

### NEWSLETTER

June 2017

**EARLY BIRD DEADLINE IS JUNE 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017!**  
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#### APIMONDIA EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING

Apimondia Executive Council Meeting has been organized in Istanbul between 1-5 June, 2017!

We've welcome Executive Council Members on June 1<sup>st</sup> and had a Welcome Dinner in Hilton Hotel Bosphorus which is the Main Hotel of 45<sup>th</sup> Apimondia Congress. Besides the Apimondia officials and the 45<sup>th</sup> Apimondia Congress Local Organizing Committee members, Cristian Constantinescu and Marta Giogia from FIITEA Romania, Pierre Giovenazzo and Rod Scarlett from the Organizing Committee of 46<sup>th</sup> Apimondia Congress 2019 Montreal joined us.



On June 1<sup>st</sup> Mr. McCabe and the Local Organizing Committee Members visited Governor of Istanbul Mr. Vasip Sahin and discussed the issues about the organization of 45<sup>th</sup> Apimondia International Apicultural Congress.



Meeting has started on June 2<sup>nd</sup>. In the first part of the meeting, topics in the Agenda of Apimondia has been discussed. After the lunch we've made a inspection tour in the Congress Center and than progress report of the 45<sup>th</sup> Apimondia International Congress has been presented. Huge and beautiful facility of Istanbul Congress Center fascinated everybody!



Besides the Apimondia Executive Council Members and Local Organizing Committee of 45<sup>th</sup> Apimondia Congress, representatives of the Istanbul Municipality and Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Livestock attended the meeting.



The dinner on June 2<sup>nd</sup> has been organized in The Marmara Taksim Hotel, Istanbul accompanied with the great view of Historical Peninsula of Istanbul!



During the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of the meeting we had a surprise from the Istanbul Professional Chiefs Association during lunch. They've served special dishes prepared with honey and a surprise Apimondia Cake with cookies.

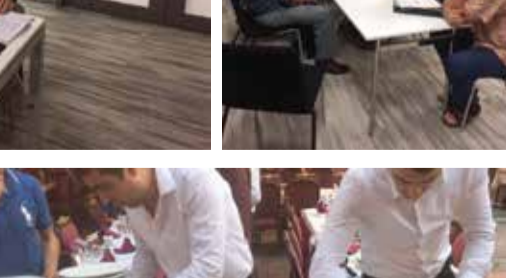
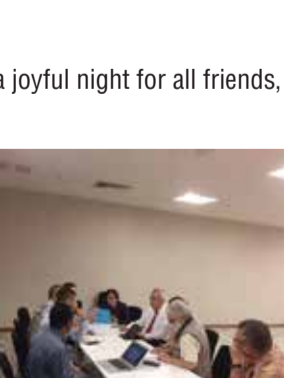


After the 2<sup>nd</sup> day meeting we've made a visit to the great facility of Balparmak which is the gold sponsor of our congress. After the tour the day finished with a fabulous Bosphorus Cruise Dinner with the hospitality of one of our supporting sponsors, Apimaye.



And on the last day of the meeting the main issue was the Scientific Program of 45<sup>th</sup> Apimondia Congress. General frame of the scientific program has been completed. Local Scientific Committee and Apimondia Scientific Commission presidents evaluated the abstracts after a hard work.

And after the meeting, last dinner has been organized in the district of fish taverns, Kumkapi. It was a joyful night for all friends, everyone will remember the taste of 'sea bass in salt' forever.



Now together with the Apimondia Executive Council, all of us are waiting for September 29<sup>th</sup> for an unforgettable Apimondia Congress in Istanbul!

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