



International Society for Horticultural Science



ISHS



**A society of individuals,
organizations, and
governmental agencies
devoted to horticultural
research, education and
industry to improve human
wellbeing**



Dating from 1864 and formally constituted in 1959, ISHS builds & maintains human knowledge and skills and biological resources in support of worldwide horticulture



**Provides – through meetings
and publications – both
context and ongoing support
for professional decision
making**



Explores and explains the many contributions of horticulture to a healthy human environment

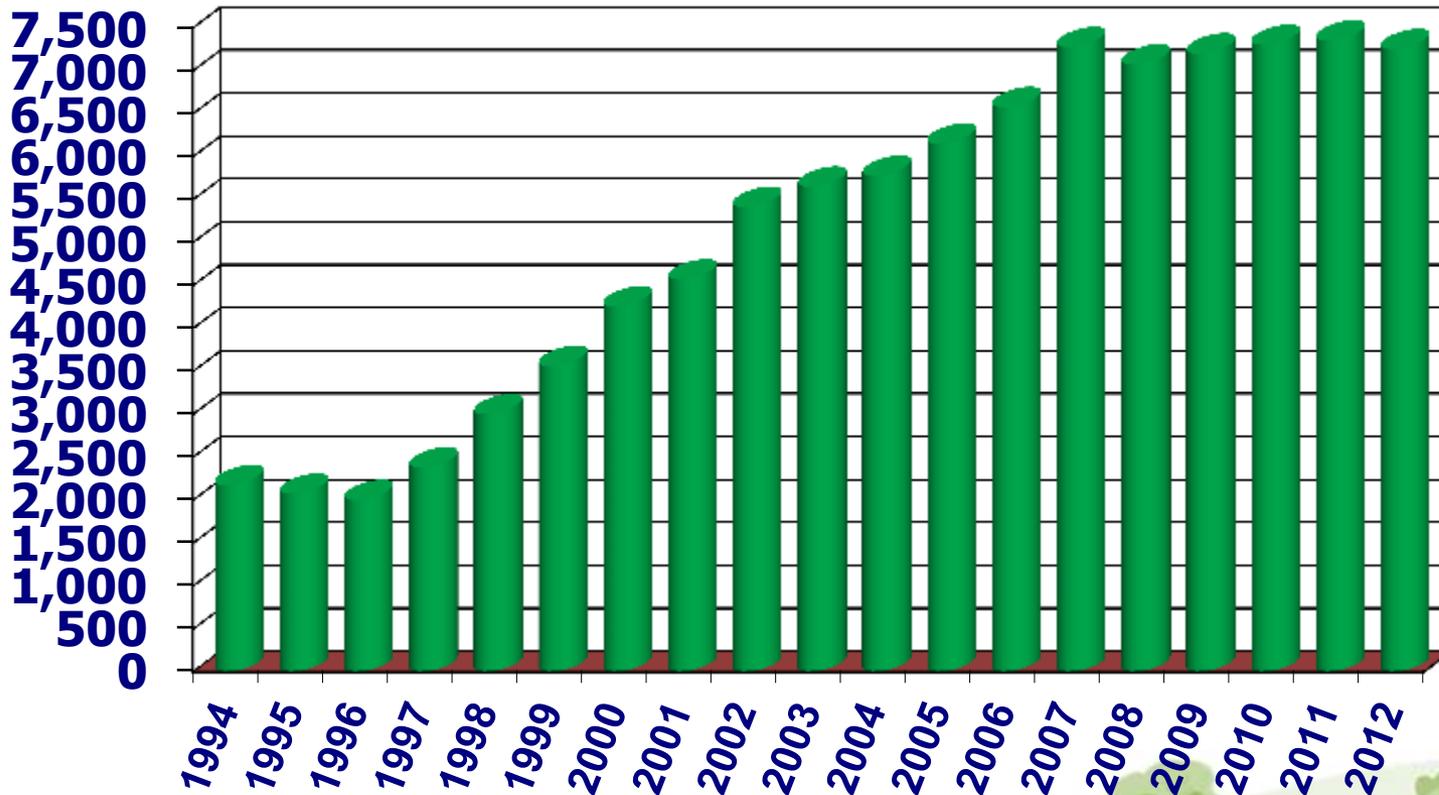


ISHS in figures:

- **>7000 Individual Members in 150 countries**
- **>150 Institutional Members**
- **60 Country Members**



Individual Members



Scientific Programme:

- On average about 45 meetings a year
- www.ishs.org/calendar



The International Horticultural Congress

- IHC2002 Toronto: 2500 delegates
- IHC2006 Seoul: 2000 delegates
- IHC2010 Lisbon: 3600 delegates
- **IHC2014 in Brisbane (Australia)**
- IHC2018 in Istanbul (Turkey)
- IHC2022 in





