symposium's subject.

The organizing committee will select symposia based on the quality of the proposals and the areas of interest of the XX European Congress of Herpetology. The basic criteria for symposia include:

- The topic should be novel, timely, and interesting to a broad range of herpetologists.
- The proposed list of speakers should represent a good balance between established and new investigators, have an equitable representation with regard to gender, and reflect the international diversity of SEH

## **Proposal Content**

Please fill the template for the symposia proposal that you will find here below.

Please be aware that the Organizing Committee may suggest revisions to ensure the kinds of diversity and non-duplication issues suggested above.

Please email your proposal by the 15<sup>th</sup> of November 2018 to the organizing Committee:

seh-congress@unipv.it

Please submit the proposal as a pdf attachment.