**Feeding the Future with Peanuts**  
**MALTA 2011**  
**December 11-15**  
**Peanut CRSP Strategic Research Conference**  

**Agenda**  

**Saturday Dec. 10**  
- PCRSP PIs and collaborators travel and arrive  
- Pre-Conference Activities (ME-Only)

**Sunday Dec. 11**  
- PCRSP PIs and collaborators travel and arrive  
- **4:00 Registration** (Westin Dragonara Lobby Verandah)  
- **4:30 Conference Welcome Reception** – Lobby Verandah  
  - Welcome – **Dr. Carolyn Fonseca** (Peanut CRSP Associate Director)  
  - Opening Remarks – **Dr. Jonathan H. Williams** (Peanut CRSP Director)  
- **7:00 Dinner** Terrace Restaurant - Westin Dragonara (free for all participants, spouses, invited guests)  
  - **Keynote Speaker** – **Dr. Victor Nwosu** Global Plant Science Program Manager, M&M Mars (confirmed)
Monday Dec. 12

- **8:00-12:00** Registration
  - A booth will be located outside of the **Point Ballroom** for registration

- **9:00-12:00** **Peanut CRSP Impact and Innovation** – **Point Ballroom**
  

  - 9:00-9:15 Opening Remarks – **Dr. Jonathan Williams** – Director, **Peanut CRSP**
  - 9:15-10:00 **Panel I – PCRSP Overview, Production, and Processing**
    - **Dr. Bonny Ntare** – Assistant Director, **International Crops Research Institute for the Semi-Arid Tropics (ICRISAT)**, Mali
    - **Dr. Geoffrey Hildebrand** – Groundnut Breeder, **Progene Seeds Limited Rattray Arnold Research Station**, Zimbabwe
    - *** Dr. John Cherry** – Former Director, **USDA/ARS Eastern Regional Research Center**
  - 10:00-10:30 Discussion
  - 10:30-10:45 Tea/Coffee Break
  - 10:45-12:00 **Panel II – Health, Socioeconomics, and Development**
    - *** Dr. Dely Gapasin** – Retired Senior Agriculturalist, **World Bank**
    - **Dr. Handy Williamson** – Vice Provost for International Programs and Strategic Initiatives, **University of Missouri**
    - **Dr. Farid Waliyar** – Executive Director, **International Crops Research Institute for the Semi-Arid Tropics (ICRISAT)** West Africa, Mali
    - **Dr. Martin Kimanya** – Manager for Food Evaluation and Registration, **Tanzania Food and Drugs Authority**, Tanzania
  - 12:00-12:30 Discussion

- **12:30-2:00** Lunch Break (each person covers her/his meal/everyone on their own)
  - 1:30-2:00 **Poster Set-Up time in the Pavilion**

*Note the CHANGE IN ROOM for the afternoon session*
• **2:00-5:30 Developing Country Perspective and USAID – Pavilion**

  o 2:00-3:00  **Panel: “A Country’s Perspective”**
    - Opening Remarks – Dr. Abdulai Salifu – Director General, Council for Scientific and Industrial Research (Ghana)
    - Dr. Jesse Naab – Researcher, Savanna Agricultural Research Institute (Ghana)
    - Mr. David Okelo Kalule – Researcher, National Agricultural Research Organization (Uganda)
    - Dr. Dorothy Nakimbugwe – Food Scientist, Makerere University (Uganda)
    - Dr. Rita de Cássia Gonçalves Alfenas – Professor, Universidad Nacional de Viçosa (Brazil)

  o 3:00-3:30  Discussion

  o 3:30-4:30  **Poster Session (Pavilion) with Tea/Coffee break**

  o 4:30-5:30  **Panel: “Feed the Future, USAID, and Partner Perspective”**
    - Opening Remarks – Dr. Jennifer Long – USAID
    - Dr. Cuan Opperman – Value Chain Specialist, USAID Southern Africa Trade Hub
    - Dr. Prem Warrior – Senior Program Officer, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation (invited)
    - Dr. Jo Luck – President Heifer International and 2010 World Food Prize Laureate, Board for International Food and Agricultural Development (BIFAD) (confirmed)
    - Dr. Victor Nwosu – Global Plant Science Program Manager, M&M Mars (confirmed)

  o 5:30-6:00  Discussion

  o Dinner (each person on their own)
Tuesday Dec. 13

- **8:00-9:00**
  - **Registration**: For those who have not registered already, the registration booth will be open
  - **Closed Meeting** – USAID Dr. Max Rothschild and Team (location TBD)

