

7th International IPM Symposium Program Committee Conference Call

January 5, 2011

Next Call: Wednesday, February 2, January, 2:30 pm EDT / 1:30 pm CDT / 12:30 pm MDT / 11:30 am PDT.

Participants: Margaret Appleby, Seth Dibblee, Lynnae Jess, Elaine Wolff, Dawn H. Gouge, Naresh Duggal, Norm Leppla, Kaci Agle, Mary Kay Malinoski, Dave Clement.

Minutes: Please send additions, omissions and edits to Dawn H. Gouge at dhgouge@ag.arizona.edu.

1. Dawn and Seth drafted a standard letter of acceptance and guidance for the plenary speakers. The presenters will receive information on what is expected of them, and how the symposium plenary speakers will be scheduled. The draft has been circulated and finalized (attached).

Emphasis area	Opening	Wrap-up
Management	Steve Owens USEPA	Larry Elworth USEPA
Research	Tim Dennehy Monsanto	Peter Ellsworth University of Arizona
Best Practices	Chow-Yang Lee Universiti Sains Malaysia	Robert Corrigan RMC Pest Management Consulting
Outreach	David Rosenberger Cornell University	Sue Ratcliffe North Central IPM Center

2. Elaine developed a draft Call for Program Proposals. The link is www.regonline.com/IPMproposals. The link has been tested and completed. It will be posted when the final program narrative is available.
3. Naresh and Dawn are drafting a narrative to explain the Symposium program spreadsheet the themes: Management, Research, Best Practices, and Outreach. Subcategories are Agriculture (including horticulture), Urban/Community, and Natural Resources.
4. Elaine is posting the minutes and associated information on the Symposium website.