



... Photosynthesis

With the first abstract deadline for Photosynthesis 2026 coming at the end of this month, we're also focusing on all things Photosynthesis in this month's webinar on Horticultural Quality.

Find out more on page 3.



... Women in Science

It's International Women's Day on the 8th March, so be sure to revisit the fantastic blog post written by Charlene Kunaka-Dambire last month for International Day of Women and Girls in Science.

Check it out on page 8.



... Cereals

In case you missed last month's Cereals session at Crop Production in Northern Britain there's still time to join us in person or online for Monogram 2026 later this month. You can also now register for the International Symposium on Rice Functional Genomics.

Don't miss out - visit page 3 for further details.

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AAB News

Crop Conferences

Last month our conference calendar continued with “The Dundee Conference” - Crop Production in Northern Britain (CPNB26) - as always it was a fantastic event bringing together latest research and practical insights on environmental management and the production of potatoes and combinable crops in northern environments. This year our delegates were even treated to after-dinner entertainment from our own EO Geraint Parry... those who couldn't attend certainly missed this unexpected singing sensation! Huge congratulations to Meghan England (Teagasc) for winning the CPNB Rising Star award. We'll see you all again next time!

If you missed it as a crop enthusiast, there's just about still time to register to join us in Cambridge for Monogram 2026 and we're excited to have just opened registration for the International Symposium on Rice Functional Genomics (ISRFG) to be held for the first time in London this September! Registration also opens later this month for our November meeting on Sustainable Crop Nutrition. Find out more on page 3.

AAB Presidents Medals

We are proud to announce that we will be launching nominations for three brand-new President's Medals later this month. These awards will celebrate excellence, impact and leadership across applied biology.

Two scientific excellence medals will recognise emerging researchers and professionals in Plant Sciences and Sustainable Futures, with the latter celebrating excellence in the development or implementation of sustainable practices in agriculture, horticulture, forestry and land management. We'll also be awarding an Accessibility in Applied Biology Medal, recognising outstanding contributions to the promotion of equality, diversity and inclusion within the applied biology community.

Nominations will be open to anyone working within Applied Biology - regardless of AAB membership - with the two scientific excellence medals open to anyone within 5-15 years post-highest degree level (excluding career breaks.) Please watch out for further updates, and in the meantime consider who you might like to nominate for these prestigious awards!

Celebrating Women in Science

With last month marking International Day of Women and Girls in Science (IDWGS), International Women's Day on the 8th March, and our Women in Crop Science Networking event at Monogram later this month, we'd like to take a moment this month to celebrate our female colleagues & members of the community.

This year for IDWGS we were very proud to feature a new blog post from our ECPPro group member Dr Charlene Kunaka-Dambire, highlighting the gender gap in science and sharing her journey from girlhood in Zimbabwe to Postdoctoral Fellow at the University of Nottingham. In case you missed it, you can read it again on page 8.

Upcoming AAB Events



Monogram 2026

23-26th March 2026, Cambridge UK

The annual Monogram conference brings together researchers with an active interest in small grain cereal and grasses (including C4 energy grasses) research. With the preliminary programme now online, including the Rank Prize lecture delivered by Cyrille Sautenac (Université Clermont Auvergne), don't miss out on your last chance to join us in Cambridge later this month.

Registration closes 9th March

Webinar 'all about' Photosynthesis in Horticulture

31st March, 2pm BST

The next webinar in our series 'all about' plant sciences and sustainable agriculture is brought to you by our Horticultural Quality and Food Loss specialist group. Featuring talks from Prof Leo Marcelis (Wageningen University): "Photosynthesis for Horticultural Yield and Quality"

Register for free

International Conference on Photosynthesis Research (ICPR26)

26-30th July 2026, Liverpool UK

We are delighted to bring ICPR2026 to Liverpool in the UK. Tailoring photosynthesis to meet the needs of nature-based solutions to climate change and to the sustainability of food production remain global challenges that have to be addressed by the photosynthesis community. This meeting will galvanise participants from academia and industry to translate this new mechanistic understanding of photosynthetic function into improved crop production and more efficient terrestrial carbon sinks. With Keynotes from Danielle Way (Australian National University) and Nobel Laureate David Baker and Nathan Ennist (University of Washington, USA). ICPR26 will be our biggest event to date, featuring more than 20 concurrent sessions and 9 plenaries.