**XXIXth
International
Horticultural
Congress
Brisbane,
Australia
August 17-24,
2014**

**First Announcement &
Pre-Registrations:
www.ihc2014.org**



SECTIONS

 Pome and Stone Fruits

 Vine and Berry Fruits

 Nuts and Mediterranean Climate Fruits

 Tropical and Subtropical Fruits

 Medicinal and Aromatic Plants

 Ornamental Plants

 Root and Tuber Crops

 Vegetables

 Citrus

 Banana and Plantain

COMMISSIONS

 Economics and Management

 Education, Research Training and Consultancy

 Horticultural Engineering

 Molecular Biology and In Vitro Culture

 Nomenclature and Cultivar Registration

 Plant Protection

 Irrigation and Plant Water Relations

 Plant Substrates and Soilless Culture

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 Sustainability through Integrated and Organic Horticulture

 Fruits and Vegetables and Health

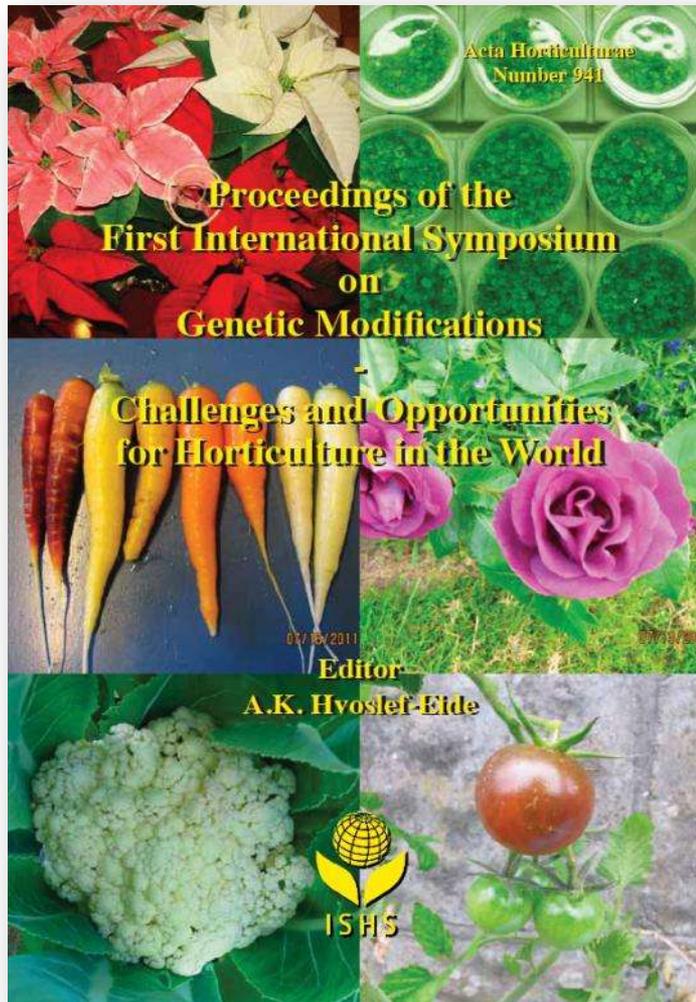
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**995
symposia**

**+7500
members**

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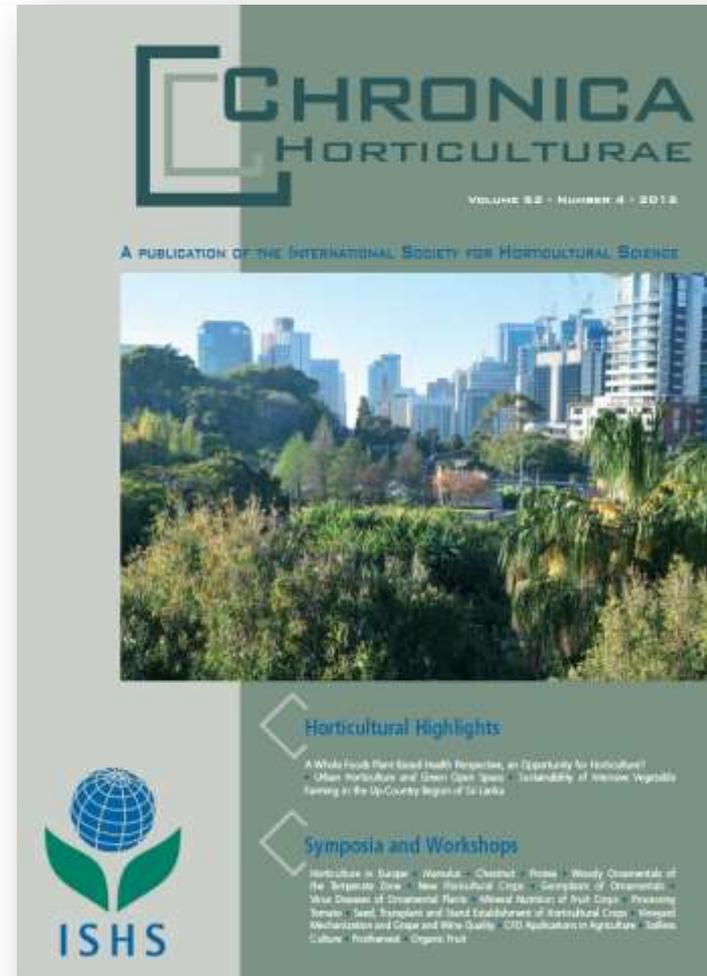