- **9:00-12:30** **Mycotoxins Special Session** – Pavilion
  “Mycotoxins, Nutrition, and Peanut CRSP”
  - **9:00-9:15** Opening Remarks – **Dr. Timothy Phillips** – Professor, Texas A&M
  - **9:15-10:15** Panel I – The Global State of Affairs in Mycotoxins
    - **Dr. Maya Piñeiro** – Coordinator Food Safety and Agricultural Health/Senior Officer Food Safety and Quality, FAO Regional Office for Latin America and the Caribbean
    - **Dr. Farid Waliyar** – Executive Director, International Crops Research Institute for the Semi-Arid Tropics (ICRISAT) West Africa
    - **Dr. Martin Kimanya** –Manager for Food Evaluation and Registration, Tanzania Food and Drugs Authority
  - **10:15-10:45** Discussion
  - **10:45-11:00** Tea/Coffee Break
  - **11:00-12:00** Panel II – Gender, Technology, and Innovation: Approaches to Mycotoxin Management
    - **Dr. Firibu Saalia** – Senior Lecturer, University of Ghana
    - **BASF** (invited)
    - **Dr. Archileo Kaaya** – Associate Professor, Makerere University
    - **Mr. James Rhoads** – Agricultural Development Specialist, Meds and Food for Kids (Haiti)
  - **12:00-12:30** Discussion

- **12:30-1:30** Working Lunch (free for all participants) **Speakers** – **Dr. Prem Warrior** Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation and **Mr. Cuan Opperman** USAID Southern Africa Trade HUB

* No poster Session
1:30-2:30  Peanut CRSP Board Meeting
CLOSED Session (Pavilion)

- Peanut CRSP Board Members
  - Dr. Edward Kanemasu
  - Dr. James Harper
  - Dr. Joe Molnar *
  - Dr. William Payne

- USAID and BIFAD

- Peanut CRSP Evaluation Team
  - Dr. Farid Waliyar
  - Dr. John Cherry
  - Dr. Dely Gapasin
  - Dr. Geoffrey Hildebrand
  - Dr. Bonny Ntare
  - Dr. Martin Kimanya
  - Dr. Handy Williamson *

2:45 All Participants Meeting the Lobby – Travel to Networking Session

3:00-5:00  Networking Session
  - (bus ride through Valletta to the Grand Harbor; boat ride to dinner)

5:00 Bus ride from boat to dinner, Strand Sliema to Mdina

6:30 Peanut CRSP Banquet in Mdina “Mdina Restaurant” (free for all participants, spouses, invited guests)

9:30-10:00 Bus ride back to Westin Dragonara
Wednesday Dec. 14

- Panel Sessions by Theme
  “What are the future priorities and opportunities for each area of Peanut CRSP research?”
- 9:00-12:00 Future Vision: Priorities and Opportunities – Pavilion
  The moderators will give a 5 minute briefing on the general issues around their theme and then allow the participants to work for 20 minutes on a list of priorities and opportunities. The moderator will then collect/discuss the suggestions.
  - 9:00-9:30 The Future of Peanut CRSP
    Dr. Jonathan Williams – Peanut CRSP Director
  - 9:30-10:00 Production – Dr. William Payne *
  - 10:00-10:30 Processing and Industry – Dr. John Cherry *
  - 10:30-10:45 Tea/Coffee Break
  - 10:45-11:15 Consumers and Markets – Dr. Boris Bravo-Ureta *
  - 11:15-12:30 Discussion
- 12:30-2:00 Lunch Break (each person covers her/his meal/everyone on their own)
  - 1:30-2:00 Poster Set-Up time in the Pavilion
- 2:00-5:30 Future Vision: Priorities and Opportunities – Pavilion
  - 2:00-2:30 Nutrition – Dr. Richard Mattes *
  - 2:30-3:00 Mycotoxins – Dr. Dan Brown *
  - 3:00-3:30 Gender – Dr. Carolyn Fonseca *
  - 3:30-4:30 Poster Session (Pavilion) with Tea/Coffee break
  - 4:30-5:30 Discussion
- 7:00 Dinner (free for all participants, spouses, invited guests) Palios – Westin Dragonara
Thursday Dec. 15

- **9:00-12:00 Strategic Planning Session**
- **Peanut CRSP Response**
  - Discussion on Goals, Actions, and Projects
  - Funding and Finances
  - **10:30-10:45 Tea/Coffee break**
  - Recommendations
- **12:00 Conference Conclusion**

**1:00-2:30** PIs and Co-PIs

Financial One-on-One
with Allen Stripling
(Peanut CRSP)