

Pre-breeding strategies for obtaining new resilient and added value berries

Workshop on Genetic Resources:

Pre-breeding materials: a grey zone between Genetic Resources and Cultivars – Introduction on regulatory aspects and protection of Intellectual Property

15th March 2023, 8:30-15:30

University of Applied Sciences, Dresden, Germany

The workshop is offered as a hybrid meeting. You are welcome to join in presence in Dresden or online.

Genetic Resources (GenRes) are part of a complex international regulatory framework that regulates the various phases of their identification, recovery, characterisation, conservation, protection of Intellectual Property (IP) and use. This complexity is managed by various international organisations which, each with their own role, guarantee the appropriate protection and management of GenRes.

The EU-funded project BreedingValue, coordinated by Prof. Bruno Mezzetti of the Marche Polytechnic University in Italy, invites the European breeding- and plant research community to a workshop with the objective to establish a common understanding of the regulatory framework for IP Management of new pre-breeding material.

High-level representatives of the ECPGR, FAO, CPVO and the EC will share their views on the current international regulatory framework and its consequences for IP management of pre-breeding material. European research projects with a focus on GenRes will share their views on the IP landscape in their respective fields.

Join us for a day of insightful presentations, networking and lively discussions!









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University of Applied Sciences, HTW Dresden Campus Pillnitz

Room PN 001, Pillnitzer Platz 1, 01326 Dresden, Germany

	Agenda	Moderated by
08:30	Registration	
08:45	Welcome Monika Höfer, Julius Kühn-Institute	
09:00	Short Introduction on the BreedingValue Project Bruno Mezzetti, Università Politecnica delle Marche, BreedingValue	
09:15	R&I for conservation and use of plant genetic resources Gisela Quaglia, DG Agriculture and Rural Development, European Commission	Bruno Mezzetti
09:45	Exchange and use of GenRes within a public/private partnership: the EVA Network's experience Sandra Goritschnig, Alliance Bioversity-CIAT	Stephan Weise
10:15	Discussion on both presentations above	Stephan Weise & Bruno Mezzetti
10:30	Coffee Break	
11:00	Regulatory framework of the International Treaty, presentation of a tool developed for easy use of sMTA Marco Marsella and Francisco Lopez, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)	Stephan Weise
11:30	Plant variety regulation and evaluation focusing on berries Urszula Braun-Mlodecka, Community Plant Variety Office (CPVO)	Jose Federico Sanchez Sevilla
12:00	Discussion on both presentations above	Jose Federico Sanchez Sevilla & Stephan Weise
12:15	Lunch Break	
13:15	Implentation of the Nagoya Protocol in the EU Marliese von den Driesch, German Federal Office for Agriculture and Food	Monika Höfer
Insights from ongoing European projects		
13:45	GenRes IP for tomato breeding Antonio Granell, Spanish National Research Council, HARNESSTOM	Bruno Mezzetti
14:05	GenRes IP for olive breeding Concepcion Muños Diez, University of Cordoba, GEN4OLIVE	Bruno Mezzetti
14:25	GenRes IP for berry breeding Léna Prochnow, EURICE, BreedingValue	Bruno Mezzetti
14:45	Discussion on the four presentations above	Bruno Mezzetti & Monika Höfer
15:00	Closing remarks Bruno Mezzetti, Università Politecnica delle Marche, BreedingValue	
15:15	Coffee Break	
16:00 – 17:30	Guided tour of Pillnitz Palace Garden (at own expense: 11 EUR) The participation fee for the garden tour is to be paid in cash at the registration in the morning.	

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