



The 13<sup>th</sup> International  
Working Conference on  
Stored Product Pests



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## First Conference Announcement and Call for Abstracts

### The 13<sup>th</sup> International Working Conference on Stored Product Pests (13th IWCSPP) 19 – 23 October 2026, Kampala, Uganda.

We are thrilled to announce the 13th International Working Conference on Stored Product Pests scheduled to take place during 19<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2026 in Kampala, Uganda, under the auspices of the Ministry of Agriculture Animal Industry and Fisheries, Makerere University and the National Agricultural Research Organization. This conference is a celebration of knowledge, innovation, and collaboration within the field of stored product pests' biology, ecology, management and socioeconomic issues (gender, policy and governance).

#### Call for abstracts:

You are invited to submit abstracts in any of the following conference topics, and to join us in making the 13th International Working Conference on Stored Product Pests (13th IWCSPP) a resounding success. **The deadline for abstract submission is 31<sup>st</sup> May 2025.** No abstracts will be accepted after this date.

#### Topics:

- Biology, ecology and behaviour of stored products pests and their relationship to pests' management, and climate change
- Hermetic storage innovations and improved storage infrastructure
- Internet of Things and Remote sensing
- Nanotechnology, Genetic Engineering for stored product protection
- Chemicals, Fumigation, Controlled atmospheres and Physical control of stored product pests
- Biological control, Pheromones, Biopesticides
- Integrated Pest Management programmes for stored product pests
- Microbiology and Food safety
- Policy, Governance/ Regulation, and Socioeconomic aspects of stored product pests protection
- Postharvest management extension

#### Special Topics

- Ethics and Environmental Impact
- Climate Change and Sustainable Development

**How to Submit:** Visit the conference website <https://13iwcspp.com/abstracts/> to learn more about the submission guidelines and the conference details or contact the 13th IWCSPP Secretariat: [info@13iwcspp.com](mailto:info@13iwcspp.com); [13iwcsppconference@gmail.com](mailto:13iwcsppconference@gmail.com).