



# ECM 2011

## VI<sup>th</sup> European Congress of Mammalogy

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### **1. Advances in studies on subterranean mammals**

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Mammals dwelling in the underground have enjoyed increasing attention by scientists in different fields of biology. The current symposium envisages to bring together established scholars and new students of convergent global evolution in different (obligatory) subterranean taxa. Researchers may thus take advantage of the new approaches, techniques and findings in recent studies of subterranean mammals. During the symposium new data will be presented on phylogenetics, chromosomal evolution, activity patterns and physiology using a telemetric approach and studies of evolution of sociality.