

Join us towards 2022!

March 8/on-line

Organized by Centrum Mendelianum
and Mendel Society Vienna

10 – 12 am: Mendel Brno Team Meeting

2 pm

Opening remarks/Eva Matalová

Mendel Memorial Medal

- Introduction of the Laureate 2021/Pavčina Pončíková
- MMM Award/Jiří Mitáček
- Look into the history/Jiří Sekerák



3-5 pm

Mendel International Team meeting

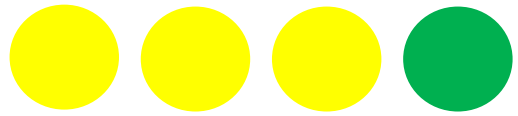
- Mendel Network 2022/Eva Matalová
- Introduction of new ambassadors/Eva Matalová
- Mendel School 2022/ Eva Matalová
- Mendelianum plans for 2022/Jiří Sekerák
- Towards The US Mendel Society/Daniel Fairbanks (US)
- The Collection of Mendeliana at the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign: recent update/Christina Laukaitis, Robert Karn (US)



5-6 pm: Discussion break

**6 pm: Mendel Lecture (MMM 2020)/
Johann Sölkner (Austria)**

Mendel Day



- **Mendel Day - idea**

The idea to introduce an international Mendel Day crystallized during the Mendel Forum 2015 held at the occasion of 150 years since Mendel's lecture and 50 years since the first exhibition in the Mendelianum. The idea received support from around the world and thus Mendel Day tradition has been started to share enthusiasm in popularization, propagation and development of Mendel's scientific and cultural legacy.

- **Mendel Day – March 8**

March 8 was selected to be celebrated as Mendel Day as on this day in 1865 Mendel delivered the final part of his lecture Experiments on Plant Hybrids. The lecture was published a year later in the Journal of the Nature Research Association in Brno and distributed within Europe and overseas. March Mendel Day nicely fits between the February Darwin Day and the April DNA Day and makes a virtual bridge between traditional and modern experimental sciences.

- **Connecting People through Mendel**

Mendelianum of the Moravian Museum in Brno (est. 1962) in cooperation and with support from European and overseas countries connected via the Ambassador Network organizes Mendel Forum conferences and Mendel Day events to welcome anybody interested in Mendel's life, work and legacy.

In 2015 (celebrating 150 years since Mendel's lectures), Mendelianum of the Moravian Museum moved to the former headquarters of the „Mendel's scientific society“ (Agriculture Society) where he became inspired for his later famous research and received a strong scientific support and motivation.

Moravian Museum was established by this Society and thus works in a direct continuity!

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