



**11<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Fruit Flies of Economic Importance**  
**Macquarie University, Sydney, NSW, Australia**  
**13 – 18 November 2022**  
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**Fourth Announcement**

**Earlybird Registration extended to 15 September 2022**

Thank you to those of you that submitted abstracts for the 11<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Fruit Flies of Economic Importance to be held from 13 - 18 November 2022, in Sydney, NSW, Australia. We received a fantastic number of submissions and expect to have acceptance letters sent in the coming days.

In light of this, the discounted earlybird rates will be extended, available until **15 September 2022**, [view the website](#) for a full list of fees.

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**Plenary Speaker - Professor Ary Hoffmann AC**

We are pleased to announce that Laureate Professor Ary Hoffman AC will deliver the Plenary Address at this year's Symposium, "*Fly evolutionary adaptation: what have we learnt, where are we going?*".

Ary Hoffmann is a geneticist and evolutionary biologist who undertakes research on climate change adaptation and insect endosymbionts. His group is helping to predict and improve the adaptive capacity of organisms under climate change and his group is developing novel approaches for suppressing pests and disease vectors. Hoffmann's research has used a variety of organisms to examine adaptation, particularly flies and other insects. He has worked collaboratively with several agencies on practical guidelines for boosting adaptive capacity in populations. He is Companion of the Order of Australia, a fellow of the Australian Academy of Science and a foreign fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Science. He heads a research team located at the Bio21 Institute of the University of Melbourne where he is a Melbourne Laureate Professor

**Social Function**

We are also excited to reveal that the Social Function will be a Sydney Harbour Cruise on Thursday 17 November. You can purchase social function tickets during registration, please [email us](#) if you have already registered or wish to purchase additional tickets.

Further information is available at: [www.11isffe.com](http://www.11isffe.com). You can also contact us at [11isffe@theconferencecompany.com](mailto:11isffe@theconferencecompany.com)

Looking forward to seeing you in Sydney or online,

**Polychronis Rempoulakis** (Chair of the Local Organizing Committee)

**Rui Cardoso Pereira** (Chair of the International Fruit Fly Steering Committee)



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