


Breeding for Milk Production in Tropical / Non-Temperate Environments

Chiang Mai, Thailand, 5 – 6 November 2014

Workshop Programme

Wednesday, November 05, 2014

08.30 to 09.00	Registration
09.00 to 10.45	Opening Session <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Welcome Address by T. Wimolporn, APHCA Chair2. Opening Address by H. Konuma, ADG & RR RAP3. Keynote Presentation 1: Leo Dempfle – Breeding Strategies for Sustainable Dairy Development in Asia [30 mins + 15 discussion]4. Keynote Presentation 2: John Gibson – On-farm genetic gains and agro-ecological genotype targeting of dairy breeds that are appropriate for smallholders in the tropics [30 mins + 15 discussion]
10.45 to 11.15	Tea/Coffee Break
11.15 to 12.30	Country presentation/experiences – <i>South Asia</i> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. India: KR Trivedi, NDDB [30 mins + 5 discussion]2. Sri Lanka: LWN Samaranayake, Dpt. Animal Production and Health [30 mins + 5 discussion]
12.30 to 13.30	Lunch
13.30 to 14.45	Country presentation/experiences – <i>Southeast Asia</i> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Philippines: EB Flores, Philippines Buffalo Center [30 mins + 5 discussion]2. Thailand: S Thamwasorn, Kasetsart University [30 mins + 5 discussion]
14.45 to 16.00	<i>Changing Contours of Asia's Dairy Sector and the Sustainability Imperative</i> by V Ahuja , FAO-RAP. The presentation will be followed by a moderated discussion on 'International cooperation for sustainable dairy development' leading to recommendations to be presented to APHCA delegates in the closing Session on 7 th November to endorse and notify. (Moderator: V Ahuja)



16.00 to 16.30	Tea/Coffee Break
16.30 to 17.00	Next steps and closure

Thursday, November 06, 2014

08.00—17.00	Field trip to Smallholder Dairy Development Project sites—stops to include dairy farms/coops, animal nutrition and research centre (Lampang), and regional dairy training centre (Chiang Mai)
17:30—19.00	Dinner hosted by Thai Dairy Promotion Organisation (DPO)