



22nd Fl., Centara Grand at Central World
Bangkok, Thailand
8-12 November 2009

Programme

Sunday, 8 November

0700-1330	APSA Golf Tournament
1000-1700	Registration Opens (<i>Lobby 22nd Floor</i>)
0830-1700	Tospovirus & Thrips Vectors Workshop (<i>Lotus Suite 7</i>)
1300-1700	Exhibition and Trading/ Private Meeting Rooms Open (<i>Bangkok Convention Centre B</i>)
1700-1900	APSA Executive Committee Meeting (<i>Lotus Suite 3 & 4</i>)
1930	APSA Executive Dinner (<i>Lotus Suite 5 to 7</i>) (<i>Invited guests only</i>)

Monday, 9 November

0830-1400	Registration/Spouse Registration / Exhibits and trading/ private meeting rooms open
0830-1230	Technical Session (<i>Lotus Suite 5 to 7</i>) • Food & Crop Production Prospects in AP Region: Focus on Seed Demand <i>Dr. Thomas Osborn</i> • Access to Gene Banks & Utilization of Available Genetic Resources <i>Dr. Liwayway Engle</i> • Molecular Marker Assisted Plant Breeding <i>Dr. Robert dela Pena</i> • Access to Academic and Technical Expertise Training <i>Dr. Michael Campbell</i>
1200	Closing of Exhibition Area
1230-1400	APSA Advisory Council Luncheon Meeting (<i>Lotus Suite 3 and 4</i>)
1400	Closing of Trading Rooms
1500-1700	INAUGURAL SESSION (<i>Bangkok Convention Centre A</i>) Country Report on Thailand Seed Industry <i>Dr. Kriangsak Suwantaradon</i>
1830 – 2100	Welcome Cocktail Party (<i>Lotus Garden 26th Fl.</i>)

Tuesday, 10 November

0830-1700	Registration
0830-1700	Exhibits and Trading / Private Meeting Rooms Open
MEETINGS OF STANDING COMMITTEES	
0830 – 1200	SC on International Trade and Quarantine (<i>Lotus Suite 7</i>)
0915 – 1200	SC on Intellectual Property Rights (<i>Lotus Suite 5 & 6</i>)
1330 – 1600	SC on Seed Quality (<i>Lotus Suite 7</i>)
1600 - 1800	National Seed Association / APSA Meeting (<i>Lotus Suite 5 & 6</i>)

Wednesday, 11 November

0830-1500	Exhibits and trading/private meetings open
SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP MEETINGS	
0830-1200	SIG on Vegetables Sub-committee on Flowers (<i>Lotus Suite 5 to 7</i>)
0900-1200	SIG Hybrid Rice (<i>Lotus Suite 1 & 2</i>)
1000-1200	SIG on Forage & Amenity Seeds (<i>Lotus Suite 3 & 4</i>)
1330-1430	SIG on Field Crops (<i>Lotus Suite 1 & 2</i>)
1430	Closing of Trading Rooms/Exhibition Area
1500-1700	APSA GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING (For APSA members only) / (<i>Lotus Suite 5 to 7</i>) • President's Report • Adoption of minutes of last General Assembly Meeting • Director's Report • Financial Report Adoption of: ▪ 2008 financial results ▪ Budget for 2009 and 2010 ▪ Appointment of 2009-2010 auditor • Election of members to the Executive Committee • Turnover of APSA Presidency • Closing Remarks
1830 – 2230	Grand Banquet (<i>Bangkok Convention Centre A</i>)

Thursday, 12 November

0830-1130	APSA Executive Committee Meeting
0700-1700	Post-Conference Tours

**Coffee / Tea break on 9-11 Nov at 1000 and 1400 hrs ; *Lunch on 9-11 Nov at 1200 hrs*

** Exhibition Area will be closed at 1200 hrs on 9 November for the Inaugural Session.*

**ALL meeting/trading rooms will be closed at 1400 hrs on 9 November for the Inaugural*