

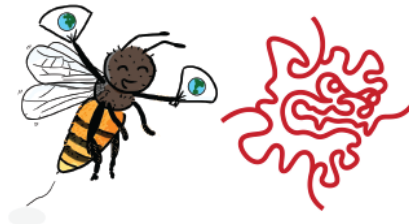
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# OIST Mini-Symposia & COLOSS ASIA Okinawa

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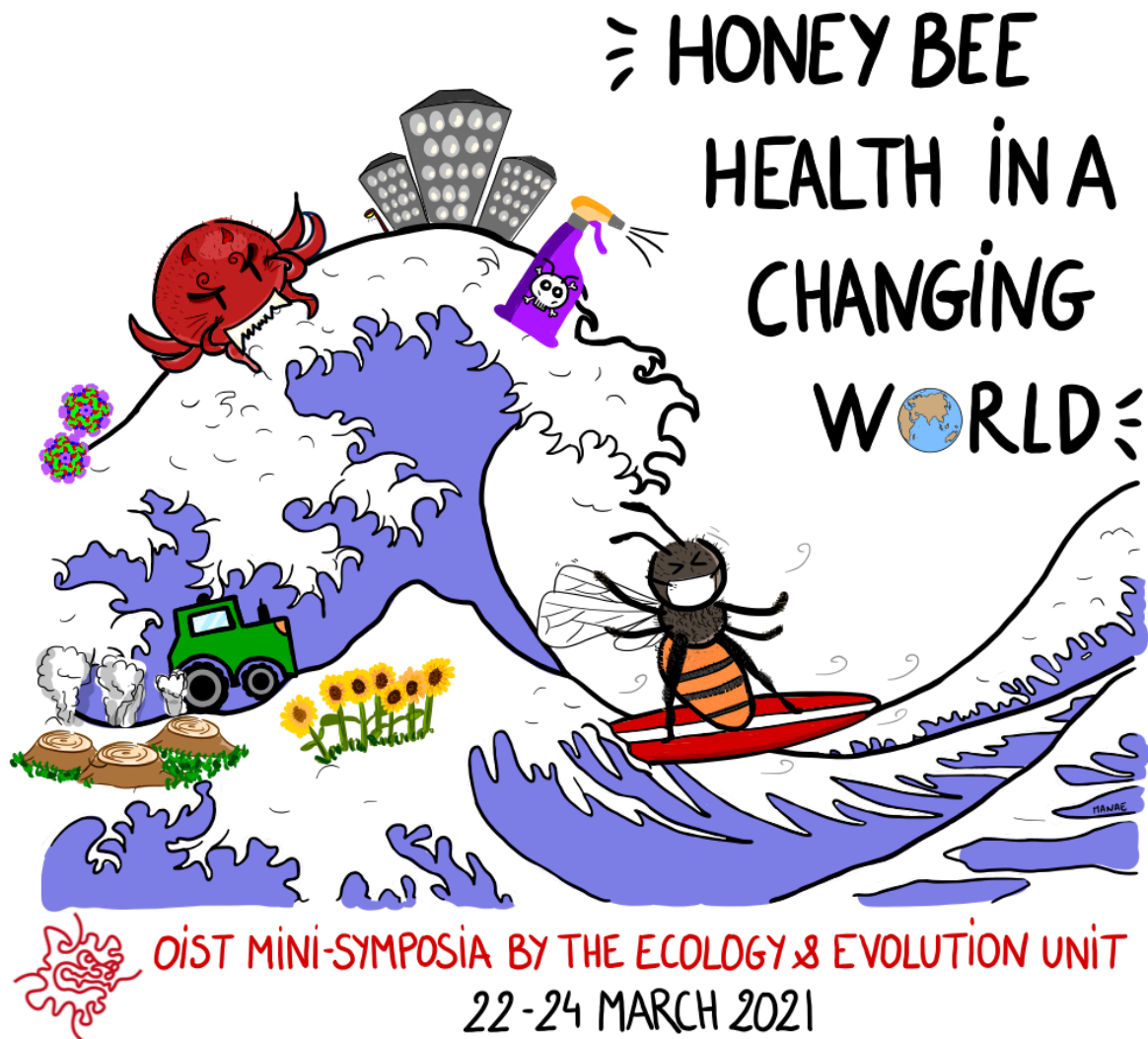
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OIST Mini-Symposia 22-24 March 2021



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# PROGRAM OIST Mini-Symposia 22-24 March 2021

