

# WORKSHOP

## Segmentation Techniques and Challenges in Plant Phenotyping: Introducing the iPlantSeg+ Tool

Segmentation is the process of partitioning a digital image into multiple homogeneous regions by grouping pixels based on similarity in terms of intensity, texture, or color. Segmentation is an indispensable prerequisite for computing plant phenotypes. The quality of segmentation is critical to accurate phenotype computation and subsequent phenotypegenotype mapping analysis. The workshop will have two components: (A) a presentation of segmentation techniques used for plant phenotyping in both controlled and field-based phenotyping platforms; and (B) an interactive session to introduce a software tool named as iPlantSeg+ to facilitate image segmentation and compute a set of generic phenotypes.

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#### **Workshop Presenters**



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#### Purpose:

Demonstrate a software tool for image segmentation, applied to plant phenotyping.

### Register for this <u>Zoom</u> virtual workshop: <u>https://tinyurl.com/</u> <u>AG2PI-w18</u>

Upon registration, you will receive a confirmation email with information about joining the meeting.

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