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Virtual

“Conservation of Biodiversity for Sustainable Utilization”

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Programme

Session 1, Session chair: Dr. Judith Agot Odhiambo

- 08:30 - 08:45 **Opening Remarks**
Prof. Paul Mbugua (President of SEB – K)
Prof. Catherine Lukhoba (Chair, NAPRECA – K)

Session 2, Session chair: Prof. Paul Mbugua

- 08:45 - 09:15 **Keynote Lecture I**
Prof. Alvaro Vijoen
Evidence-based ethnopharmacology – an import step in the globalization of African Traditional Medicines
- 09:15 – 09:45 **Keynote Lecture II**
Prof. Sameh AbouZid
Ethnobotanical Study on Medicinal Plants Growing in Beni-Suef, Upper Egypt
- 09:45 – 10:00 Q and A

Session 3, Session chair: Dr. Otieno Calleb

- 10:00 – 10:30 **Keynote Lecture III**
Prof Abiy Yenesew
The Role of African Phytochemist Towards Utilization of Natural Products: Recent Examples
- 10:30 – 10:50 **Invited Lecture I**
Dr. Sarang' Dhote
Connecting communities through the talking tree pedagogy
- 10:50 – 11:10 **Invited Lecture II**
Prof. Gujanan Muratkar
Grassland management techniques in protected areas
- 11:10 – 11:20 Q and A

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Session 4, Session chair: Prof Nyunja Regina

- 11:20 – 11:50 **Keynote Lecture IV**
Prof. Josphat Matasyoh
Bioactive Metabolites from The Kenyan Basidiomycota
- 11:50 – 12:10 **Invited Lecture III**
Dr. Ana Rita G. Simões
From sweet potato to LSD: an overview of the diversity and uses of Convolvulaceae
- 12:10 – 12:30 **Short Lecture**
Dr. Solomon Derese
Chemical diversity of plants
- 12:30 – 13:00 **Student Presentation (10 Minutes each)**
Dr. James Muchoka
Mycorrhizal fungi associated with *Aspilia pluriseta* on phosphorus availability and growth of sorghum plants
Mr. Martin Mwangi
Edge effect on distribution of endemic and endangered sharpe's Longclaw in Kinangop plateau
- 13:00 – 13:15 Q and A

Session 5, Session chair: Dr. Solomon Derese

- 14:00 - 14:00 **Keynote Lecture V**
Prof. Sami Khalid
Herbal medicine in Sudan, where we are and the way forward
- 14:00 – 14:20 **Invited Lecture IV**
Dr. Nermeen Yosri
Exploring natural products-based cancer therapeutics derived from Egyptian flora
- 14:20 – 14:40 Q and A

Session 6, Session chair: Dr. Douglas Ochora , Closing Session and Vote of Thanks

- 14:40– 14:50 **Closing Remarks**
SEB, NAPRECA (Prof. Sameh AbouZid)
- 14:50 – 15:00 **Vote of thanks**
Dr. Margaret Kaigongi