



Arboretum and Department of
Physiography in Bolestraszyce
(Poland)



M.M. Gryshko National Botanical Garden of the
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(Department of Fruit Plants Acclimatization)



Slovak University of Agriculture in Nitra
(Institute of Plant and Environmental Sciences,
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AGROBIODIVERSITY FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF HUMAN HEALTH, ENVIRONMENTAL STABILITY AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

7th International Scientific Conference
Bolestraszyce, Poland, September 13th, 2026

Co-organizers



Faculty of Biotechnology and Food Sciences
(Slovak University of Agriculture in Nitra)



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Botanical Garden of Ivan Franko
National University of Lviv (Ukraine)

The one process now going on that will take millions of years to correct is the loss of genetic and species diversity by the destruction of natural habitats.

Edward O. Wilson – Biologist, father of biodiversity science (1929–2021)

Dear Colleagues,

We are pleased to invite you to participate in the 7th International Scientific Conference **Agrobiodiversity for the Advancement of Human Health, Environmental Stability and Sustainable Development**, which will be held within the International Festival Cornelian Cherry at the Arboretum and Department of Physiography in Bolestraszyce, Poland, on 13th September 2026.

This conference is part of a series of international scientific meetings, first initiated by the Slovak University of Agriculture in Nitra (Faculty of Agrobiological and Food Resources) and the M.M. Gryshko National Botanical Garden of the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine (Department of Fruit Plants Acclimatization), within the jointly established international network *AgroBioNet*. Over the years, it has become a well-established platform for scientists, experts, and practitioners to share knowledge and innovations in the field of agrobiodiversity, human health, environmental sustainability, and sustainable development.

We warmly welcome scientists, researchers, and practitioners to join us in discussions, presentations, and networking opportunities.

The International Conference topics / sessions are as followed – thematic sessions

- ✓ *Genetic Resources, Evaluation, and Sustainable Use of World Flora*
- ✓ *Agrobiodiversity Conservation in the Context of Climate Change and Military Conflicts*
- ✓ *Underutilized, Neglected and Promising Plant Species for the Future*
- ✓ *Traditional Varieties and Local Cultivars: Conservation, Valorization and Use*
- ✓ *Plant Adaptation, Resistance and Agrotechnical Innovations*
- ✓ *Phytochemicals and Bioactive Compounds in Functional Food and Medicine*
- ✓ *Biotechnological and Processing Approaches for Plant-Based Products*
- ✓ *Soil Health, Microbiota and Ecosystem Services in Sustainable Agroecosystems*
- ✓ *Socioeconomic, Cultural and Ethical Aspects of Agrobiodiversity and Organic Agriculture*
- ✓ *Education, Citizen Science and International Cooperation for Agrobiodiversity*

Important dates:

Start of Abstract Submission: **1 March 2026**

Abstract Submission Deadline: **13 July 2026**

Notification of Acceptance/Rejection: 1 July 2026 (please, contact the organizing committee if you do not receive confirmation).

The conference program and published proceedings will be made available to the international community, with opportunities for online engagement for all contributors. There is no participation fee!

Sending the Book of Abstracts: September 30, 2026

Instructions for preparation of abstracts

- ✓ Abstracts must be written in English only.
- ✓ Abstracts should contain the aim, material and methods, main results, and brief conclusions. The authors are advised not to make them too short or general (3000–3500 characters, including spaces).
- ✓ 3–5 keywords should be included, separated by commas.
- ✓ The Acknowledgments to the people, grants, funds, etc. should be brief.

Tables, charts, or other graphics may not be included and will be deleted by the editors. Abstracts not corresponding to the recommended format or the conference's topics will not be accepted. Requirements for the abstract template can be seen below.

Abstracts should be sent by E-mail to the managing editor at [✉ agrobiodiversity2016@gmail.com](mailto:agrobiodiversity2016@gmail.com);
☎ +38067-198-80-82.

Full paper submission (optional) to a special issue of **Agrobiodiversity for Improve the Nutrition, Health and Quality of Life: September 01, 2026.**

Agrobiodiversity for Improve the Nutrition, Health and Life Quality is the Proceedings of scientific papers issued annually by the Slovak University of Agriculture in Nitra and M.M. Gryshko National Botanical Garden (NBG) of the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine in Kyiv, within the jointly established international network AgtoBioNet. The Journal was formerly published as a serial with annual periodicity (proceedings of scientific papers) up to 2020 and from the year 2021 it is published in biannual periodicity (two issues per year). The original scientific papers oriented on the conservation and sustainable use of genetic resources of traditional, forgotten, underutilized, and less known plant species, which are presented in the Proceedings to support the increase of food safety, food security, biosafety, plant breeding, and expansion, use of plant species for improvement of the population health, ensuring the remediation of natural resources and environment, improving the socio-economic rural development and creating conditions for the development of regional economy and supporting the development of small and medium-sized farms.

There are no fees for submitting papers for consideration or publication. The reviewed papers are accepted to be published after being positively reviewed by two anonymous reviewers (exceptionally three). The final decision on the publication is made by the Editorial Board.

Authors should submit their manuscripts online at <https://agrobiodiversity.uniag.sk/scientificpapers/index> or contact managing editor ✉ olgrygorieva@gmail.com; ☎ +38067-198-80-82; +42137-641-42-44

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