## **Environmental Release of Engineered Pests:**

# **Building an International Governance Framework**

# North Carolina State University

October 5 – 6, 2016

# Wednesday, October 55 – Talley Student Union, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Currituck-Hatteras Suite

wednesday, October 33 – 17	alley Student Officia, 3 Fioor, Currituck-Hatter's Suite
7:50 a.m.	Bus leaving Doubletree Hotel for NCSU Campus
8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Registration, Breakfast
8:30 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	Welcome, introductions: Dr. Fred Gould
	<b>Dr. Alan Rebar</b> , Vice Chancellor, Office of Research, Innovation, and Economic Development, North Carolina State University
8:45 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	<b>Dr. Gary Fitt,</b> Chair, Science Advisory Body, Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) and Science Director, Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO)
9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	<b>Keynote address: Dr. James Collins</b> , Virginia M. Ullman Professor of Natural History and the Environment, Arizona State University
	Gene drives in our future: Challenges of and opportunities for using a self-sustaining technology in pest and vector management
9:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Goal-setting Talk & Discussion – <b>Dr. Zack Brown,</b> Assistant Professor, Agricultural and Resource Economics, North Carolina State University
10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Coffee Break
10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Existing Governance Structures – examples from OECD countries
	15 minute talks with 30 minute Q&A at the end of the presentations, moderated by <b>Dr. Lucy Carter</b>
10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	<b>Dr. Owain Edwards,</b> Senior Principal Research Scientist and Group Leader, Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO)
	The regulatory framework in Australia for gone drive

The regulatory framework in Australia for gene drive modified insect pests

10:45 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	<b>Dr. Alan Pearson</b> , Biological Scientist, United States Department of Agriculture-Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (USDA-APHIS)
	Regulation of Genetically Engineered Organisms by USDA-APHIS
11:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	<b>Dr. Lucia Roda Ghisleri</b> , Directorate General of Quality and Environmental Assessment, Natural Environment Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Environment
	Spanish Commission on Biosafety: Strategy and challenges in assessing a trial with a GM olive fly
11:15 a.m. – 11:45 p.m.	Q & A with Panel
11:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch
1:00 p.m. – 1:20 p.m.	Reconvene, feedback on workshop goals
1:20 p.m. – 3:20 p.m.	Existing Governance Structures - examples from BRIC countries
	15 minute talks with 30 minute Q&A at the end of the presentations, moderated by <b>Dr. Zack Brown</b>
1:20 p.m. – 1:35 p.m.	<b>Dr. Vibha Ahuja</b> , Chief General Manager, Biotech Consortium India Limited
	Regulation of Emerging Gene Technologies in India
1:35 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.	<b>Dr. Kongming Wu</b> , Vice President and Professor, Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences (CAAS)
	Biosafety management of genetically modified insects in China
1:50 p.m. – 2:05 p.m.	<b>Dr. Rod Rejesus</b> , Associate Professor, Agriculture and Resource Economics, North Carolina State University (NCSU)
	International Lessons from Genetically Modified (GM) Crop Adoption & Regulation: An Asian Perspective
2:05 p.m. – 2:20 p.m.	<b>Dr. Aggrey Ambali</b> , Head, science, Technology and Innovation Hub, New Partnership for Africa's Development (NEPAD)
	Preparations in the AU Systems in handling engineered products for vector control

2:20 p.m. – 2:35 p.m.	<b>Dr. Paulo Andrade</b> , Professor, Federal University of Pernambuco (Brazil)
	Regulation of GM insect pests under the Brazilian regulatory framework: present and future
2:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Coffee Break
3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Q & A with Panel
3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Panel: Socioecological Context I: GMO Governance
	15 minute talks with 30 minute Q&A at the end of the presentations, moderated by <b>Dr. Fred Gould</b>
3:30 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	<b>Dr. Michael Burgess,</b> Professor and Chair, Biomedical Ethics, and W Maurice Young Centre for Applied Ethics, University of British Columbia (Canada)
	Public trust in governance: Pacification or participation?
3:45 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	<b>Dr. Andrew Stirling</b> , Professor of Science & Technology Policy, University of Sussex (UK)
	Challenges in the governance of the engineered life: Research policy, innovation dynamics and the politics of progress
4:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.	<b>Dr. Doug Gurian-Sherman</b> , Senior Scientist and Director of Sustainable Agriculture, Center for Food Safety (USA)
	Lessons from the GE Crop Debate
4:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	<b>Dr. Lucy Carter,</b> Research Scientist, Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO), (Australia)
	An ethical framework for releasing genetic pest and disease vectors
4:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Q & A with Panel
5:00 p.m.– 5:30 p.m.	Closing Remarks and introduction to Case Studies
	moderated by <b>Dr. Zack Brown</b>
5:45 p.m.	Bus to CJ Poole Clubhouse
5:50 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Dinner – CJ Poole Clubhouse
8:00 p.m.	Bus from CJP Clubhouse to Hotel

## Thursday, October 65 – Talley Student Union, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Room 4280

#### NOTE: Room change-different from Wednesday's room!

7:50 a.m. Bus f	om Doubletree hotel to NCSU Campus
-----------------	------------------------------------

8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Breakfast

8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Welcome and review – moderated by Dr. Jason Delborne

9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. **Keynote address: Dr. Jennifer Kuzma,** Goodnight-NCGSK

Foundation Distinguished Professor, School of Public and

International Affairs and Co-Director, Genetic Engineering and Society (GES) Center, North Carolina State University (NCSU)

Governance for Engineered Pests in Historical and Systems

Context

9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Panel: Socioecological Context II: Considerations for Gene Drive

Governance

15 minute talks with 30 minute Q&A at the end of the

presentations

9:30 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. **Dr. John Mumford,** Professor of Natural Resource Management in

the Centre for Environmental Policy, Imperial College, London

GM insect regulation in Europe

9:45 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. **Dr. Camilla Beech**, Head of Regulatory Affairs, Oxitec (UK)

Learning from 7 years of experience in releasing GE

mosquitoes

10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. **Dr. James Lavery**, Assistant Professor, Department of Public

Health Sciences and Research Scientist in the Centre for Research on Inner City Health and Centre for Global Health Research, St.

Michael's Hospital, University of Toronto

Models of community engagement for field testing and

release of engineered organisms

10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. **Dr. Keith Hayes,** Senior Research Scientist, Commonwealth

Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO), (Australia)

Robust probabilistic risk assessment for synthetic gene

drives

10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Q & A with Panel
11:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Coffee Break
11:15 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.	Breakout Groups I: Stakeholder mapping of selected case studies
12:45 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.	Reconvene: Lunch & group reports
1:45 p.m 3:30 p.m.	Breakout Groups II: Charting a course to effective stakeholder engagement
3:30 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	Coffee Break
3:45 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Reconvene /Group reports/Q&A/Discussion
4:45 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Wrap up and adjournment
5:15 p.m.	Bus to hotel or airport