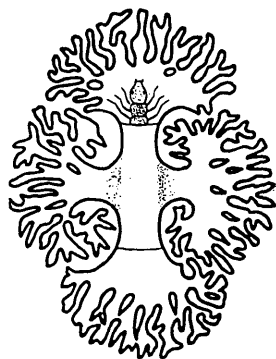


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9th International Symposium
on Trichoptera
Chiang Mai 1998

Dear Colleagues,

We would like to invite you cordially to participate in the 9th International Symposium on Trichoptera to be held in Chiang Mai, Northern Thailand, from 5 to 10 January, 1998. The Symposium will be held in one of the new first-class hotels where accommodation, food, lecture rooms and all modern comforts are available.

Chiang Mai - whose name means "New town" - is the second largest city in Thailand and was the capital of Lanna Kingdom until 1938, with about 200.000 inhabitants. In 1996, which is 2539 according to the Thai calendar, the town celebrates its 700th anniversary. The Chiang Mai University was founded in 1964.

Unlike other places where our Symposia have been held, there is no tradition of caddis research, and the present Symposium may help to encourage ecological and systematic work on Trichoptera in Thailand. Environmental monitoring is one of the main tasks of the University. In close vicinity to the town is the Doi Suthep-Pui National Park with well preserved forests, brooklets and waterfalls and many caddisflies. It is planned to organize one excursion there. Another excursion will go to Doi Inthanon, the highest mountain in Thailand (2564m). Accompanying persons may see many interesting places including splendid temples, an orchid farm, an elephant camp, traditional markets and hill-tribe villages. Chiang Mai is a centre for handicrafts, including textiles (silk and handmade cotton), ceramics (earthenware and celadon), basketware, woodcarving, silverworks and jewellery of excellent quality at reasonable prices. Bring your family and enough money for shopping !

The weather will be fine at this season of the year, with daily maxima of about 28°C and morning minima under 20°C. Collecting of insects is possible, and we will do our best to supply collecting permits in National Parks for the members of the Symposium.

We expect that participants will arrive by airplane at Chiang Mai International Airport (CNX). There are many cheap flights from many destinations to Bangkok; the cost of the return flight from Bangkok to Chiang Mai is about 135 \$. We are offering the complete package of first class accommodation from 4 to 11 January, including breakfast, lunch, transport and registration at the standard price of US \$ 400 for participants and \$ 300 for accompanying persons. This includes excursions, the programme for accompanying persons, and the Proceedings which will be produced by the Faculty of Sciences. We have decided to offer this all-inclusive arrangement (without dinner) because individual calculation would mean much more work for the organizers and therefore a higher cost for participants. If you should wish to make other arrangements, please write to us individually. For those who

would like to attend but have not enough money (in particular, scientists from the former socialist countries) we shall try to find support; please write us individually as early as possible, and explain your problem.

The Symposium logo depicts the case and nets of the larva of Ugandatrichia maliwan, the Giant Microcaddisfly which is common in the torrents of the region.

Concerning health in this tropical town, you should not expect problems other than in a European or North American summer, and no vaccinations are obligatory, but it may be wise to contact your doctor before the trip.

There will be oral and poster presentations. If there should be too many lectures, the organizers reserve the right to present some lectures as poster presentations. Projectors for 5 x 5 cm slides and an overhead projector will be available; if you need other equipment, please let us know.

The manuscripts for the Proceedings must be delivered during the Symposium. Store the manuscript on diskette (3 1/2 inches) using Microsoft Word and Microsoft Excel with the operating system Microsoft Windows 3.11; or in ASCII code. One offprint must be added. If you cannot present the text on diskette, send a traditional typed manuscript.

There will be more information and a preliminary programme in BRAUERIA 24. Please send your application with abstracts and payment not later than 1 March 1997, but preferably earlier.

Sincerely yours,

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