

VIII INTERNATIONAL POSTHARVEST SYMPOSIUM
CARTAGENA, MURCIA, SPAIN. 21-24 JUNE 2016
THEME: *ENHANCING SUPPLY CHAIN AND CONSUMER BENEFITS: ETHICAL AND TECHNOLOGICAL ISSUES*
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June 21, Tuesday

17:00-19:00 Registration

19:00-21:00 Welcome Reception – Get Together

June 22, Wednesday

8:00-9:00 Late Registration and Poster Handling

9:00-9:15 Opening Ceremony by Official and Academic Authorities

9:15-11:00 **SESSION I. *Ethical and Technological Issues in Reducing Losses***

Recent Pre-Harvest and

Harvesting Advances

Pathology

11:00-11:30 **Coffee Break**

11:30-12:15 **Poster Session I**

12:15-13:30 **SESSION II. *Advances in Metabolism and Sensors***

Omics in Quality Sensors and Robotics

13:30-15:00 **Lunch Time**

15:00-17:00 **SESSION III. *Advances in Postharvest Treatments***

Modified Atmosphere Packaging Innovative Techniques

17:00-17:30 **Coffee Break**

17:30-19:15 **SESSION IV. Workshops**

Affordable Pre- and Postharvest

Technologies in Developing

Countries

The New Challenges in Pre- and

Postharvest Companies

June 23, Thursday

8:45-9:00 Late Registration and Poster Handling

9:00-11:00 **SESSION V. *Minimal Processing of Fruit and Vegetables***

Equipment Quality and Safety

11:00-11:30 **Coffee Break**

11:30-12:15 **Poster Session II**

12:15-13:30 **SESSION VI. *Physiological and Biochemical Issues***

Physiology and Biochemistry Physiological Disorders

13:30-15:00 **Lunch Time**

15:00-16:45 **SESSION VII. *Controlled Atmospheres and Non-Destructive Tools***

Controlled/modified atmospheres

Non-Destructive Quality

Evaluation

16:45-17:15 **Coffee Break**

17:15-17:45 **Poster Session III**

17:45-19:15 **SESSION VIII. *Nutritional and Health Promoting Compounds***

Nutritional Compounds Health Issue

19:15-20:00 ISHS Business Meeting

21:15 **Gala Dinner**

June 24, Friday

8:45-9:00 Late Registration and Poster Handling

9:00-10:45 **SESSION IX. *Packaging, Transport, and Distribution***

Transport and Distribution Packaging

10:45-11:15 **Coffee Break**

11:15-11:45 **Poster Session IV**

11:45-13:00 **SESSION X. *Postharvest Strategies and Education***

Consumer Preferences Postharvest Education

13:00-13:30 International Cooperation in Education, Research and Technology

Transference

13:30-14:00 Closing Ceremony and Awards

14:00-15:00 **Lunch Time**

15:00-19:30 **Technical Visits**