Register now! Abstract submission & early-bird registration closes 31st March

International Symposium on Rice Functional Genomics (ISRFG2026)

8-10th September 2026, London UK

We are pleased to announce that we will be hosting the 23rd International Symposium on Rice Functional Genomics in the UK for the first time next year at the prestigious Royal Society of London, bringing together a global community of rice researchers. This year's theme is 'fundamental science for climate resilient rice' - featuring talks from invited speakers Ashwani Pareek, Sneha Pareek, Rod Wing, Jitender Giri, Qifa Zhang, Xuwei Chen, Emmanuel Guiderdoni, Nelson Saibo, Adam Price, Amelia Henry, Siwaret Arikrit, Nguyen Thi Lang & more.

Register now! Submit your abstracts by 15th May





Auxin 2026

4-8th October 2026, Albufeira, Portugal

We are delighted to announce that the Auxin2026 meeting will take place in the Algarve next year. This quadrennial event brings together leading and emerging researchers in auxin biology to discuss the current state and future prospects for this exciting and fast moving research area! With 27 invited speakers from around the world, don't miss out!

Registration now open - submit your abstract by 30th April

Advances in Integrated Pest and Pathogen Management - IPPM26

3-4th November, Leicester UK

IPPM26 will be returning to Leicester by popular demand. Save the date - further details to be announced soon.

Sustainable Crop Nutrition - AAB President's Meeting

17-18th November, York UK

Inorganic nutrients that are critical for crop growth, health and productivity must be absorbed from the soil and distributed around the plant. Research over past few decades has established the fundamental mechanisms underpinning inorganic nutrient transport. However, plant-soil interactions and regulatory processes that enable efficient absorption and distribution are only just becoming understood. This meeting will address issues of crop nutrition from a global sustainability perspective, ranging from soil health and fertilizer use to distribution of minerals that are essential for human nutrition to edible parts of plants. Featuring invited speakers: Stephanie Swarbreck (Niab), Ute Kraemer (University of Bochum) and Tim Mauchline (Rothamsted Research). The AAB President's Meeting is a biennial celebration of the research interests of the outgoing AAB President. We are delighted to organise this event on behalf of Professor Dale Sanders FRS.



Registration opens this month

Advances in Nematology 2026

10th December, London UK

Advances in Nematology will be hosted at the Linnean Society of London again on 10th December 2026. Watch this space for further information later in the year.

International Advances in Plant Virology - IAPV 2027

6-8th April 2027, Cambridge UK

Save the date - the biennial IAPV will be hosted next April in Cambridge. Design the conference logo for your chance to win free registration. Send your design to jordan@aab.org.uk by 1st May 2026.

Logo competition closes 1st May



Events in our Community

Webinar: Receptor signalling - function, dynamics and evolution

10th March, 5pm GMT



Join The Global Plant Council and The Plant Journal for their next webinar. Plant receptors detect a diverse spectrum of signalling molecules, external and endogenous, essential to control plant growth, development, and stress responses. This webinar will present research from three speakers on different aspects of plant receptors and receptor based signalling. Johana Misas Villamil (University of Cologne Institute of Plant Sciences) "Zip1 Peptide Signaling: Biogenesis, Function and Evolution", Satoshi Fujita (University of Toulouse) "MBAPs link brassinosteroid signaling and microtubules" and Jacob Moe-Lange (UC Davis) with "Uncovering New Layers of KAI2 Signaling Crosstalk"

[Register for free](#)

Webinar: UK Plant Microbiome Network

20th March, 1pm GMT

The UK plant microbiome landscape is driven by collaborative networks aimed at enhancing agricultural sustainability, crop health, and food production through microbial innovation. Dive into this new webinar series and connect with fellow plant microbiome enthusiasts from the comfort of your office/home- featuring talks by Gabriel Castrillo (University of Nottingham), Alicia Showering (BugBiome) and Grant January (University of Plymouth)



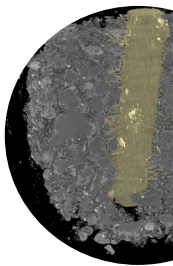
[Register for free](#)

UK Plant Biomechanics

17th April, Nottingham, UK

UK Plant Biomechanics conference is a one-day, in-person event that will showcase recent advances in research of the biomechanics of plants - from mechano-cell and developmental biology to structural functions and food materials research. Join us to celebrate the emerging plant biomechanics community, to enable the sharing of knowledge, equipment, methodologies and resources, and sow the seeds for future collaborations.

