

Programme Summary

Monday, 17th October 2011

- Registration
- Opening Ceremony
 - Welcoming Remarks
 - Official Opening of the Workshop
- Introduction to the Workshop
 - Objectives, Agenda and Programme
 - Getting to Know Each Other
- The Nagoya Protocol
 - Overview of the Nagoya Protocol & Introduction to its Key Concepts
 - Group Work to Deepen the Understanding of the Nagoya Protocol
 - Signature and Ratification
- Implementation: Fields of Action
 - Introduction to the Eight Fields of Action
 - Group Work: First Impressions on the Eight Fields of Action

Tuesday, 18th October 2011

- Implementation: Fields of Action (Cont.)
 - Coming to Grips with the Eight Fields of Action
 - Discussion Key Points
- Implementation: Defining an overall Access and Benefit Sharing Policy/Strategy(ies)
 - Introduction to Fundamental Policy Options
 - Coming to Grips with the Implications of Different Policy Options – Group Exercise
- Preparation of the Field Trip

Wednesday, 19th October 2011

- Case Study: the Sustainable Use of the Strophanthus Kombe in Malawi
 - Field Trip to the Natural Habitat of the Strophanthus Kombe
 - Panel Discussion – When does Access and Benefit Sharing come in?
- Implementation: Phases
- Coming to Grips with Stocktaking and Analysis – Group Exercise

Thursday, 20th October 2011

- Implementation: Phases (Cont.)
 - Sharing Results
 - Links to Decision Making and Implementation
- Implementation: Funding Options and Mechanisms
 - Introduction to Relevant Funds and How to Apply for Them
 - Overview of the Use of Funds for Access and Benefit

Sharing Implementation by Countries participating to the Workshop

- Discussion Key Points
- Outcomes from the Expert Meeting on Access and Benefit Sharing and Intellectual Property Rights
 - Results of the Group Work on Prior Informed Consent, Mutually Agreed Terms, Access Permits and International Certificate of Compliance
 - Question and Answer Session
- Implementation: Role of the National Focal Point
 - ABS National Focal Point and National Competent Authorities in the Nagoya Protocol
 - Discussion Key Points
 - What does a Focal Point do?

Friday, 21st October 2011

- Introduction to Strategic Communication for Access and Benefit Sharing Implementation
 - Some General Things to Know about Communication
 - Strategic Communication for Access and Benefit Sharing Implementation
 - Communicating Access and Benefit Sharing: To Whom?
 - Discussion Key Points
- Focus on the Fields of Action 'Policy/Strategy' and 'Stakeholder Engagement'
 - Who are the Stakeholders?: Stakeholder Map
 - But who are the Stakeholders?: Four Field Analysis

Saturday 22nd October 2011

- Focus on Fields of Action 'Policy/Strategy' and 'Stakeholder Engagement' (cont.)
 - Define your Objectives: Determining Communication Goals
 - Adapt the Communication to the Needs of your Partners: Identifying Messages and Means
 - Reflection on Lessons Learnt
 - Conclusion
- Meeting Evaluation
- Thanks and Closure