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Congress topics:

1. New developments in chemicals for the Leather tanning industry
2. Innovative technologies the Leather manufacturing processes
3. Chemicals and Leather test methods: new developments/approaches
4. Focus on environmental aspects (e.g. LCA, by-product, wastewater, emission)

Chronogram, Deadlines and Requirements:

Abstract submission: Start September 1st 2021 ends February 28, 2022
Notification to authors: March 31, 2022
Deadline for the full presentation: June 15, 2022
Publication of the Scientific Program: July 15, 2022
Power Point® Presentation: July 30, 2022

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4) Elaborate the Scientific Program
5) Adjust the Scientific Program due to unexpected situations or force majeure
6) Take decision in situations where we have omissions on the rules and extraordinary conditions. The decisions by the Scientific Commission are final.

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1) The presentations must be in correct Official Language (English or Italian), paying proper attention to punctuation, grammar, spelling and abbreviations.

2) The International System (SI) is preferred for the units used in the presentations

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   - Use terms accurately and avoid making excessive claims or controversial comments without solid scientific data.
     ○ Example:- be cautious using terms such as “greener”, “more ecological”, “less sustainable”, etc.
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