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2021

Invited talks  
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18:30-18:50 JST <b>Live</b>	Opening ceremony (Alexander) Sasha Mikheyev (OIST – Japan / ANU – Australia)
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18:50-19:20 JST <b>Live</b>	Honey bee ecotoxicogenomics Amy Paten (CSIRO – Australia)
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19:20-19:50 JST <b>Live</b>	Varroa mite genes interact with its viruses' load Nurit Eliash (OIST - Japan)
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19:50-20:10 JST	Spatial Chat or Break
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20:10-20:40 JST <b>Live</b>	A holistic view of global honey bee health Peter Neumann (Institute of Bee Health, University of Bern, Switzerland)
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20:40-21:10 JST <b>Live</b>	Would a gene drive work in <i>Varroa destructor</i> ? Brock Harpur (Purdue University - USA)
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21:10-21:30 JST	Spatial Chat or Break
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21:30-22:00 JST <b>Live</b>	Varroa – challenges in management Dennis vanEngelsdorp (University of Maryland - USA)
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22:00 JST	CLOSING SESSION
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Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2021

Invited talks  
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18:30-19:00 JST <b>Live</b>	Bees facing Varroa and viruses over space and time: a historical study (Alexander) Sasha Mikheyev (OIST – Japan / ANU – Australia)
19:00-19:30 JST <b>Live</b>	The current status of beekeeping in Japan, focusing on the influence of bee diseases on Japanese beekeeping Kiyoshi Kimura (NARO – Japan)
19:30-20:00 JST <b>Live</b>	Surveillance and genetic characterization of Varroa mites in Japan Mari Ogihara (NARO – Japan)

20:00-20:20 JST	<b>Spatial Chat or Break</b>
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20:20-20:50 JST <b>Live</b>	An overview of the honeybee genetic diversity and health in the Indian Ocean Islands Hélène Delatte (CIRAD – Reunion Island / Madagascar)
20:50-21:20 JST <b>Live</b>	The dynamics of Deformed wing virus genotypes in varroa-infested honey bee colonies Robert Paxton (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg – Germany)

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21:20-21:35 JST <b>Live</b>	BeeBiome Beta Version Resource Benjamin Dainat (Agroscope – Switzerland)
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21:35-22:00 JST	<a href="#">GENERAL DISCUSSION I</a>
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22:00 JST	CLOSING SESSION
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Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2021

Invited talks  
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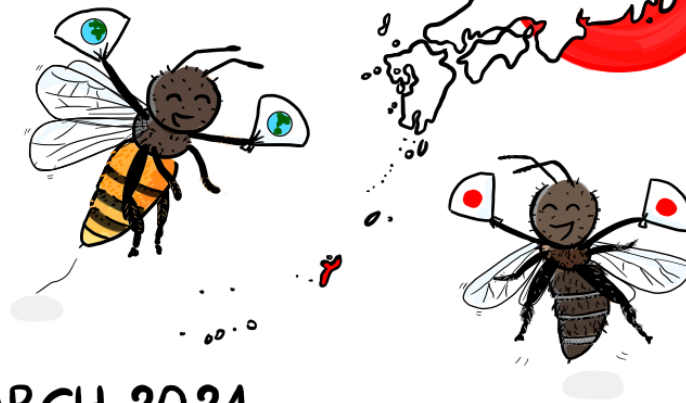
18:30-19:00 JST <b>Live</b>	Virus silencing in honey bees and their mites <b>Emily Remnant (University of Sydney - Australia)</b>
19:00-19:30 JST <b>Live</b>	New method of injecting solution into the abdomen to overcome fixation delay of the midgut on making the histological specimens of honeybee worker <b>Tetsuro Inamoto (Kyoto Prefecture Livestock Division - Japan)</b>
19:30-20:00 JST <b>Live</b>	The gut microbiota affects the social network of honey bees <b>Philipp Engel (University of Lausanne - Switzerland)</b>
20:00-20:20 JST	<b>Spatial Chat or Break</b>
20:20-20:50 JST <b>Recorded</b>	When East meets West: The prevalence of pathogens and parasites in honey bees <b>Panuwan Chantawannakul (Chiang Mai University - Thailand)</b>
20:50-21:30 JST	<b>GENERAL DISCUSSION I</b>
21:30 JST	CLOSING OIST Mini-Symposia

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ONLINE SCIENTIFIC TALKS

26 MARCH 2021

BEEKEEPERS SEMINAR



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Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2021