[Register by 13th March](#)



Agriculture and Land Use in Ireland: Pathways to a Sustainable Future

26- 27th May, Portlaoise, ROI

This national technical conference will bring together researchers, students, policymakers, and industry representatives to address the future of farming and the environment across Ireland. Covering themes from climate adaptation and greenhouse gas mitigation to biodiversity, soil health, water, the bioeconomy and behavioural change, the conference offers a unique platform for knowledge exchange, networking, and collaboration to drive sustainable agricultural solutions.



[Early-bird registration closes 31st March](#)



International Plant Systems Biology at SEB

7th July, Florence, Italy

Organised by Miriam Gifford, this session at the SEB annual meeting will feature talks from Martin Jonikas (Princeton), Yuling Jiao (Peking University), Sarah Guiziou (Earlham Institute), Gaurav Moghe (Cornell) & Tobia Jores (HHU).

Submit your abstract by 6th March

TSL Summer Conference in Plant-Microbe Interactions

20th - 31st July, Norwich, UK



We have come a long way towards understanding how plants recognise pathogens to mount a robust defence and how pathogens can evade plant immunity to lead to disease and crop losses.

Our plant-microbe interactions summer conference brings together international keynote speakers, local speakers and selected participants. There will be plenty of time for informal and social interactions to discuss the latest approaches and discoveries.

Apply by 30th March



BIFoR Annual Meeting 2026

22 -23rd July, Birmingham, UK

Join the BIFoR project for their annual meeting - this year celebrating a decade of CO₂ enrichment at BIFoR FACE.

Now accepting posters on all things forest research, to apply email bifor@contacts.bham.ac.uk

Community News

Do you have something to share with our community? Opportunities, jobs, achievements... we'd love to hear about them. Get in touch with AAB Office!

Rank Prize Undergraduate Project Funding

We are delighted to announce that the 2026 Rank Prize Undergrad vacation grant in nutrition and crop science is now open until [Monday 16 March 2026](#). This popular grant is designed to help undergraduate students gain hands-on research experience during the summer before their final year. It encourages supervisors to get students directly involved in the day-to-day activities of their research group or lab. We welcome applications from supervisors in UK universities who are already working on these kinds of projects and are willing to share their experiences with undergrad students. Please see the Rank Prize website for full terms and conditions and address any queries to enquiries@rankprize.org.



Letterbox: Submit your ideas to guide AHDB Cereals & Oilseeds activity



AHDB provide independent evidence to help levy payers navigate the many challenges of farming. Their new Letterbox is your opportunity to tell them what you need to know. Whether it's a knowledge gap, a practical challenge, or a long-term concern – your questions and ideas will guide what AHDB do next. [Find out more.](#)

Plant Health Undergraduate Studentships

The Royal Society of Biology invites applications from researchers wishing to host an undergraduate studentship in plant health over the summer of 2026. These studentships aim to address skills and capacity challenges in plant health science by offering them the opportunity to undertake supervised research with leading research groups. Awards are available to help with research costs. As in 2025, the AAB are pleased to offer funding for two of these placements. [Find out more and apply by 10 March.](#)



Career Development Opportunities

The RSB SEAT Trainee Trustee Scheme

SEAT (support, experience, acknowledge, train) is a Scheme that allows early career participants to gain a clear understanding of board structures and trusteeship, alongside free, hands-on training and support to strengthen their professional development. The Scheme helps you build strategic decision-making skills on the RSB's Board (also known as the Council), contribute to innovative projects, and expand your professional network across the life sciences. [Applications close on 29 March 2026.](#)

Biology Letters ECR Competition



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Launched in 2022 by the Royal Society, the Biology Letters Early Career Researcher Competition celebrates outstanding research papers published by early career researchers. We are delighted to announce that the 2026 competition is now open and [accepting entries until Tuesday 31 March](#). The overall winner of the best published research article receives £1000 and the two runners-up receive £500 each (or currency equivalent) to support continued excellence in their field.

