

ADVANCES IN ARACHIS THROUGH GENOMICS AND BIOTECHNOLOGY
International Strategic Planning Conference
Marriott Perimeter Hotel, Atlanta GA, October 24-26, 2007

Wednesday, October 24

12:00	pm	Registration	
12:30	pm	Optional tour departs from hotel; returns to hotel at 4:00 pm (Georgia Aquarium, The New World of Cocoa Cola or CNN Centre)	
5:30	pm	Depart hotel to Carter Center	
6:30	pm	Japanese Garden Tour at the Carter Center (Optional tour of the Carter Museum)	
7:00	pm	Reception at the Carter Center	
7:30	pm	Opening Ceremony (Welcome, Statements by Howard Valentine and Fuhe Luo) Banquet	Howard Valentine Carter Center
		Speakers, Howard-Yana Shapiro, MARS, Inc.; Frank McGill, University of Georgia	
10:00	pm	Depart Carter Center to hotel	

Thursday, October 25

7:30	am	Registration, Continental Breakfast	
8:00	am	Welcome, Introductions, Overview and Expectations	Tom Stalker
		Opening statements on Genomic Research in Participating Countries (5 min each) China...Xinyou Zhang; India...Rajeev Varshney; Brazil...David Bertioli; Australia...Robert Henry; Africa...Jacob Mignouna; USA...Steven Knapp	Grand Ballroom Salons ABC
9:00	am	Advances in Legume Crop Genomics (20 min each) Sequencing Cool and Warm Season Legume Genomes.....Scott Jackson, Purdue University The Legume Information NetworkGreg May, National Center Genomic Research High Throughput SNP Discovery & Genotyping.....Perry Cregan, USDA-ARS Beltsville The Evolution of Legume Defense GenesVarma Penmetsa, University California-Davis Transformation and Functional GenomicsMonica Schmidt, Danforth Plant Science Research Center	
10:40	am	Break	
11:00	am	Relevant Applications for Peanut Genomics & Biotechnology (20 min each) Impact of Biotechnology on Markets & International Trade.....Andrew Rude, USDA FAS Developments in tools and approaches in plant genomics.....Robert Henry, Southern Cross University Reducing Risks & Optimizing Health Benefits of Peanuts... Stacie Jones, University of Arkansas for Medical Science, and the Arkansas Children's Hospital	Victor Nwosu Grand Ballroom Salons ABC
12:00	pm	Lunch (Charge for Breakout Sessions)	Rich Wilson Grand Ballroom Salons DE
1:15	pm	Concurrent Breakout Sessions (facilitators listed for each session) <u>Defining What Needs to be Done, Anticipated Products & Milestones</u> 1: Production & Productivity....John Burke, Marshall Lamb, David Jordan 2: Product Quality & Safety....Thomas E. Cleveland, Da Ling Liu, Baozhu Guo 3: Disease & Pest Management.....Albert Culbreath, Yan-Rong Zhang, Pat Phipps 4: Gene Discovery & Genome Analysis.... Steve Knapp, David Bertioli, Rajeev Varshney 5: Genetics & Germplasm Enhancement.....Corley Holbrook, Boshuo Liao, Mark Burow 6: Plant Transformation Technology..... Elizabeth Grabau, Ye Chu, Maria Gallo	Boardroom I Polk Meeting Suite Monroe Presidential Ballroom Jefferson Presidential Ballroom Jackson Presidential Ballroom Washington Presidential Ballroom
4:00	pm	Reports from Breakout Sessions (5 min each) Comments from Federal and Private Agencies	Tom Stalker Grand Ballroom Salons ABC
5:00	pm	Adjourn (Dinner on your own)	

Friday, October 26

7:30	am	Continental Breakfast	
8:30	am	Recap and Charge	Rich Wilson Grand Ballroom Salons ABC
8:40	am	Resume Concurrent Breakout Sessions <u>Establishing Priorities, Accountability & Potential Benefits</u> Continuation of facilitated concurrent sessions in same breakout rooms as indicated above	
11:00	am	Reports from Breakout Sessions (5 min each) Comments from Industry representatives, National & State Organizations Strategic Plan Writing Team Assignments & Deadlines, Publication of Monograph, Selection of Advisory Committee Nominations for hosting the 2008 Peanut Genomics conference	Rich Wilson Grand Ballroom Salons DE
12:00	pm	Closing Ceremony (Lunch) (Closing remarks by Leaders of International delegations)	Howard Valentine

NOTE: Ancillary Meeting of the Peanut CRSP at 1:30 pm to 3:30 pm

Tim Williams
Jefferson & Washington Presidential Ballrooms