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I was going to send out some more info this weekend. I think from you, an overview of DIVSeek (goals/structure/etc.) as well as maybe some insights from your work with this type of project in Mexico. At this point we are just getting the key people together to discuss what might be done and what the impediments are. So your insights would be valuable. Also, what DivSeek would be able to offer (in the future) to support genomic characterization of glycine genebanks would be good. Does that help?

scott

On Apr 10, 2015, at 3:30 AM, Peter Wenzl <[peter.wenzl@croptrust.org](mailto:peter.wenzl@croptrust.org)> wrote:

Hi Scott!

Just a brief message to ask whether there're any particular points you'd like me to take into account when presenting DivSeek. I was thinking that the presentation should be fairly concise and perhaps end by summarising the feedback we got from the San Diego questionnaire, which points to areas (data management, etc.) on which the initial DivSeek work plan will likely be based. What do you suggest?

Btw, will the meeting be in the hotel or elsewhere?

Thanks, and looking forward to meeting you soon to catch up!

Best, Peter

On Thu, Feb 12, 2015 at 10:54 PM, Scott Allen Jackson <[sjackson@uga.edu](mailto:sjackson@uga.edu)> wrote:

Hi everyone,

Details below on the meeting on the application of genomics for soybean genomic resources.

1) **Hotel:** I have a room block reserved at 15-17 April at the Seattle Downtown Courtyard Marriott (612 2nd Avenue Seattle WA 98104). **You need to immediately register your room** under your name and credit card. You can do so by using the following link: [Book your group rate for Germplasm and Genomics Meeting Room Block](#). The full link is at bottom of email in case the embedded link does not work.

There is a light rail (<http://www.soundtransit.org/Fares-and-Passes/Link-fares>) that will take you from the airport to 0.1 miles from the hotel (get off at Pioneer Square). The cost is \$2.75 USD.

2) **Proposed meeting agenda** (this is a beginning outline. If you have additional ideas/thoughts, please let me know).

Purpose: to explore the possible application of genomics and phenomics to the international soybean genetic resources.

Agenda

\* Introductions

\* Peter Wenzl: introduction to DivSeek initiative ([www.divseek.org](http://www.divseek.org))

\* Short 8 minute reports by country/collection on a) collection, b) application of genomics/high density markers for characterization, c) phenotyping and d) utilization.

Brazil

China

Japan

Korea

United States

CGIAR

\* Randy Nelson: 50K SNPs on US collection (15 min)

\* Lijuan Qiu: sequence analysis of soybean and G. soja (15 Min)

\* Robert Stupar: non-SNP variation (15 min)

Discussion 1: How to collectively characterize collections

Discussion 2: Data sharing

Discussion 3: Germplasm issues: redundancy, sharing, etc.

Thanks and let me know if you have any questions,

Scott Jackson

Link for hotel reservations:

[https://www.marriott.com/meeting-event-hotels/group-corporate-travel/groupCorp.mi?resLinkData=Germplasm%20and%20Genomics%20Meeting%20Room%20Block%5Eseaps%60GGMGMA%60159.00%60USD%60false%604/15/15%604/17/15%603/25/15&app=resvlink&stop\\_mobi=yes](https://www.marriott.com/meeting-event-hotels/group-corporate-travel/groupCorp.mi?resLinkData=Germplasm%20and%20Genomics%20Meeting%20Room%20Block%5Eseaps%60GGMGMA%60159.00%60USD%60false%604/15/15%604/17/15%603/25/15&app=resvlink&stop_mobi=yes)

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