



BIT's 2nd Annual World Congress of Bioenergy

Theme: Renewable Energy for Sustainability



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Track 1: Global Bioenergy Economy and Policy

Session 100: Global Bioenergy Economy and Policy (I)

08:30-12:10, April 26, 2012 (Thursday)

Chair:	Dr. Peter Lohmander , Professor, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, Sweden
Co-Chair:	Mr. Olivier Dubois , Senior Natural Resources Officer and Leader Energy Team of the Climate, Energy and Tenure Division of FAO, Italy
08:30-08:35	Chair's Introduction
08:35-09:00	Title: Global Bioenergy Economy and Policy Dr. Franz Fischler , President, Eco Social Forum Europe, Austria
09:00-09:25	Title: Economic Optimization of Sustainable Energy Systems Based on Forest Resources with Consideration of the Global Warming Problem: International Perspectives Dr. Peter Lohmander , Professor, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, Sweden
09:25-09:50	Title: From Fuel Versus Food to Food and Fuel Mr. Olivier Dubois , Senior Natural Resources Officer and Leader Energy Team of the Climate, Energy and Tenure Division of FAO, Italy
09:50-10:15	Title: Economical Pathways towards Sustainable Biofuels and Energy Mr. Paul O'Connor , Director Science & Technology, BIOeCON BV and ANTECY BV, The Netherlands
10:15-10:30	Coffee Break
10:30-10:55	Title: The Development of Regional Biomass Action Plans for China Dr. Hans Jansen , Senior Project Manager, United Nations Economic Commission for Europe, Switzerland
10:55-11:20	Title: Multiplexing Renewable Energies: An integrated Approach to Achieve Energy Parity Dr. K. C. Chan , Professor, Albany State University, USA
11:20-11:45	Title: Advancing Current Federal Biomass Policy through Legislative Initiatives Mr. Michael R. Brower , Senior Fellow Policy Director, Mosaic Federal Affairs LLC/Hiscock & Barclay LLP., USA
11:45-12:10	Speech Opportunity Available

Session 100: Global Bioenergy Economy and Policy (II)

13:30-17:10, April 26, 2012 (Thursday)

Chair:	Dr. Robert Zubrin , President, Pioneer Astronautics, USA (To Be Confirmed Soon)
Co-Chair:	Ms. Ewelina Tunia , Research Associate, National Defense University, USA
13:30-13:35	Chair's Introduction



MTS 2011
(Sep.23-25, 2011,
Busan, Korea)



CEMD 2011
(Sep.22-24, 2011,
Beijing, China)



WCF 2011
(Oct. 15-17, 2011,
Chongqing, China)



LCES 2011
(Oct.19-26, 2011,
Dalian, China)



WCPG 2011
(Oct.19-22, 2011,
Dalian, China)



WCHFA 2011
(Oct.19-22, 2011,
Dalian, China)



WCEB 2011
(Oct.19-22, 2011,
Dalian, China)



OFC 2011
(Oct.19-21, 2011,
Dalian, China)



U-World 2011
(Oct.23-25, 2011,
Dalian, China)



13:35-14:00	Speech Opportunity Available
14:00-14:25	Title: Bioenergy in Australian Agriculture: Technological, Policy and Financial Considerations Dr. David Eyre , Director, Research & Development, NSW Farmers' Association, Australia
14:25-14:50	Title: TBD Dr. Robert L. Thompson , Professor, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA
14:50-15:15	Title: Legal and Regulatory Issues in the Bioenergy Economy Dr. Harrison Pittman , Director, UA National Agricultural Law Center, University of Arkansas School of Law, USA
15:15-15:30	Coffee Break
15:30-15:55	Title: TBD Dr. Robert Zubrin , President, Pioneer Astronautics, USA
15:55-16:20	Title: TBD Dr. David Saah , Managing Principal, Spatial Informatics Group, LLC., USA
16:20-16:45	Title: Costa Rica's Carbon Neutrality Goal: Challenges and Bioenergy Opportunities for Sustainability Dr. Marcos Adamson , Researcher and Professor, Faculty of Economics, University of Costa Rica, Costa Rica
16:45-17:10	Speech Opportunity Available

Session 101: Bioenergy and Climate Changes

08:30-12:10, April 26, 2012 (Thursday)

