

Call for abstracts of papers for the 14th CASEE Conference

*"The Role of the Life Sciences Universities in the Green Transition
of Central and Eastern Europe"*

The CASEE Board and the **University of Agricultural Sciences and Veterinary Medicine of Cluj-Napoca, Romania**, warmly invite and highly encourage all staff members and PhD students from CASEE universities to submit an abstract for an oral/poster presentation for the 14th CASEE Conference held under the main theme **"The Role of the Life Sciences Universities in the Green Transition of Central and Eastern Europe"**.

The abstracts are to be submitted into these subtopics:

- a. Agronomy and Ecological Conservation
- b. Food Science and Technology
- c. Horticulture, Bioeconomy, and Landscape Architecture
- d. Animal Science and Biotechnology
- e. Veterinary Medicine – Preclinical and Clinical Sciences
- f. Geodesy, Forestry, and Applied Exact Sciences

All staff members from CASEE universities and colleagues from other research institutions in CASEE countries are invited to submit an abstract by **20th February 2024**.

Online abstract submission is available at: <https://casee.usamvcluj.ro/form/>

Participation in the conference and the presentation of the papers/posters will provide feedback for the authors to improve the papers to be submitted to various journals (some of them are listed below). Therefore, the conference aims to discuss its topic and subtopics and assist the participants in improving their papers for submission to many journals. The submission will depend on the journals' guidelines and the specific topic: Bulletin of the University of Agricultural Sciences and Veterinary Medicine Cluj-Napoca. (I) Agriculture, (II) Horticulture, (III) Animal Science and Biotechnology, (IV) Veterinary Medicine, (V) Forestry and Cadaster and (VI) Food Science and Technology. <https://journals.usamvcluj.ro/index.php>

Die Bodenkultur

(<http://www.boku.ac.at/en/fos/themen/die-bodenkultur/die-zeitschrift/>)

Scientia Agriculturae Bohemica

(<https://sab.czu.cz/en/>)

Agricultural Economics – Zemedelska ekonomika

<https://www.agriculturejournals.cz/web/agricecon/>

Czech Journal of Food Sciences

(<https://www.agriculturejournals.cz/web/cjfs/>)

Czech Journal of Animal Sciences
(<https://www.agriculturejournals.cz/web/cjfs/>)

Plant Protection Sciences
(<https://www.agriculturejournals.cz/web/pps/>)

Plant, Soil and Environment
(<https://www.agriculturejournals.cz/web/pse/>)

Manuscripts must be full research papers and have to be prepared according to the standards of the journal (Instructions for authors can be found at the journal homepage: <https://journals.usamvcluj.ro/index.php>). Manuscripts shall be submitted until **1st of July 2024**.

There are also other journals where the participants in the 14th CASEE Conference are encouraged to submit their papers after their presentation at the CASEE conference. The review of the submitted papers is not in the hands of the conference organisers or CASEE board but depends on the rules of the journals, as indicated in the case of Die Bodenkultur. However, participation in the conference increases the chances for a positive review process because the ideas are discussed before the submission.

Special information for PhD students

PhD students from CASEE universities are specially invited to submit an abstract for a poster or oral presentation in one of the subthemes of the conference. The conference is a great opportunity to discuss their research findings in an international community because it provides international feedback. The deadline for the submission of the abstracts is **20th February 2024**. Up to **5 PhD students** with full papers accepted by the conference scientific board will be exempt from the conference fee (the deadline for these full paper submissions to the conference organisers is the **10th May 2024**).

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Only abstracts submitted online can be accepted!

Instructions for preparation of abstracts

- Abstracts and papers/posters must be written in English.
- Abstracts should contain the aim of the paper/poster, essential results and a brief conclusion. The authors are advised not to make the abstracts too short or too general (the size of the abstract is 1500 – 3500 characters, including spaces).
- Abstracts must include 3-5 keywords, separated by commas.
- Abstracts should not contain tables, graphs, drawings, etc.

The abstracts of all oral presentations and posters will be published in a CASEE Conference 2024 Book of Abstracts.