

WGIN Stakeholders Meeting
22 November 2011, RRes
Programme



- 10:00 Arrival and coffee
10:15 Welcome – *Peter Shewry, RRes*
10:20 Wheat Market Update – *Helen Plant, AHDB*

The Wheat Genetic Improvement Network

- 10:40 WGIN: Overview and update on RRes WGIN research – *Kim Hammond-Kosack, RRes*
11:00 Avalon x Cadenza - gene discovery for UK farming – *Simon Griffiths, JIC*
11:20 Dissecting nitrogen use efficiency – *Malcolm Hawkesford, RRes*
11:40 Coffee

End user developments

- 12:00 Update on Global Wheat Genebanks and Information Systems – *Mike Ambrose, JIC*
12:20 Adapting wheat to global warming – *Roger Sylvester Bradley, ADAS*
12:40 An update on GM wheat field trials – *Huw Jones, RRes*
13:00 Lunch with posters on wheat research

Wheat initiatives

- 14:00 The Crop Improvement Club - Progress so far – *Jayne Brookman, BBSRC*
14:20 Update on Wheat Genome Sequencing Initiative – *Graham Moore, JIC*
14:40 Update on Sustainable Agriculture and Food Innovation Platform– *Calum Murray, Technology Strategy Board*
15:00 Bio break

Successful 2nd and 3rd Wheat Crops

- 15:30 Introduction to Discussion panel on “Successful 2nd and 3rd Wheat Crops” and issue of Take-all – *Kim Hammond-Kosack, RRes*

Discussion Chair: Peter Shewry, RRes

Panellists:

- Mark Dodds, Wheat Breeder, KWS
- David Knott, *Farms Manager, Trumpington Farming Company, Cambs*
- Andrew Richards, *Crop Agronomist, Masstocks*
- Phil Humphrey, *Crop Agronomist, The Arable Group*
- Kerry Maguire - *Cereal Pathologist, NIAB*
- Ian Clark – *Soil Microbiologist, RRes*
- Pete Berry - *Principal Research Scientist, ADAS*
- Adrian Peck – *Farmer, Cambs and HGCA board member*
- Steve McGrath – *Soil Expert, RRes*

- 17:10 Tea and finish