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# Plant Abiotic Stress Tolerance II

**International Conference**  
**February 22 - 25 2012**  
**Vienna, Austria**



The Programme of **Plant Abiotic Stress Tolerance II** combines plenary lectures, poster sessions, and tours of the beautiful city of Vienna. Approximately 300 participants are expected, including more than 35 speakers and many presentations selected from abstracts.

Vienna is considered one of the most beautiful cities in the world situated in the heart of Europe. Due to its geographic and geopolitical location, Vienna has become a popular conference place in recent years. Today, Vienna offers a range of sights from old historical palaces, classical concerts and outstanding opera performances to typical Viennese coffee houses and restaurants – all brought together in incomparable Viennese harmony. The International and Local Organizing Committees have compiled a well-balanced agenda with state-of-the-art professional highlights and social events to be remembered.

## Invited Speakers

- Heribert Hirt (France)
- Jian-Kang Zhu (USA)
- Rana Munns (Australia)
- Nigel Halford (UK)
- Mark Tester (Australia)
- Roberto Tuberosa (Italy)
- Rainer Hedrich (Germany)
- Klaus Palme (Germany)
- Jose Pardo (Spain)
- Sylvia Lindberg (Sweden)
- Diego Sanchez (Switzerland)
- Karl-Josef Dietz (Germany)

## We are looking forward to abstracts addressing the following topics:

- Plant Response to Cold and Heat Stresses
- Plant Response to Drought, Salt and Osmotic Stresses
- Plant Response to Oxidative Stress
- Plant Response to Nutrient and Flooding Stresses
- Signal Transduction of Stress Tolerance
- Functional Genomics of Abiotic Stress Tolerance
- Modelling and Systems Biology of Abiotic Stress Tolerance
- Breeding & Biotechnology of Abiotic Stress Tolerance
- Plant Abiotic Stress Signaling



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