



EUPHRESCO-2 Kick-off Meeting Copenhagen 24th March 2011

- 08.45 Registration / Welcome (Niels Gøtke)**
- 09.15 Introduction to EUPHRESCO-2 (Alan Inman)**
- EUPHRESCO 1 aims and achievements
 - Current activities between EUPHRESCO 1 and 2 (NC projects; FP7)
 - EUPHRESCO-2 aims, objectives, partners and observers
- 09.45 The Network (Workpackage 2 - Silke Steinmüller and Jens Unger)**
- Concept of WP2
 - Network implementation and Portfolio working groups
 - On-going activities: Mapping; FP7 (COPHS mandate); linkages; strategic document
 - Evaluate and refine the *Modus Operandi*
- 10.15 Welcome to new partners**
- 10.30 Tea/Coffee, including posters and some admin tasks for all partners**
- 11.00 Transnational Research Projects (Workpackage 3 – Sylvia Blümel and Alois Egartner)**
- On-going projects
 - Timetables and funding mechanisms
 - Topic criteria (identification/prioritisation criteria and processes)
 - Topic ideas – Google document and next steps
 - Other activities (time recording)
- 12.30 Lunch and Photograph**
- 13.30 Improved Processes and Tool (Workpackage 4 – Eric Regouin)**
- Strengthening processes and platforms
 - Increasing opportunities (barriers; emergency track procedures; novel collaborations)
 - Improving use of research infrastructures and specialist knowledge
- 14.30 Enlarging the Network (Workpackage 5 – Steen Lykke Nielsen)**
- Integrating new partners and observers, and outreach
 - Exploring regional opportunities
 - Exploring sector-based opportunities (e.g. forestry-related plant health)
 - Associations with 3rd countries (exporting countries; those with shared problems)
- 15.00 Brief introductions to WP Clinics (Alan Inman and WP Leaders)**
Tea/Coffee and Workpackage 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 Clinics and posters
- 16.00 Project Coordination and Management (Workpackage 1 – Elspeth Steel)**
- Project Management (PMG, PAG, virtual GB)
 - Administration: contracts; financial issues; reporting issues; Consortium Agreement
 - Communication: website; leaflets; newsletters; procedures (as per CA); email rings
 - Meetings (annual and WP-related)
 - Additional partners
 - Questions?
- 16.30 Forward job plan, Wrap-up, plans for evening dinner and next-day WP5 Workshop (Alan Inman, Elspeth Steel and Steen Nielsen)**
- 19.30 Project dinner at Best Western Richmond Hotel**





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WP5 workshop: Integrating new European Partners, engaging with European Observers and outreach to other European and Mediterranean countries

Session I Chair Niels Gøtke

- 09.00-09.15** Welcome and grand challenges in plant health by the Danish Governing Board member Niels Gøtke
- 09.15-09.20** Practical matters of the day by Elspeth Steel and Steen Lykke Nielsen
- 09.20-09.50** Introduction to the theme of the workshop and presentation of the participants
Networking activity: assignment of mentors to new partners (consider in advance who you would like have as mentor/be mentor for) by Steen Lykke Nielsen
- 09.50-10.30** Presentation of new partners' organisations, programmes and their initial views of opportunities/benefits for them from EUPHRESCO (5 minutes each)
- 10.30-11.00** **Coffee break, networking and posters**

Session II Chair Alan Inman

- 11.00-11.15** The benefits of EUPHRESCO seen from the viewpoint of EPPO by Francoise Petter, EPPO Secretariat
- 11.15-11.30** The benefits of EUPHRESCO seen from the viewpoint of an "old" partner Tuula Maki-Valkama
- 11.30-11.45** Mapping of new partners' plant health programmes
- 11.45-12.00** Funding mechanisms for transnational phytosanitary research cooperation by Eric Regouin
- 12.00-13.00** **Lunch break, networking and EUPHRESCO posters**

Session III Chair Eric Regouin

- 13.00-13.15** Mechanisms to identify prioritise and select topics for transnational research projects by Sylvia Blümel
- 13.15-13.25** Mandate to advise on plant health research priorities in the EU FP7 programme by Silke Steinmöller
- 13.25-13.40** Introduction to the proposed long term self sustainable network by Silke Steinmöller
- 13.40-14.10** Open discussion, questions and answers and feedback from participants of how they see opportunities developing for them within EUPHRESCO2
- 14.10-14.20** **Short break**

Session IV Chair Niels Gøtke

- 14.20-14.40** Introduction to the remaining activities of work package 5: Enlarging the Network Cooperation by Steen Lykke Nielsen
- 14.40-14.45** Closing of the meeting by Niels Gøtke
- 14.45-15.00** **Refreshments and departure**