

The 3rd Chinese Symposium on Chironomidae

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The 3rd Chinese Symposium on Chironomidae was held in Taizhou, Zhejiang Province, China organized by College of Life Sciences, Taizhou University, on November 8-11, 2019.

Thirty-five participants representing 11 institutions attended the symposium, including Huanggang Normal University, Nankai University, Jinan University, Shanghai Ocean University, South China Institute of Environmental Sciences, South-Central University for Nationalities, Taizhou University, Tianjin Agricultural University, Tianjin Normal University, Tianjin University of Science & Technology and The Geological Museum of China.

The participants shared recent research progress on Chironomidae or related field during the last two years after the 2nd symposium in Tianjin, China. Prof. Dr. Xinhua Wang, Nankai University, delivered a keynote speech entitled “The present and prospects of chironomid research in China”. There were 16 oral presentations and 4 posters presented during the symposium. The scientific communication included several related research fields: morphological taxonomy, DNA barcoding, molecular systematics, zoogeography, ecology and environmental monitoring. We hope the Chinese Symposium will promote the cooperation among Chinese researchers and bridge with international colleagues.



Group photo of participants at the 3rd Chinese Symposium on Chironomidae held at Taizhou University, November 8-11, 2019.