Morning session (Scientific talks)  
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09:40-10:00 JST <b>Live</b>	Opening session COLOSS Asia Okinawa committee members
10:00-10:30 JST <b>Live</b>	COLOSS and activities Peter Neumann (President of COLOSS)

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10:30-10:50 JST <b>Live</b>	Perspective of genome editing aiming at building the better strains of the honey bee <i>Apis mellifera</i> Masatsugu Hatakeyama (NARO - Japan)
10:50-11:10 JST <b>Live</b>	What have we learnt studying Varroa destructor in Asia? Huoqing Zheng (Zhejiang University - China)
11:10-11:30 JST <b>Live</b>	The untold story of Varroa mite successful invasion unravelled by worldwide population genomics Maeva Techer (OIST - Japan)
11:30-11:50 JST <b>Recorded</b>	Establishment of a simple method for ex vivo honey bee cell culture capable of gene expression analysis Kazuyo Watanabe (NARO - Japan)
11:50-12:10 JST: <b>Live</b>	Application of thiamethoxam in mustard adversely affects honey bee colonies Amit Choudhary (Punjab Agricultural University - India)

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Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2021

Afternoon sessions (Scientific talks)

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#BREAKOUT ROOM 1

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| 14:00-14:20 JST | Ecological treatment of Varroosis: Brood interruption techniques and application of oxalic acid   |
| <b>Recorded</b> | <b>Frías-Álvarez Ariadna (Spain)</b>  |
| 14:20-14:40 JST | Study of the main causes of mortality of honey bee colonies <i>Apis mellifera intermissa</i> in Algeria   |
| <b>Live</b>     | <b>Noureddine Adjlane (Mhamed Bougara University - Algeria)</b>   |
| 14:40-15:00 JST | Removal of veterinary treatments and other residues from beeswax  |
| <b>Recorded</b> | <b>Alba Luna (INIA - Spain)</b>   |
| 15:00-15:20 JST | Toxicity Effect of Five Essential Oils and their Components Derived from <i>Cymbopogon citratus</i> , <i>Eucalyptus globulus</i> , <i>Rosmarinus officinalis</i> , <i>Thymus schimperi</i> , <i>Trachyspermum ammi</i> against <i>Varroa destructor</i> in Laboratory Tests |
| <b>Recorded</b> | <b>Chuleui Jung (Andong National University – Korea)</b>  |

15:20-15:40 JST: **Spatial Chat or Break**

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| 15:40-16:00 JST | Beekeeping industry in Iran: Current status and future directions                                      |
| <b>Recorded</b> | <b>Alireza Arab (University of Tehran - Iran)</b>  |
| 16:00-16:20 JST | THERE AND BACK AGAIN – Deciphering the host specificity of <i>Varroa</i> spp. with population genetics |
| <b>Live</b>     | <b>Alexis Beaurepaire (University of Bern, Switzerland)</b>  |
| 16:20-16:40 JST | Beekeeping in the meeting point of continents: From Asia to Europe                                     |
| <b>Live</b>     | <b>Ash Özkırım (Hacettepe University - Turkey)</b>   |
| 16:40-17:00 JST | Polymorphism of COI gene in honey bees from different regions of Ukraine                               |
| <b>Recorded</b> | <b>Roman A. Volkov (Yuriy Fedkovych Chernivtsi National University - Ukraine)</b>                      |
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Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2021

Afternoon sessions (Scientific talks)

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#BREAKOUT ROOM 2

14:00-14:20 JST	Observation of monthly metabolic changes in honey bee workers using <sup>1</sup> H NMR
<b>Live</b>	Saetbyeol Lee (Czech University of Life Sciences Prague - Czech Republic)
14:20-14:40 JST	Combined effects of temperature and nutritional stress on TBARS level in <i>Apis mellifera</i>
<b>Recorded</b>	Liudmyla Yazlovychska (Yuriy Fedkovych Chernivtsi National University, Ukraine)
14:40-15:00 JST	The INSIGNIA project: a citizen science protocol for honeybee colony as bio-sampler for pesticides
<b>Recorded</b>	Jozef van der Steen (Alveus AB Consultancy - The Netherlands)
15:00-15:20 JST	Do novel insecticides and viral pathogens interact to harm honey bees?
<b>Live</b>	Yahya Al Naggar (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg – Germany)
15:20-15:40 JST:	<b>Spatial Chat or Break</b>
15:40-16:00 JST	Determination of some heavy metals and elements in honeybee and honey samples from Saudi Arabia
<b>Recorded</b>	Dalal M. Aljedani (University of Jeddah - Saudi Arabia)
16:00-16:20 JST	Bridging bee research and Asian beekeeping practice: how do beekeepers gain knowledge about good beekeeping practices?
<b>Recorded</b>	Lotta Fabricius Kristiansen & Linde Morawetz (Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences - Sweden)
16:20-16:40 JST	Honey Bee Watch: Using Citizen Science for the First Global Monitoring of Free-Living Colonies of all <i>Apis</i> Species
<b>Recorded</b>	Raffaele Dall'Olio (BeeSources – Beekeeping Consultancy - Italy) & Steve Rogenstein (The Ambeassadors)
16:40-17:00 JST	Disrupting Varroa – honeybee host interaction: A focus on chemosensory proteins
<b>Live</b>	Victoria Soroker (Volcani Institute - Israel)

