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SAVE THE DATE!
CPBR 2010 SYMPOSIUM
FEBRUARY 9-10, 2010

- LATEST WORK BY UNIVERSITY SCIENTISTS
- AGBIOTECH COMPANY ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSIONS
- START OF 2011 UNIVERSITY RESEARCH GRANTS COMPETITION

The Washington Club
15 Dupont Circle, NW
Washington, DC

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**2010 Symposium
February 9-10, 2010**

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Preliminary Schedule

Tuesday, 2/9

- 8:00 a.m. Registration, Breakfast, and Preproposal Poster Setup
- 8:30 a.m.-8:00 p.m. Preproposal Poster Session
(Posters will be on display throughout both days. They will stay up overnight.)
- 12:00 p.m. Welcome and Lunch
- 2:00-5:00 p.m. Funded Projects Scientific Reports
- Richard Larock – Iowa State University
Development and commercialization of soy/corn/linseed oil bioplastics
 - Xiuzhi Sun – Kansas State University
Bio-nanocomposites derived from renewable materials
 - Mark Eiteman – University of Georgia
A metabolic engineering approach to improve protein production
- 3:00 p.m. Break
- Fredy Altpeter – University of Florida
Chloroplast engineering for production of cell wall degrading enzymes
 - Schuyler Korban – University of Illinois-Urbana-Champaign
Transgenic plants for production and delivery of an oral vaccine
 - Andrew Paterson – University of Georgia
Physical mapping of the gene-rich euchromatin of sugarcane
- 5:15 p.m. Reception
Recognition of 2009 Projects (2009 posters set up in Foyer)
- 6:00 p.m. Dinner

Wednesday, 2/10

- 8:00 a.m. Membership meeting (members only)
- 9:00 a.m. Breakfast and Industry Roundtable discussions I
- 10:30 - 5:00 p.m. Preproposal Poster Session
- 12:00 - 1:30 p.m. Lunch and Industry Roundtable discussions II
- 1:30-5:00 p.m. Funded Projects Scientific Reports
- Zong Ming Cheng – University of Tennessee
Down-regulating the DHS gene and translation initiation factor 5A to increase poplar biomass
 - David Dai – North Dakota State University
Genetic improvement of woody species tolerant to iron chlorosis
 - Chandrashekar Joshi – Michigan Technological University
Modulation of cellulose crystallinity in transgenic trees
- 3:00 p.m. Break
- James Preston – University of Florida
Direct conversion of hemicellulose to biobased products
 - Richard Meilan – Purdue University
Development of herbicide-tolerant hardwoods
 - Ronald Sederoff – North Carolina State University
Genomic regulation of growth and lignin in Eucalyptus
- 5:00 p.m. Closing remarks
- 5:15 p.m. Poster breakdown

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2010 Symposium Registration

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Symposium - Feb. 9-10, 2010: (Provided: breakfasts, lunches, coffee breaks, reception and dinner)

	Through 1/1/2010	After 1/1/2010	
Non-member company.....	\$2000.....	\$2250.....	\$ _____
Member company	\$1000.....	\$1250.....	\$ _____
Government / Association.....	\$500.....	\$600.....	\$ _____
University**	\$200.....	\$250.....	\$ _____

**A PI who does not have current CPBR funding and is presenting a preproposal poster is eligible for travel assistance of up to \$400. Reimbursement forms will be available at the symposium.

Reception and Dinner – Tuesday February 9, 5:00 PM - I will attend: Yes No

HOTEL RESERVATIONS: It is important to make hotel reservations ASAP as there is no symposium hotel and this is a very busy time in DC.

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Please FAX or mail this form (see below)

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