Course “Latin American Biology of Parasitism – LatAmBoP 2020”
Montevideo, URUGUAY

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This course will cover important aspects of modern research with a focus on apicomplexan parasites and will be divided in lectures given by leading experts in each field, and two distinct experimental modules. The focus of lectures is broad and intends to be multidisciplinary covering relevant topics on pathogenesis, molecular and cellular biology, bioinformatics, database mining, genotyping and drug discovery/drug resistance. One of the main goals of this course is the promotion of international participation and networking across Latin America and with international experts, particularly addressing topics of interest for the Latin American region. Topics will include:

- Basic cell biology and molecular biology
- Genetic diversity and genotyping
- Bioinformatics and database mining
- Immunology and animal models
- Drug discovery and drug resistance

Participants
- Researchers holding a BSc or equivalent in a relevant field (biology, biochemistry, medicine, veterinary medicine, public health or epidemiology)
- Students and Junior Scientists are welcome to attend

Funding
- Participants are expected to cover their own travel costs
- Grants covering twin-share accommodation, breakfast, lunch and internal transfers are available for selected nationals of ICGEB Member States
- Exceptional contribution towards travel costs will be available from the organisers and external sponsors for selected students/junior scientists

Online application  https://www.icgeb.org/course-application-biology-of-parasitism-2020/
Deadline  22 March 2020