## The Global Partnership for Plant Conservation

## **Global Partnership for Plant Conservation Conference**

Plant Conservation and the Sustainable Development Goals

## **DRAFT PROGRAM**

Tuesday 28th June, 2016

Theme of the day: Plant conservation and the sustainable development goals.

- 9.00 Lelia Farr, Chairman, Board of Trustees, Missouri Botanical Garden: Welcome.
- 9.05 Peter Wyse Jackson (GPPC): Welcome on behalf of the GPPC and Introduction.
- 9.15 Robert Hoft (SCBD): Welcome on behalf of the CBD.
- 9.30 Suzanne Sharrock: (BGCI and GPPC): Keynote: Plant Conservation and the Sustainable Development Goals.
- 10.00 Allison Miller: (USA): Keynote: Plant conservation and food security a key link with the Sustainable Development Goals.
- 10.30 11.00: Coffee Break and Posters
- 11.00 James S. Miller (USA): Integrating plant conservation and sustainable development of local communities: examples from Madagascar.
- 11.20 HRH Princess Basma bint Ali (Jordan): Integrating plant conservation and landscape management to support sustainable rural livelihoods: an example from Jordan.
- 11.40 Yonghong Hu (China): Botanical Garden in the urban environment supports sustainable development of a city A case study of Shanghai Chenshan Botanical Garden.
- 12.00 Discussion and Questions for speakers.
- 12.30 2.00: Lunch and Tours
- 2.00 Jan Salick (USA): The relevance of traditional knowledge to the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals.

- 2.20 Hassan Sher (Pakistan), Rainer W. Bussmann and Robbie Hart (USA): Introduction of new analytical and quantitative approaches for the production and conservation of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants for economic development of Pakistan.
- 2.40 Ori Fragman-Sapir (Israel): Conservation in the Middle East, local and international collaborations.
- 3.00 Brett A. Summerell (Australia): Managing biological invasions: the impact of exotic diseases on plant communities in Australia.
- 3.20 3.40: Coffee Break
- 3.40 Kate Sackman (USA): The North American Botanic Garden Strategy for Plant Conservation.
- 4.00 Gary A. Krupnick and Nancy Knowlton (USA): #EarthOptimism: Success Stories in Plant Conservation.
- 4.20 Colin Clubbe (UK): Kew's role in supporting the Sustainable Development Goals
- 4.40 Discussion and Questions for Speakers
- 5.30: Close for the day

## Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> June, 2016

Theme of the day: Contemporary practices, priorities and perspectives in plant conservation: achieving the GSPC and Aichi goals.

- 9.00 Keynote: James Aronson (France and USA): Keynote: Future perspectives in Ecological Restoration.
- 9.30 Pierre-André Loizeau (Switzerland) and Peter Wyse Jackson (USA): The World Flora Online project: meeting the needs for baseline information to support plant conservation and sustainable development.
- 9.50 Gustavo Martinelli (Brazil): Assessing the status of the world's most plant diverse country: the Centre for Flora Conservation (CNC Flora).
- 10.10 Domatilla Raimondo, Zaitoon Rabaney, L. von Staden (South Africa): South Africa's Strategy for Plant Conservation.
- 10.30 11.00: Coffee Break
- 11.00 Adam B. Smith, Matthew A. Albrecht, and Quinn G. Long (USA). Shifting targets: Efficient conservation seed banking in light of current threats, threats from future climate change, and uncertainty.
- 11.20 Maïté Delmas (France): The Sud Expert Plantes programme (SEP2D), supporting GSPC achievement and the Aichi targets.
- 11.40 Peter Bernhardt, Retha Eden-Meier (USA) and Zong-Xin Ren (China): Conservation Challenges and the Reproductive Ecology of Threatened and Rare Orchids.

- 12.00 Valida Ali-zade and Sevda Ibrahimova (Azerbaijan): Predicting the risk of extinction of threatened and rare species of the Azerbaijan flora.
- 12.20 Didik Widyatmoko and Rosniati Apriani Risna (Indonesia): A role of Indonesian Botanic Gardens in achieving GSPC goals
- 12.40:- 2.00: Lunch and Tours
- 2.00 Lucy Sutherland (Australia): Implementing Access and Benefit Sharing for Seed Banking.
- 2.20 Peggy Olwell (U.S.A.): Seeds and the GSPC Targets 3, 4, 8 & 15 & Aichi Target 15.
- 2.40 David Galbraith (Canada): The GSPC and Canada's 2020 Biodiversity Goals and Targets: Plant-Related Responses Supporting the Aichi Biodiversity Targets.
- 3.00 David A. Neill, Hugo Romero-Saltos and Mercedes Asanza, (Ecuador): Plant conservation in Ecuador Progress and challenges.
- 3.20: Coffee Break
- 4.10 Christy Edwards (USA): Using conservation genetics to support effective plant conservation.
- 4.30 Andrew Wyatt (USA): The role of horticulture in achieving critical plant conservation priorities: examples from the Indian Ocean.
- 4.50 Discussion and Conclusions
- 5.30: Close