SBC 20th Anniversary Celebration

September 12, 2019
International Center, University of California, Davis

The Seed Biotechnology Center is celebrating its 20th Anniversary this year! We’re appreciating the past and looking forward. On September 12, 2019 the SBC will host a day-long event with panels highlighting researchers, students, industry representatives and policy makers. The day will conclude with Seed Central’s monthly networking event.

Tickets for this free event available @ https://ucdavis.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_9Eye8MP6xkRDYoJ

AGENDA

9:00 — 9:15 am
Welcome by Helene Dillard, CA&ES Dean

9:15 — 10:30 am
RESEARCH PANEL ON CROP BREEDING
Introduction by Allen Van Deynze, SBC Director
Panelists
Richard Michelmore, UC Davis (moderator)
Jeff Zischke, Sakata
Christine Diepenbrock, UC Davis
Cecilia Chi-Ham, Inari

10:45 am — 12:00 pm
RESEARCH PANEL ON SEED QUALITY
Introduction by Kent Bradford, SBC Founder
Panelists
Derek Bewley, University of Guelph (moderator)
Johan Van Asbrouck, Rhino Research, Thailand
Keith Kubik, HM Clause
Alfred Huo, University of Florida

12:00 — 1:30 pm
LUNCH
1:30 — 3:00 pm
EDUCATION PANEL
Introduction by Rale Gjuric, SBC Director of Education
Panelists
Gail Taylor, UC Davis (moderator)
Rale Gjuric, UC Davis
Laura Brown, Enza Zaden
Rita Mumm, SBC Africa PBA Lead Instructor
Claudia Germeshausen, HM Clause

3:15 — 4:15 pm
OUTREACH PANEL
Introduction by Francois Korn, Executive Director of Seed Central
Panelists
Katie Murphy, UC Davis (moderator)
Alison van Eenennaam, UC Davis
Peggy Lemaux, UC Berkeley
Sekhar Boddupali, Intrexon
Matthew Johnston, Syngenta
Andy Lavigne, ASTA

4:15 pm
Closing by Jenny Lester Moffitt, CDFA

SEED CENTRAL 10th Anniversary Networking Event

4:30 — 6:00 pm
Networking with start-up entrepreneur Alex Schultink, Founder & CEO Fortiphyte

6:00 — 7:00 pm
Featured Speaker Dr. Kent Bradford, Faculty and SBC Director, UC Davis.
Topic: The Past Is Prologue

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