Chair:	Dr. Jurgen Scheffran , Professor, Research Group Climate Change and Security, University of Hamburg, Germany (To Be Confirmed Soon)
Co-Chair:	Call for Co-Chair
08:30-08:35	Chair's Introduction
08:35-09:00	Speech Opportunity Available
09:00-09:25	Title: Bioenergy, Food Sustainability and Climate Change in Australia Dr. Neil Salisbury , Director, Net Balance, Australia
09:25-09:50	Title: TBD Dr. Jurgen Scheffran , Professor, Research Group Climate Change and Security, University of Hamburg, Germany
09:50-10:15	Speech Opportunity Available
10:15-10:30	Coffee Break
10:30-10:55	Speech Opportunity Available
10:55-11:20	Title: Biofuel Programs: A Climate Change Solution or a Climate Policy Problem Dr. Chloe Vlassopoulos , Professor, University of Picardie, France
11:20-11:45	Title: Carbon Sequestration under the Hoof of the Gaucho's Cows: Trying to Save an Ancient Activity with Modern Implications in Terms of Environment Dr. Anibal Fernando Parera , Coordinador General, Birdlife Internacional, Argentina
11:45-12:10	Panel Discussion

Session 102: Global Biofuel Programs and Biofuel Infrastructure

13:30-15:30, April 26, 2012 (Thursday)

Chair:	Call for Chair
Co-Chair:	Call for Co-Chair
13:30-13:35	Chair's Introduction

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13:35-14:00	Speech Opportunity Available
14:00-14:25	Title: TBD Dr. Leslie Cordes , Interim Executive Director, Global Alliance for Clean Cookstoves, USA
14:25-14:50	Title: Global Biofuels Outlook to 2020 Dr. Preeti Jain , Research Manager Asia, Hart Energy Consulting – Global Biofuels Center, USA
14:50-15:15	Speech Opportunity Available
15:15-15:30	Coffee Break
15:30-15:55	Title: TBD Dr. Bianca Forte , Business Innovation Manager, InCrops Enterprise Hub, UK
15:55-16:20	Title: Impacts of Near-future Cultivation of Biofuel Feedstocks on Atmospheric Composition and Air Quality Dr. Gerd A. Folberth , Senior Scientist, Met Office Hadley Centre, UK
16:20-16:45	Title: The Development of Thailand Voluntary Emission Reduction (T-VER) Program for Low Carbon City : The Biofuels Approach Dr. Poon Thiengburanathum , Assistant Professor, Faculty of Engineering, Chiang Mai University, Thailand
16:45-17:10	Panel Discussion

Session 103: Biofuels in Developing Countries

08:30-12:10, April 27, 2012 (Friday)

Chair:	Dr. Sillas Oliva Filho , Director, Petrobras, Brazil (To Be Confirmed Soon)
Co-Chair:	Call for Co-Chair
08:30-08:35	Chair's Introduction
08:35-09:00	Title: Degradable Castor Lubricants and Future Products to Replace Petroleum Mr. Dominic Yin , Chairman, Hong Kong Association of Energy Service Companies, Hong Kong, China
09:00-09:25	Title: The Economics of Enzyme Production For 2nd Generation Fuel Ethanol Dr. Haiyu Ren , Business Development Manager, Novozymes A/S, Denmark
09:25-09:50	Title: TBD Dr. Sillas Oliva Filho , Director, Petrobras, Brazil
09:50-10:15	Speech Opportunity Available
10:15-10:30	Coffee Break
10:30-10:55	Title: Roles of Public Sector Players in Global Bioenergy/Biofuels Market – Suggestions for China Dr. Sergio M. Miranda-da-Cruz , Director, Agri-Business Development Branch. UNIDO, Austria
10:55-11:20	Title: Renewable Energy in Malaysia: Opportunities and Challenges Dr. Zahira Yaakob , Associate Professor, Chemical and Process Engineering Department, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia, Malaysia
11:20-11:45	Title: TBD Dr. Huangang Qiu , Research Fellow, Center for Chinese Agricultural Policy, Institute of Geographic Sciences and Natural Resource Research, China
11:45-12:10	Title: Sustainable Biofuels in the EU: The Costs of Certification and Impacts on New Producers Dr. Henrique Pacini , Economic Affairs Officer, United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD), Switzerland

Session 104: Biofuels in Developed Countries

08:30-12:10, April 27, 2012 (Friday)

Chair:	Dr. Heather Brodie , CEO, Biofuels Association of Australia, Australia
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08:35-09:00	Speech Opportunity Available
09:00-09:25	Title: TBD Dr. Heather Brodie , CEO, Biofuels Association of Australia, Australia
09:25-09:50	Title: San Francisco's Landmark Plan for Sustainable Bioenergy Dr. Alan B. Cooper , Vice President, Parsons Water & Infrastructure, Inc., USA
09:50-10:15	Title: How the Golden State's Farms and Fields Will Fuel Its Future: An Investigation of California's Bioenergy Policies and Programs That Are Transforming Its Electricity and Transportation Sectors Dr. Panama Bartholomy , Deputy Director, Energy Efficiency and Renewables Division, California Energy Commission, USA
10:15-10:30	Coffee Break
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