COB Travelling Fellowships

Three of The Company of Biologists' journals – Development, Journal of Cell Science and Journal of Experimental Biology – offer Travelling Fellowships of up to £3,000 to graduate students and post-doctoral researchers wishing to make collaborative visits to other laboratories. These are designed to offset the cost of travel/accommodation and other related expenses. There is no restriction on nationality. [Next application deadline is 1st May.](#)



International day of Women and girls in Science



Dr Charlene Kunaka-Dambire (PhD)
Research Fellow - University of Nottingham

“Inclusion of women and girls in science is not an act of charity; it is a catalyst for innovation. When we invest in women and girls, we expand not only individual lives, but the boundaries of knowledge itself.”

‘International Day of Women and Girls in Science’ occurs each year on the 11th February, promoting full and equal access to STEM fields for women. This year ECPro group member Charlene Kunaka-Dambire reflected on her experiences in a new blog post published to our website. Read it again below!

My journey began far from research laboratories & international conferences.

As a child, I was known for my curiosity and inquisitiveness. I grew up in Zimbabwe, in a town called Chitungwiza which is historically plagued with limited infrastructure and a dense population. As a result, the opportunities were limited at best, and dreams of pursuing a career in science seemed out of reach for most girls in my community. But despite the odds, my curiosity refused to be silenced. That curiosity coexisted with persistent barriers faced by girls worldwide. Economic difficulty, limited access to well-resourced schools, gendered expectations, and early marriage continue to restrict girls’ educational pathways. Science subjects are often seen as unattainable for girls, especially in rural and high-density urban communities where mentorship, and exposure to science careers are scarce.

For many girls like me across the world, life often presents a narrow set of choices. If it is not education, it is marriage. That single fork in the road can determine how life unfolds, how far the dreams of many women and girls are allowed to stretch, and whether curiosity and potential are nurtured or quietly extinguished.

My formal journey into science began at Rusununguko High School in Zimbabwe. I did not yet envision a scientific career, but I was captivated by the excitement of experiments, the awe of seeing cells through a microscope, and the discovery of an invisible world waiting to be understood. In those curiosity-driven moments, I knew science was my path, even if I could not yet see where it would lead. Rusununguko was a moderately resourced school, and it would rarely feature in conversations about elite science education, yet it was rich in values that shaped me, and in its classrooms, I learned that opportunity could be a pathway beyond circumstance. Like many girls, I learned perseverance in an environment with few visible women scientists, but many expectations placed on the girl child.

For girls in underfunded schools worldwide, Rusununguko represents countless ordinary institutions where extraordinary potential quietly exists. Despite growing access to education and increased advocacy for girls in STEM, many girls still need to be explicitly encouraged that their curiosity matters and that science is not out of reach. While challenges remain, there is undeniable progress, more girls are staying in school, more women are leading STEM laboratories and research groups, and more women scientists are visible on global stages.

My career path has been non-linear, it reflects curiosity and restlessness to find where I belong in Science. From undergraduate training in Biochemistry and Microbiology at the University of Fort Hare, to postgraduate studies in Evolutionary Genomics at Stellenbosch University, and later a PhD in Plant Sciences at the University of Aberystwyth completed part-time while working full-time elsewhere in the UK, each stage stretched me in new ways. Today, I am a Research Fellow at the University of Nottingham, working on plant oxygen-sensing mechanisms. This research has contributed to high-impact publications in journals such as Nature and Nature Communications, the development of widely used genetic tools, and insights relevant to crop resilience and food security. My journey mirrors an increasing visibility of black women scientists and is proof that when girls are encouraged to dream beyond their immediate surroundings, the possibilities are far greater than they may imagine.

