

Agenda Annual General Meeting

Wednesday, April 17 - Internal IP Discussion - Jean Bauchet Hall

Time	Event
08:30 - 09:00	Registration
09:00 - 09:10	Welcome <i>Wendy Cashmore, President of CIOPORA</i>
09:10 - 09:30	Report on the Working Group on Enforcement <i>Heidi Jade, Chair of the Working Group on Enforcement</i>
09:30 - 09:50	Report on the future work of the Working Group Biotechnology <i>Paulo Peralta, Director Technical Affairs in Plant Breeding at CIOPORA</i>
09:50 - 10:10	Effects on IP of the EU NGT Proposal <i>Philippe de Jong, Altius</i>
10:10 - 10:30	<i>Networking Coffee Break - Syrian Living Room</i>
10:30 - 11:30	Report on the Crop Sections (Cut Flowers, Fruit, IRBA, Lawyers Panel) <i>Chairs of the CIOPORA Crop Sections</i>
11:30 - 11:50	Trade barriers for breeders in form of phytosanitary requirements <i>Craig Fedchock, North American Export Grain Association (Online)</i>
11:50 - 12:15	Learnings from the CIOPORA Mission to China 2023 <i>Ingrid Slangen, Selecta One</i>
12:15 - 12:45	Successful joint lobbying of breeder and growers, coordinated by an association <i>Alejandro Martinez, Expoflores (Online)</i>
12:45	Closing of Internal Discussion <i>Wendy Cashmore and Dr. Edgar Krieger</i>
12:45 - 14:00	<i>Networking Lunch - Lagon & Jardin</i>

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Time	Event
14:00 - 14:10	Welcome <i>Wendy Cashmore, President of CIOPORA</i>
14:10 - 14:40	New Developments in UPOV <i>Yolanda Huerta, Vice Secretary General at UPOV</i>
14:40 - 15:20	The Protection of New Plant Varieties and National Listing System in Morocco <i>Asma Serhani, Head of the Plant Variety Approval Department at the National Food Safety Office of Morocco (ONSSA)</i>
15:20 - 15:45	<i>Networking Coffee Break - Syrian Living room</i>
15:45 - 16:15	New Developments in the EU <i>Francesco Mattina, President of the CPVO</i>
16:15 - 16:45	New Developments in the US <i>Ruihong Guo, Branch Chief at the USDA</i> <i>Chris Hannon, Senior Patent Attorney at the USPTO</i>
16:45 - 17:15	New Developments in selected African territories <i>Said Ramadhan, Senior Examiner (biochemistry) at ARIPO (Online)</i>
17:15	Closing remarks
18:55	Meeting at hotel lobby for departure at 19:05
19:30	CIOPORA AGM Dinner - Beldi Country Club <i>Dress code: Formal Attire</i>

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