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INTERNATIONAL
SYMPOSIUM
ON STALLION
REPRODUCTION

DEAR COLLEAGUES

On behalf of the local organizing committee, we are pleased to announce the **Eighth International Symposium on Stallion Reproduction (ISSR), to be held in Cordoba, Spain from 12th to 14th February 2025**. It is our great pleasure to invite you to attend this prestigious meeting in a wonderful city and country. Based on the success of previous conferences, the ISSR 2025 aims to maintain and promote the international cooperation among young and senior researchers, organizing stimulating lectures, challenging workshops and longer sessions for oral communications, involving the world's finest scientists and clinicians in stallion reproduction.

The conference topics include advances and developments in male reproductive physiology, semen analysis, processing and conservation, artificial insemination, assisted reproductive technologies, genetics, fertility and diseases of the male reproductive tract in horses and other equid species.

We are confident that ISSR 2025 will be a high scientific quality conference in a monumental city, with an excellent conference venue, good climate and gastronomic delights like tapas!

Looking forward to seeing you in ISSR-Cordoba 2025!

Christine Aurich,
Chair of the ISSR sciecntific board

Manuel Hidalgo,
Chair of the Local Organizing Committee

● CONFERENCE VENUE RECTORATE BUILDING OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CORDOBA

Avda Medina Azahara 5, 14071, Cordoba, Spain

The Rectorate, an impressive neo-Mudejar building, is one of the city's most emblematic structures. The local authority commissioned the building in 1914 as a place to house the former Veterinary Faculty, and it is considered by art historians to be Córdoba's finest example of the regionalist style. The conference includes ample space for poster sessions and an exhibition area for sponsors and other members of the industry.



● CORDOBA, WORLD HERITAGE SITE

Cordoba is a city in Andalusia, southern Spain, with an **impressive cultural and monumental patrimony**. The origins of Cordoba are lost in the mists of time and different civilizations that passed through the city also left their mark, in-





cluding Roman, Visigoth, Islam, Judaism and Christian. **Cordoba now holds 4 inscriptions in the World Heritage List granted by the UNESCO: the Mosque-Cathedral (1984), the historical quarter surrounding it (1994), the Festival of the Patios (Courtyards) (2012) and Medina Azahara (2018).** In addition, with the rest of Spain, it shares the titles of the **Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity awarded to Flamenco (2010) and the Mediterranean Diet (2013).** Due to its exceptional geographical position, **Cordoba** is extremely well connected with the rest of Spain and the nearest airports by road or high speed train. *Text: C TURISMO DE CORDOBA*
(Further information about Cordoba: <http://english.turismodecordoba.org>)



● THE ROYAL STABLES

In 1570, **King Philip II**, who was a great lover of horses, in founded **The Royal Stables in Cordoba**. He launched this project to create the Andalusian Horse (Pure Spanish Thoroughbred), one of the greatest breeds of horse ever to exist, a very popular riding horse and a symbol of the Spanish empire. The Royal Stables are today the site of a permanent **Equestrian Show** “The Passion and Spirit of Andalusian Horse”.

● IMPORTANT DEADLINES:

Abstract submission deadline: **1st October, 2024**
Registration deadline reduced fee: **October 30, 2024**
Registration deadline: **February 5, 2025**

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● **HOW TO GET TO CORDOBA**



Cordoba is strategically located in the southern of Spain. There are excellent freeway connections via **First class road network (A-4)** and regular and **high-speed trains (AVE)** to the principal international airports located in Madrid, Malaga and Seville.

See you in Cordoba!



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