There have been moments of deep doubt in my journey, when I stood in front of a room and felt the weight of what I represent, my background, my gender, my race, pressing heavily on my shoulders. In those moments, the imposter syndrome was loud, fuelled by subtle signals that tell women and girls that they must work harder to be seen as credible, that their success is an exception rather than an expectation, and that they must constantly prove they belong. For girls, these messages can arrive even earlier, quietly steering them away from Science, before their curiosity and potential has had a chance to fully bloom. That is why role models matter, seeing someone who reflects your own background and has carved a path is powerful. Because somewhere, perhaps in Chitungwiza or another town just like it, there is a young girl who is curious, bright, and unsure whether her dreams are realistic.

Mentorship has been one of the most transformative forces in my journey.

Mentors challenged me to aim higher, affirmed that I belonged in spaces where I sometimes felt like an outsider, and helped counter long-standing barriers to opportunity. In communities like the UK Black in Plant sciences, I was shown that Science is not sustained by brilliance alone; it is sustained by communities that choose to invest in people. I was fortunate to learn from and be inspired by women who embodied excellence, resilience, and generosity, including Professors Irene Hulede, Yoselin Benitez-Alfonso, and Beatrice Olutoyin Opeolu (pictured below). Their guidance and belief in my potential shaped my confidence and ambitions at critical moments.

Today, beyond my research, mentorship is central to my purpose. I supervise and mentor students, contribute to gender equality initiatives such as Athena SWAN, engage in community outreach, and co-found mentorship platforms aimed at widening access to science careers. Recognition of my contributions to science such as the UK Black in Plant Sciences Research Excellence Award represents not only a personal milestone, but what becomes possible when women and girls are supported.

Perhaps unexpectedly, there are some men who played a transformative role in shaping my scientific career including Professors Anthony Okoh, Savel Daniels and Michael Holdsworth. Their mentorship and advocacy mattered not because they were exceptional heroes, but because they chose to challenge assumptions about who belongs in Science. By mentoring, advocating, and opening doors for a young woman from Zimbabwe, they helped shift perceptions, not only for me, but for the spaces I entered. When men in Science actively support girls and women, they help normalise inclusion, reshape institutional cultures, and reinforce the idea that talent is not gendered. That kind of ally-ship quietly but powerfully expands what girls believe is possible.

That cross-gender investment and partnership matters because for women and girls in Science, especially those from under-resourced backgrounds, the barriers are layered, limited access to quality Science education, lack of financial support, cultural expectations that deprioritize girls' schooling, and the persistent under-representation of women in senior scientific roles. Often, the challenge is not a lack of ability, but a lack of visibility, of seeing someone who looks like you, comes from where you come from, and has navigated a path you are told may not be meant for you.

My story is not exceptional because of individual achievements alone. It is a testament to what happens when opportunities are opened and curiosity is nurtured. Inclusion in science is not an act of charity; it is a catalyst for innovation. When we invest in women and girls, we expand not only individual lives, but the boundaries of knowledge itself. And sometimes, that journey begins with a curious little girl, peering into a microscope for the very first time.



Meeting Reports - International Advances in Pesticide Application

Onto the 2026 conference season now, and we kicked off the year with our biennial IAPA - this year hosted in Sardinia at the opulent Palazzo Regio & Hotel Regina Margherita. Braving the weather warnings and an unseasonal lack of winter-sunshine, our delegates travelled from all over the world for three days of great science, seafood & debate. Here's another report from one of our 2026 ECR travel awardees...

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One of the most remarkable aspects of the meeting was its friendly and familiar atmosphere. Although the congress had a relatively small number of participants, this proved to be a clear advantage. The size of the meeting allowed enough time to attend all sessions, meet nearly all participants, and engage in meaningful conversations. This environment clearly reflected that the conference is well cared for and highly valued within the field, greatly facilitating networking and professional interaction. Such an atmosphere also encouraged open discussion and made it easier for early-career researchers to approach senior academics and initiate professional exchanges.

The overall quality of the oral and poster communications was notably high. It was evident that presenters had strong expertise in their respective topics, which made the sessions particularly enriching. In addition, participants showed genuine interest in the work of others, actively engaging in discussions not only to explore potential collaborations but also to provide constructive feedback and share new ideas. This level of engagement greatly enhanced the scientific value of the meeting and contributed to a collaborative and intellectually stimulating environment throughout the congress.

