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Jenny, I tried to reserve a room for 30 Sep to 2 Oct but was unavailable via the web. Can you call them and see what the deal is? (See attached document). Thanks, scott

Begin forwarded message:

From: Eric Young <eyoung@ncsu.edu>
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Peter, Jane, Tom, Scott, and Hunt - I think we have close to a final draft schedule (below) for the International Treaty on Plant Genetics for Food and Agriculture session at the national Ag Experiment Station Directors' Workshop this fall. Our session will be on Thursday, Oct 2 from 1:30 to 3:00 at the Jekyll Island Club in Jekyll Island, GA. I've attached the hotel and registration information for the workshop. If you are only going to be there for our session, you don't need to register, but of course you're welcome to attend any or all of the workshop and social functions. You do need to make your own hotel arrangements.

If you would like to have a conference call sometime in late Aug or early Sep to coordinate presentations, let me know and I can set it up. If you have any questions now or later, please contact me by email or cell (919-815-4991).

Thanks for agreeing to do this for us, I think the topic will be of great interest to the directors.

Eric

International Germplasm Exchange – Moderator: Eric Young

- Background on the FAO International Treaty on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture and other International Agreements – Peter Bretting, ARS (30 min)
- Panel Comments (10 min each)
 - U. S. Administration Point of View – Peter Bretting, ARS

- Industry Point of View – Tom Nickson, Monsanto
 - University Point of View – Scott Jackson – Univ of Georgia
 - Senate Ratification of International Treaty – Jane DeMarchi, ASTA, and Hunt Shipman, Cornerstone Government Affairs
- Q&A and Discussion (20 min)

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