

## Commission on Science and Technology for Sustainable Development in the South

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The Commission on Science and Technology for Sustainable Development in the South (COMSATS) Secretariat presents its compliments to the esteemed Focal Points in Member States and the Centres of Excellence, and has the honour to state that the 16<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Natural Product Chemistry (ISNPC-16) is being organized by the International Center for Chemical and Biological Sciences (ICCBS), Pakistan, with COMSATS' support. The Symposium will be held from 17<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> February 2025 at ICCBS, Karachi, Pakistan.

The objective of the Symposium is to bring together leading experts in the field of Natural Product Sciences from all over the world and to forge global partnerships for the sustainable utilization of natural resources for the common benefit of humanity and the rapid development of countries in the Global South. Moreover, the event aims to promote ideas exchange, research collaborations, and partnerships in natural product sciences. Further details regarding the Symposium are mentioned in the enclosed **Flyer.** 

The esteemed Focal Points in Member States and Centres of Excellence are requested to kindly disseminate this announcement among relevant scientists, researchers and students for their online participation. The web-link for online participation shall be shared with the nominees in due course of time.

Moreover, distinguished scientists/researchers may be nominated for their online participation as Speakers/Resource persons at the event. It may be noted that a limited number of subject experts can be accommodated in the event program as speakers, after their selection by the Technical Committee. In this regard, the aspiring subject experts may submit their professional profiles (CVs) and Abstract of their proposed talk.

The nominations may be conveyed to the Secretariat via email (<u>irfan@comsats.org</u> and <u>farhan@comsats.org</u>), by 7<sup>th</sup> February 2025. It may be noted that the registration fee for foreign participants and speakers has been waived off for COMSATS' nominees.

COMSATS avails itself of this opportunity to convey to the esteemed Focal Points in Member States and Centres of Excellence, the assurances of its highest consideration.

Islamabad, January 31, 2025



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