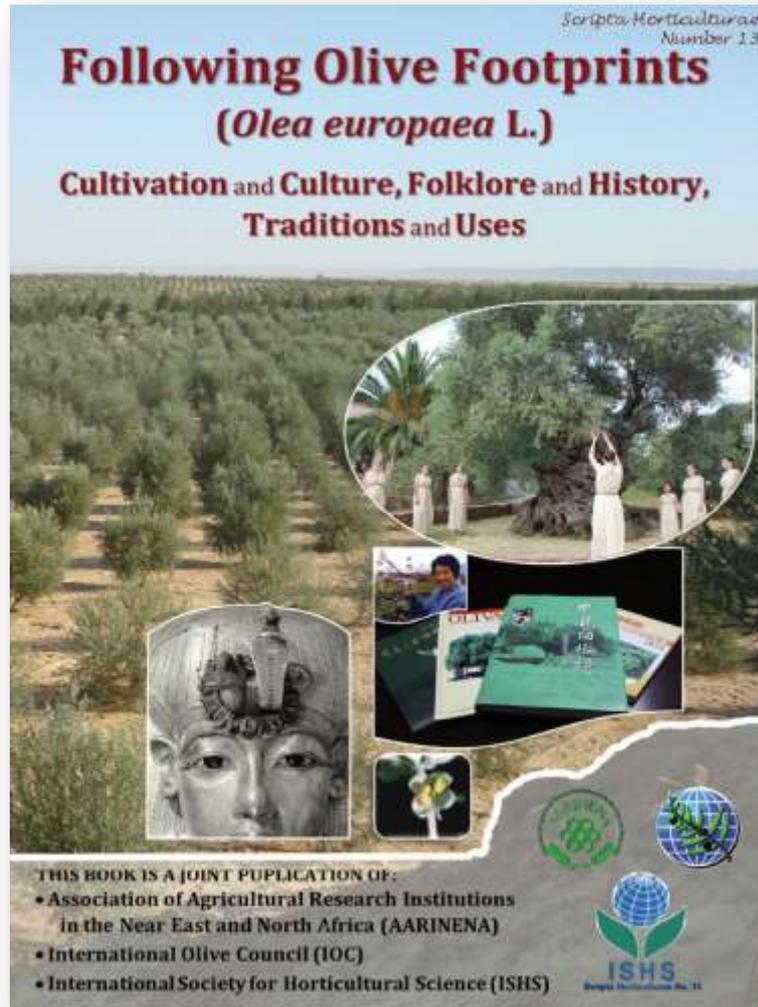


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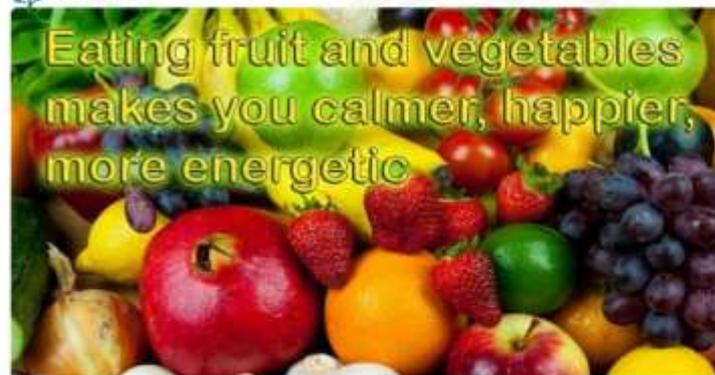
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Thailand - Chiang Mai

26 Mar Middle East Horticultural Summit
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21 Apr IX International Symposium on Grapevine Physiology and Biotechnology
Chile - Santiago

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LATEST ACTA HORTICULTURAE

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A Profile of World Horticulture

Shedding Light on World Horticulture & Commitments for a Positive Future



Harvesting the Sun



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The Journal of Horticultural Science and Biotechnology

This Journal exists to publish results of research on fruit and other perennial crops, vegetables and ornamentals in commercial, amenity and/or recreational horticulture. Papers are welcomed from both temperate and tropical countries describing original investigations of interest to those engaged in scientific research and the practice of horticulture.

Journal of the American Pomological Society (APS)

The quarterly Journal of the American Pomological Society (formerly Fruit Varieties Journal 1973 to 1999) contains refereed technical articles and a wide variety of applied articles relating to fruit varieties. Previously it was the Fruit Varieties and Horticultural Digest from 1946 to 1972.

Journal of the International Society for Mushroom Science (ISMS)

Fruits

(Fruits is a scientific journal for original articles and reviews on fruit crops in temperate, Mediterranean, subtropical and tropical regions. Fruits covers a wide range of subjects (agronomy, physiology, genetics, crop protection, postharvest storage, product processing and marketing).)

Proceedings of the IPPS (International Plant Propagators' Society)

The International Plant Propagators' Society exists to bring together all those with an interest in the many different facets of plant propagation and production especially ornamental horticulture, vegetable and fruit plant production, floriculture, aviculture, plantation crop production, amenity horticulture, and all other fields related to the production of plants for public use.

Plant Breeding Reviews

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Horticultural Reviews

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