GCP21-IV International Cassava Conference

Fourth Scientific Conference of the Global Cassava Partnership for the 21st Century - GCP21-IV -

Cotonou, Benin, June 11-15, 2018

Sunday June 10		Monday June 11	Tuesday June 12	Wednesday June 13	Thursday June 14	Friday June 15		Saturday June 16
	7:00	Transportation	Transportation	Transportation	Transportation	Transportation	7:00	
Breakfast		Registration	Registration	Registration	Registration	Registration		Breakfast
Satellite Meetings	8:30 9:30	o Opening Ceremony: Chair : TBA Benin Officials: TBA INRAB Dir: TBA FSA-UAC Dean: TBA IITA DG: TBN GCP21: Claude Fauquet & Malachy Akoroda o Speaker 1: Opening Key Note Dr. Martin Fregene, AfDB o Speaker 2: Dr. N. Sanginga - IITA Development of TAAT program	Breakout Sessions Sessions S1, S7, S10, S13 Break	Breakout Sessions Sessions S2, S5, S11, S14 Break	Breakout Sessions Sessions S3, S6, S9, S12, S17 Break	Plenary Session: Chair M. Akoroda o Speaker 17: M. Friedmann Scaling innovations with RTB crops o Speaker 18: H. Ceballos Traditional Cassava Breeding o Speaker 19: C. Egesi Molecular Cassava Breeding o Speaker 20: Joe Tohme Overview Cassava Biotechnology	8:30	Field Trip - Cassava Fields & Gari Markets in Benin
Break	10:30	Break	Breakout Sessions Sessions S1, S7, S10, S13	Breakout Sessions Sessions S2, S5, S11, S14	Breakout Sessions Sessions S3, S6, S9, S12, S17	Break	10:30	
Satellite Meetings	11:00	Plenary Session: Chair M. Akoroda o Speaker 3: Dr. Ulimwengu - IFPRI Economics and cassava o Speaker 4: Dr. Tahirou Abdoulaye - IITA Adoption of High Performance Cassava Varieties o Speaker 5: Dr. Stefan Hauser - IITA Best Cassava Agronomic Practices o Speaker 6: Dr. Friday Ekeleme - IITA Weed control in cassava Fields				Plenary Session: Chair J. Tohme o Speaker 21: Petra van Roggen Cassava DNA Fingerprinting o Speaker 22: Ismael Rabbi Biodiversity of Cassava in the Fields o Speaker 23: Nigel Taylor Cassava Virus Resistance via Transgenics o Speaker 24: A. Rolland-Sabate Cassava Starch Structure	11:00	
Open Lunch	13:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	13:00	
Full Registration to the Conference	14:00	Plenary Session: Chair C. Fauquet o Speaker 7: Dr. Emmanuel Okogbenin - AATF Mechanization of Cassava Production o Speaker 8: Mrs Medzeme-Engama - PROPAC Cassava Associations and Cooperatives o Speaker 9: Dr. Aliyu Abdulhameed - NIRSAL Affordable loans for farmers and entrepreneurs	Breakout Sessions Sessions S1, S7, S10, S13	Breakout Sessions Sessions S2, S5, S11, S14	Breakout Sessions Sessions S3, S6, S9, S12, S17	Plenary Session: Chair Peter Kulakow o Speaker 25: Acho Okike Cassava Waste for Feed o Speaker 26: Paul Ilona Spreading Yellow Cassava	14:00	
	15:30	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break	15:30	
	16:00	Plenary Session: Chair Dr. E. Terry o Speaker 10: Dr. Dominique Dufour - CIRAD Consumer Cassava Preferences o Speaker 11: Dr. Tiago Pellini - IAPAR Cassava Economy & Markets in Parana o Speaker 12: Mr Ivo Pierin - PA The Example of Podium Alimentos in Parana o Speaker 13: Dr. L:awrence Kent - BMGF Overview of BMGF contribution to Cassava R&D	Interviews Media Stage Panel Discussion Implementation of the TAAT program - BMGF AfDB - IITA - IFAD NIRSAL - Niji Group.	Interviews Media Stage Poster Session Booth Exhibit Sessions S1, S7, S10, S12, S13	Interviews Media Stage Special Session CMD Outbreak in SEA Chair: L.A. Becerra - Speaker 14: Le Hui Ham Speaker 15: J. Newby Speaker 16: C. Fauquet	Congress AWARDS ---------- TGP & Conference AWARDS Closure of the Conference: C. Fauquet & M. Akoroda Conference Proposals for 2021	16:00	
Open Dinner	18:00	Transport to Institut Francais	Dinner on site	Transportation to the Restaurant	Dinner on site	Open Dinner	18:00	Open Dinner
	18:30 19:30 20:30	FRANCO-BRAZILIAN CASSAVA NIGHT sponsored by the French and Brazilian Embassies o Grand Opening Cassava Exhibit & Tasting Minister of Agriculture and Minister of High Education and Research o Grand Opening Cassava Photo Exhibit Mme Ambassador of France and Mr Ambassador of Brazil Cocktail offered by the French abd Brazilian Embassies Concert Benin International Music	Poster Session Booth Exhibit Sessions S3, S6, S9, S17	African Traditional Evening - Cassava Golden Award Ceremony	Poster Session Booth Exhibit Workshops Sessions S2, S5, S11, S14 Workshops Integration of molecular and tradtional breeding Sustainable seed systems Sessions S2, S5, S11, S14	Airport Shuttles	19:00	Transport Airport
	22:30	Transportation	Transportation	Transportation	Transportation		22:30	