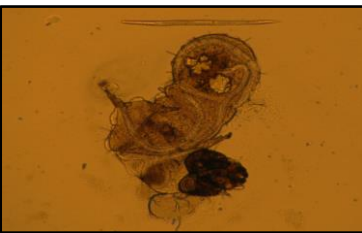
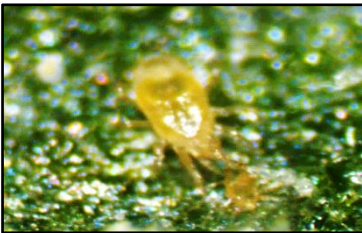




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Overview:

The Solanaceae is one of humankind's most utilized plant families. It contains some of the world's most important food plants, such as potato, tomato, pepper, and eggplant. The current global solanaceous crop production is facing an unprecedented threat caused by many pests. The common strategies for the management of these pests relies largely on the intensive use of insecticides. Alternative means are needed to reduce the insecticide overuse and avoid their negative impacts to the environment, food safety, and human health. Here, we call for a global workshop to promote international focus and collaboration on the biological control within an ecological management complex of pests in solanaceous crops. Researchers and students in this area are all welcomed to join this workshop. (The workshop belongs to the Third International Conference of Insect Pest Management)

Draft Schedule:

The workshop has 3 sessions and will be carried out on 22th Oct, 2023:

- Session 1, 9:00-9:50, organizer: Dr. Yulin Gao
Establishment of IOBC-BiCoSol.
- 9:50-10:00, Group Photo, Tea break
- Session 2, 10:00-12:00, organizer: Dr. Yulin Gao
Seminars by 4 invited speakers. (30 min for each)
- Session 3, 14:00-17:30, organizer: Dr. Wenwu Zhou
Seminars by 10 speakers. (20 min for each)

Registration:

For more information and to attend the workshop, please register in the website <https://icipm.scievent.com>.

Conveners:

- International Organisation for Biological Control, Working Group: Biological Control of Insect Pests in Potato, Tomato and Other Solanaceous Crops
- Institute of Plant Protection, Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences
- Institute of Insect Sciences, Zhejiang University

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