

AGENDA

APEC Policy Partnership on Food Security (PPFS) and the Agricultural Technical Cooperation Working Group (ATCWG)

Workshop: Approaches to Decreasing Agriculturally Generated Greenhouse Gas Emissions in APEC

February 18, 2023: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm Pacific Standard Time

Location: [Renaissance Palm Springs Hotel- San Jacinto Room, Palm Springs, California](#)

8:30 - 9:00 a.m.	<p>Arrival and Check-ins</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Arrival and check-in of Delegates, APEC Observers, and guests.• Virtual waiting room opens for online participants. <p>NOTE: Virtual participants should use their Zoom meeting link sent to them after pre-registration to access the meeting. Virtual participants may check-in as early as 8:30 to verify audio and visual connections.</p>
9:00 - 9:10 a.m.	<p>Welcome and Opening Remarks</p> <p>Allison Thomas, Managing Director, Trade Policy and Geographic Affairs, Foreign Agricultural Service, United States Department of Agriculture</p>
9:10 - 10:30 a.m.	<p>SESSION I - Innovations in Methane Reduction and in Fertilizer Use: Manure Management, Enteric Fermentation, Rice Cultivation, and Enhanced Efficiency Fertilizers</p> <p>Moderator: Bill Gould, National Lead, USDA Climate Hubs, United States Department of Agriculture</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Presentation Title</u> – Hayden Montgomery, Programme Directory, The Global Methane Hub, Uruguay (virtual)• <u>Low-Carbon Rice Production: Moving toward a Green Agriculture Transformation in Viet Nam</u> – Nguyen Anh Phong, Director of Information, Center for Agriculture and Rural Development, Viet Nam (in person)• <u>Innovation to Improve Nitrogen Fertilizer Efficiency</u>– Josh McGrath, Lead-Technology Development, OCP North America, United States (in person)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Presentation Title</u> – Douglas Smith, Soil Scientist, Agricultural Research Service, United States Department of Agriculture, United States (in person) <p><i>15-minute panel presentations followed by 20 minutes discussion and Q&A</i></p>
10:30 – 10:50 a.m.	Break
10:50 – 12:10 p.m.	<p>SESSION 2 - Diversity and Inclusivity: Examples and Best Practices for Inclusive Decision Making (Indigenous Peoples, Women, Youth, other underrepresented communities, and local representation)</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> Bill Gould, National Lead, USDA Climate Hubs, United States Department of Agriculture</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Why does Equity Matter and Why is it Challenging?</u> – Gideon Kruseman, Coordinator Community of Practice Socio-Economic Data, CGIAR Platform for Big Data in Agriculture, Netherlands (virtual) • <u>Environmental Justice and Climate Adaptation in the USDA Forest Service</u> – Elisabeth Grinspoon, U.S. Forest Service, United States (virtual) • <u>The Power of Indigenous Inclusivity</u>– Shiloh Babbington, Policy Analyst, Indigenous Research Network, Global Research Alliance, Ministry for Primary Industries, New Zealand (virtual) <p><i>20 minute panel presentations followed by 20 minutes discussion and Q&A</i></p>
12:10 p.m.-1:40 p.m.	Lunch (90 minutes)
1:40 – 3:00 p.m.	<p>SESSION 3 - Resilience and Adaptation to Climate Shocks, Extreme Weather Events and Long-Term Adaptation Planning: Focus on Hubs and Innovation Centers</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> Bill Gould, National Lead, USDA Climate Hubs, United States Department of Agriculture</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Future Drought Fund: Drought Resilience Adoption and Innovation Hubs</u> – Katrina Baxendell, Director, R&A Strategy and Hub

	<p>Management, Department of Agriculture, Fisheries, and Forestry, Australia (virtual)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Building Climate & Community Resilience with the USDA Climate Hubs</u> – Julian Reyes, National Coordinator, US Department of Agriculture Climate Hubs, United States (in person) • <u>Living Labs to Tackle Climate Change</u> – François Chrétien, Acting Director, Research, Development and Technology, Geomatics and Earth Observation Division and Living Labs, Canada (in person) <p><i>20 minute panel presentations followed by 20 minutes discussion and Q&A</i></p>
3:00 - 3:20 p.m.	Break
3:20 - 4:40 p.m.	<p>SESSION 4 - Best Practices and Solutions for Increasing Agriculture and Climate Investments, and Utilizing Investments for Adaptation and Resilience</p> <p>Moderator: Bill Gould, National Lead, USDA Climate Hubs, United States Department of Agriculture</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Peruvian Private Facility to Boost Climate Investments for Adaptation & GHG Mitigation in Amazonian Bio Businesses</u> – Claudia Godfrey, Director of Innovation and Strategic Management, Profonampe, Peru (in person) • <u>Presentation Title</u> – Imelda “Dada” Bacudo, Advisor, Association of Southeast Asian Nations (virtual) • <u>The Global Subnational Climate Fund, Scalable Impact Through Investments in Mid-size Emerging Markets Climate Infrastructure</u> – Michael Chorske, Operating Partner, Pegasus Capital Advisors, LP, United States (virtual) <p><i>20 minute panel presentations followed by 20 minutes discussion and Q&A</i></p>
4:40 – 4:50 p.m.	Evaluation (10 min)
4:50 – 5:00 pm	Closing Remarks

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