



34th Annual Conference
Australasian Society of Phycology and Aquatic Botany
Monday 23rd & Tuesday 24th November, 2020
1pm – 3pm NZST

Registrations for conference and abstract submission closes
midnight (NZST) October 31st

The 34th annual Australasian Society of Phycology and Aquatic Botany (ASPAB) meeting will be held on the 23-24th of November for you to view from the comfort of your home or office! This year's conference planning team recognizes the difficulties we are all facing during the COVID-19 pandemic and we hope this will allow all attendants to stay healthy and safe.

Our annual meetings are friendly affairs, drawing scientists who work in phycology and aquatic botany of all kinds. This year, we will run the conference online for the first time, giving speakers an opportunity to present their work to people from a range of disciplines and reach a wider audience than we have in the past. The conference will begin each day with talks from plenary speakers, experts in the phycology and aquatic botany fields, and continue with 5-minute 'lightning' talks from our speakers. ASPAB conferences are an especially ideal opportunity for students to present their work to an interested audience, but we welcome all to submit an abstract. Please see detailed instructions below for abstract submission.

This year, we are also significantly decreasing the price of conference attendance, and for an even greater discount, you can become an ASPAB member (go to aspab.org for membership). The conference price and membership fees directly support our student travel grants, for emerging scientists to attend and speak at international conferences, which we plan to award once we are able to travel regularly again.

Registration opens 1st September 2020. Please use registration form on the last page of this document. We look forward to you joining us!

Instructions for Abstract Submission:

Due – 31st Oct, 2020

in PDF format
12 point, Times New Roman font
single-space

Title

Authors (underline presenter)
Affiliation, email of presenter
250 word text (max.)

email abstract to: aspab20@gmail.com

Registration Form: email to aspab20@gmail.com

Name _____
Affiliation _____
Registration Amount \$ _____
Payment Method _____

Prices:

In currency of respective country (NZD or AUS*)

Student/retired/unsalaried/postdoc:

Member - \$10

non-member - \$20

Waged:

Member - \$20

non-member - \$30

New Zealand attendees:

- pay by direct bank transfer to the New Zealand ASPAB bank account
 - Bank: ASB
 - Name: Australasian Society for Phycology and Aquatic Botany
 - BNZ account no: 12-3066-0228909-00
 - Please include your name as a lodgement reference

Australia attendees:

- paying by direct bank transfer to the Australian ASPAB account
 - Bendigo Bank:BSB: 633-000
 - Name: Australasian Society for Phycology and Aquatic Botany
 - Account no: 154989180
 - Please include your name as a lodgement reference

Other country attendees:

- via credit card to the ASPAB PayPal account, aspab.nz@gmail.com
- or paying by international bank transfer in NZD to the New Zealand ASPAB account (see instructions above)

*This allows us to keep accounting clear and simple, and the extra cost to Australian attendees is still less than the cost of an international bank transfer

An invoice will be available on request