Overall, the experience of attending the meeting was highly positive and rewarding. One aspect that I found particularly useful was the opportunity to engage with researchers from different institutions and career stages, which allowed me to gain perspectives and feedback beyond my own research group.

“From my personal experience as a PhD student, participating in a conference of this type is especially enriching, as it helps broaden scientific horizons, encourages critical discussion, and fosters meaningful professional connections early in an academic career.”

If any aspect could be further strengthened, it would be the involvement of a greater number of students. Introducing an initiative such as an award for the best student presentation or conference contribution could add additional value to the meeting and help motivate more students to attend. I strongly believe that early exposure to a well-organised, high-quality congress like this one can be extremely beneficial for PhD students, as it facilitates interaction with the wider research community and provides constructive feedback that is invaluable when starting an academic career.

Acknowledgements

I would like to thank the AAB Travel Grant programme for the financial support that made my participation in this meeting possible. I am also grateful to the conference organisers for the high quality of the programme and its excellent organisation. In particular, I would like to thank Geraint Parry for the effective dissemination of the event and for contributing to such a well-organised and engaging meeting.



Update from the Annals of Applied Biology

Call for Papers: RECROP: Plant Adaptations to Extreme Environments

Submission Deadline: 31st March 2026

This Special Issue invites high-quality research and review articles that address strategies for crop adaptation to climate change. We particularly welcome studies on innovative breeding approaches, molecular and genomic mechanisms of stress tolerance, biotechnological solutions, and integrated agronomic practices. Contributions that bridge laboratory, field, and modeling approaches to improve crop performance and yield stability are highly encouraged. By highlighting cutting-edge solutions and practical strategies, this Special Issue aims to advance climate-resilient agriculture and inspire new approaches that ensure global food security under changing environmental conditions.

Topics for this call for papers include but are not restricted to:

- ◆ Drought tolerance mechanisms in crops and wild species
- ◆ Molecular and physiological responses to high salinity
- ◆ Heat stress signaling and tolerance in plants
- ◆ Root architecture adaptations to water-limited environments
- ◆ Genomic and transcriptomic insights into stress responses
- ◆ Gene editing approaches in stress adaptation
- ◆ Plant-microbe interactions in extreme environments
- ◆ Epigenetic regulation of abiotic stress tolerance
- ◆ Functional traits and phenotyping for stress-resilient crops

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Call for Papers:

Roots to Regenerative Agriculture: Soils, Biodiversity and Novel Approaches

Submission deadline: Wednesday 1st April 2026

The concept of Regenerative Agriculture is successfully engaging the agricultural community, food industry and policy makers to consider how to utilise agricultural land to maximise the delivery of ecosystem services.

Regenerative practices are intended to mimic natural processes in order to deliver, productive and healthy ecosystems, enhance soil health, minimise environmental impacts, enrich social value, increase carbon sequestration and improve resilience to climate, water availability (flood and drought).

Root systems, the rhizosphere (the soil around the roots) and soil biota are increasingly topics of conversation and research in regenerative agriculture. Regenerative practices focus on building 'healthy and functional' soils, which are full of biological life. Understanding how these micro- and macro-organisms interact with each other and plants via their root systems and in turn how these are affected by different agricultural practices and stresses (e.g. waterlogging or drought) is an important part of meeting the global challenges of food security, biodiversity loss and climate change.

This Special Issue aims to bring together submissions that explore the evidence for the novel approaches in regenerative agriculture and agroecology. The SI is organised to coincide with the Roots to Regenerative Agriculture conference organised in York, November 18-20 2025.

Topics for this call for papers include but are not restricted to:

- ◆ Regenerative Agriculture
- ◆ Agroecology
- ◆ Soil Health
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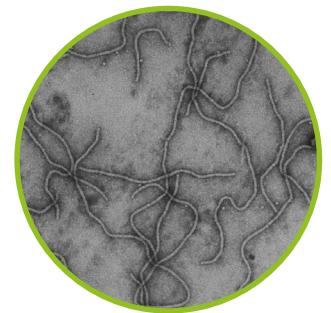
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