

Dear colleagues and SEFIN members,

As you know, SEFIN signed up an agreement with the publisher MDPI, which included a 10% discount of the article processing charge (APC) for publications in the journals *Biology*, *Genes* and *Microorganisms*. Likewise, CSIC will fund 10% of the APC for articles of any CSIC member and an additional 15% if the corresponding author is a CSIC member. This funding is valid for any MDPI journal. Further information can be found at <http://bibliotecas.csic.es/node/99>. Please check if your institution is also entitled to discounts.

On occasion of the oncoming congress, we are happy to announce that there will be a 50% discount of the APC (1000 CHF, approximately 950 EUR) for up to 10 articles of results presented at the congress. The journal will be *Biology* (click here to download the flyer of the Special Issue). The publication cost will be therefore reduced to 1000 CHF. In order to benefit from this discount, contributors have to be registered for the congress. The discount will be applied on a “first come, first served” basis. We have to note that the publication policy of the journal will be followed at any time, with rigorous peer review.

We hope that this offer will please you and look forward to your contributions.

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