

Dear Colleague

On behalf of the Organization Committee of the 1st Asian African Congress of mycobacteriology (AASM 2015), I would like to thank you for your enthusiastic participation in AASM 2015, Isfahan, Iran. We strongly believe that one of the best ways to improve care and study of mycobacterium related diseases is to bring together the experts from a wide diverse expertise on a platform like AASM Meeting.

Thereby, the Asian African Society of Mycobacteriology is proud to present the 2nd Asian African Congress of Mycobacteriology, from 25-28 February 2017 in Iran.

During the events, the latest developments in mycobacterium disease, particularly those caused by mycobacterium tuberculosis, mycobacterium bovis and non-tuberculosis mycobacterium (NTM) will be reviewed and emphasized. We warmly welcome the kind collaboration and participation of all interested clinicians, scientist, faculty members, students, researchers, laboratory staff, nurses and etc. We hope to create a unique occasion especially for the young researchers to gain knowledge and experience.

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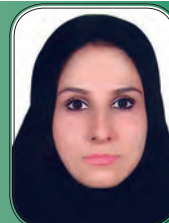
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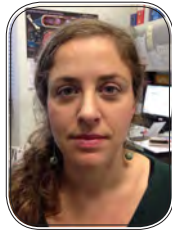


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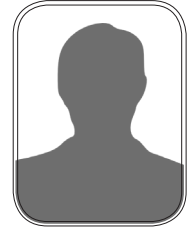


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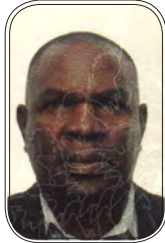
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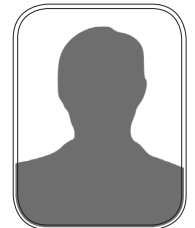


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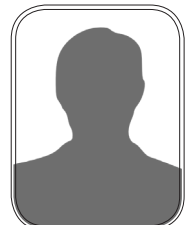


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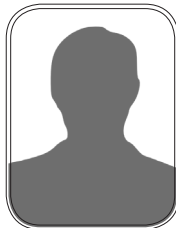


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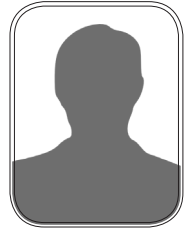


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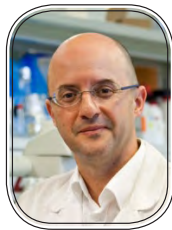
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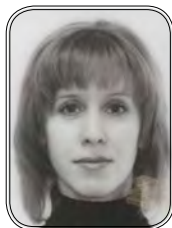
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