On behalf of the *European Society for Comparative Endo-crinology* (ESCE) and the *Local Organizing Committee,* we are pleased to invite scientists working in the field of comparative endocrinology to participate in 25th CECE. The Conference will be held in the Central Building, Medical School, University of Pécs, Hungary.

The object of the ESCE is to promote interdisciplinary knowledge in the fields of Biology and Medicine concerned with the morphological and functional aspects of Comparative Endocrinology.

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Prof. Valér Csernus chairman of the Local Organizing Committee

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