## Symposium:

## Gene Drive Modified Organisms and Practical Considerations for Environmental Risk Assessment

July 19, 2017 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm National Academies of Sciences, Keck Center, 500 Fifth Street NW, Washington, DC

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## **Agenda**

Proposed session format with provisional topics; presentation titles to be provided by the speakers.

- 1:00 Welcome and Introductions
  Keegan Sawyer, Ph.D.
  - National Academy of Sciences (Confirmed)
  - Morven McLean, Ph.D.

    ILSI Research Foundation (Confirmed)
- 1:15 [Setting the context for the symposium]
  Sue Meek, Ph.D.
  Sue Meek & Associates and The Australian
  National University (Confirmed)
- 1:30 [Gene drive organisms for environmental release a developer's look at managing environment risk]

  Bruce Hay, Ph.D.

Caltech (Invited)

- 1:55 [Setting a safe course for genome editing research]
  - Renee Wegrzyn, Ph.D. Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA) (Invited)
- 2:20 [Considerations for environmental risk assessment of gene drive organisms moving from theory to practice]

Keith Hayes, Ph.D. Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO) (Invited)

- 2:45 [Understanding bias in risk perception and mitigating its impacts in decision-making about emerging technologies like gene drive]
  - Jason Delborne, Ph.D. North Carolina State University (Invited)
- 3:15 [Integrating environmental risk assessment and stakeholder engagement: case study]

Delphine Thizy Target Malaria (Invited)

- 3:35 Break
- 4:00 Panel Discussion with Presenters
  Moderator: Sue Meek
- 4:50 Summary Remarks

  James Collins, Ph.D.

  Arizona State University (Invited)
- 5:00 Adjourn