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Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2021

Morning session (Scientific talks)  
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09:50-10:00 JST <b>Live</b>	Opening session COLOSS Asia Okinawa committee members
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10:00-10:20 JST <b>Live</b>	Dynamics of Temporal Transcriptomic and Epigenomic in Response to Lethal Viral Infection Hongmei Li-Byarlay (Agricultural research and development program, Central State University, Wilberforce Ohio, USA)
10:20-10:40 JST <b>Live</b>	Draft genome sequences of the Japanese honey bee, <i>Apis cerana japonica</i> and comparative genomic analysis for honey bee health Kakeru Yokoi (NARO - Japan)
10:40-11:00 JST <b>Live</b>	A potential probiotic, <i>Leuconostoc</i> sp. TBE-8 for honey bee, <i>Apis mellifera</i> Ming-Cheng Wu (National Chung Hsing University - Taiwan)
11:00-11:20 JST:	<b>Spatial Chat or Break</b>
11:20-11:40 JST <b>Live</b>	Evaluation of hygienic behaviour of <i>Apis mellifera</i> Linnaeus colonies by pin-killed brood method Bharathi Mohindru (Punjab Agricultural University - India)
11:40-12:00 JST <b>Live</b>	Formulated Neonicotinoid Insecticides influence the Sugar Responsiveness and Orientation Behavior of Honey Bees ( <i>Apis Mellifera</i> ) Under Laboratory Condition Muhammad Shoaib Saleem (University of Karachi - Pakistan)
12:00-12:20 JST <b>Live</b>	The effect of dynamic diluted compounds in controlling Varroa mite population in honey bee colonies ( <i>Apis mellifera</i> ) Fatemeh Ghaziani (University of Tehran – Iran)

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Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2021

Afternoon Beekeeper Seminar (Japanese/English)

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13:30-13:45 JST	Bridging bee research and Asian beekeeping practice: how do beekeepers gain knowledge about good beekeeping practices?
<b>Recorded EN -&gt; JP</b>	Lotta Fabricius Kristiansen & Linde Morawetz (Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences - Sweden)
13:45-14:00 JST	Honey Bee Watch: Using Citizen Science for the First Global Monitoring of Free-Living Colonies of all <i>Apis</i> Species
<b>Recorded EN -&gt; JP</b>	Raffaele Dall'Olio (BeeSources – Beekeeping Consultancy - Italy) & Steve Rogenstein (The Ambeassadors)
14:00-14:30 JST	日本の養蜂場におけるミツバチヘギイタダニの浸潤状況及びその特性解析
<b>Live JP -&gt; EN</b>	Mari Ogihara 荻原 麻理 (NARO – Japan)
14:30-14:50 JST:	Break
14:50-15:20 JST	An example of SDGs honey bee research bridging with local community: Honey and Coral Project
<b>Live JP -&gt; EN</b>	Kirino Ryo 桐野龍 (Onna Village Public Office – Okinawa 恩納村役場)
15:20-15:30 JST	Honey and Coral Project: past activities and future perspectives
<b>Live EN -&gt; JP</b>	Vienna Kowallik (OIST – Japan)
15:30-15:50 JST	What genome sequencing has taught us on beekeeping pests spread and evolution? A perspective on the Varroa mite problem
<b>Live EN -&gt; JP</b>	マエヴァテシエル Maeva Techer (OIST – Japan)
15:50-16:10 JST	Beekeeping and management in tropical island: the example of Reunion Island in Indian Ocean
<b>Recorded EN</b>	オリヴィエ・エスノー Olivier Esnault (衛生防御グループ GDS – Reunion Island, France)
16:10-17:00 JST	Open questions and discussion among beekeepers and researchers

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