



## INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON FORAMINIFERA University of Concepcion, Chile 19-24 January 2014

## SESSION N° 1

SESSION TITLE	CONVENORS
New classification of Foraminifera - bridging molecules and morphology	<ul> <li>Jan Pawlowski         University of Geneva,         Switzerland</li> <li>Maria Holzmann         University of Geneva,         Switzerland</li> <li>Jaroslaw Tyska         Polish Academy of         Sciences, Poland</li> </ul>

## **SUMMARY**

The goal of this session will be the presentation of recent advances in molecular systematics of foraminifera, in relation to their phylogenetic position and classification. We are particularly interested in those studies that use molecular and/or morphological data in order to revise the taxonomy of modern foraminifera. We also invite talks on foraminiferal morphogenesis and its evolutionary consequences. In the session we will discuss the current foraminiferal classification, and propose some ideas how to revise it.

The **Paul Brönnimann Foundation** will sponsor this session and will give a price for the best Student Presentation in relation with the session topic.