

Asian Academic ABS Forum

-ABS Symposium 2023-

Utilization of foreign generic resources can require procedures for ABS (Access and Benefit-Sharing) based on laws and regulations of genetic resource provider countries.

In this Symposium, government officials and specialists in charge of ABS from 7 Asian countries will gather in Tokyo and give presentations on the ABS rules of their own countries.

※ "Access to genetic resources and the fair and equitable Sharing of Benefits arising from their utilization" is referred to as ABS.

Program

午前の部 11:00 ~ 12:45

Opening remarks **Pres. Masaru Kitsuregawa**
President of Research Organization of Information and Systems

Mr. Hideki Nakagawara
Senior Specialist for Life Sciences, Life Sciences Division,
Research Promotion Bureau,
Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology

Mrs. Suwana Tiansuwan
Director-General,
Biodiversity-Based Economy Development Office (BEDO)

Presentation 1: **Dr. Mitsuaki Suzuki**
Japan
Founder of ABS Support Team for Academia,
National Institute of Genetic

Presentation 2: **Dr. Tanit Changthavorn**
Thailand
Deputy Director-General,
Biodiversity-Based Economy Development Office (BEDO)

Presentation 3: **Dr. Bayu Adjie**
Indonesia
Head of Research Center for Biosystematics and Evolution,
National Research and Innovation Agency (BRIN)

~ Lunch Break ~ 12:45 - 13:45

[Afternoon Session] 13:45 - 18:00

Presentation 4: **Mr. Kezang Wangchuk**
Bhutan
Biodiversity Officer, National Biodiversity Centre (NBC),
Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock (MoAL)

Presentation 5: **Mr. Yourk Sothearith**
Cambodia
Deputy Director, Department of Biodiversity,
Ministry of Environment

Presentation 6: **Ms. Ta Thi Kieu Anh**
Vietnam
Head of ABS, IAS and Biosafety team,
Nature and Biodiversity Conservation Agency,
Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment

Presentation 7: **Dr. Nik Musa adah binti Mustapha**
Malaysia
Senior Research Officer, Forest Research Institute Malaysia,
Ministry of Natural Resources,
Environment and Climate Change

Presentation 8: **Dr. Minho An**
South Korea
Senior Specialist, ABS Research Support Center,
Korea Research Institute of Bioscience & Biotechnology (KRIBB)

~ Break (30 min) ~

Panel Discussion

Closing Remarks

~ Break (10 min) ~

Communication Time

Simultaneous interpretation
available!
(English & Japanese)

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24 October,
2023

11:00–18:00
(Reception starts from 10:30)

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