



PRE-CONGRESS 'SRI DAY' AT 3rd INTERNATIONAL RICE CONGRESS

Hanoi Hotel, D8 Giang Vo, Ba Dinh, Ha Noi

Monday, November 8, 2010

AGENDA

9:00-9:30 **Opening Session**, [30]

Welcome from Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development: Nguyen Xuan Hong [7]

Welcome from Oxfam America: Brian Lund [7]

Welcome from International SRI Network: Norman Uphoff [7]

'Release' of SRI Booklet: Le Minh [7]

9:30-10:00 **Morning Break + Group photo and possible media interviews [30]**

10:00-12:00 **Challenges and Innovations in Introducing and Scaling-up SRI** [120]

Global overview of SRI: Norman Uphoff [20]

Country experience of India: Guffia Biksham [15]

Country experience of Vietnam: Ngo Tien Dung [15]

Discussion [20]

Country experience of Mali: Erika Styger [15]

Country experience of China: Zhu Defeng and Jianguo Zheng [15]

Discussion [15]

12:00-1:30 **Lunch and networking**

1:30 - 3:00 **SRI, Recent Research Findings, Climate Change** [90]

J-SRI Research Findings and Plans: Eiji Yamaji [10]

IPB Research Findings and Plans: Iswandi [10]

AIT Research Findings and Plans: Abha Mishra [10]

Discussion [25]

Research on Morphology and Physiology: Amod Thakur [10]

Research on Crop Water Potential: Subhendu Goswami [10]

Discussion [15]

3:00-3:30 **Afternoon Break**

3:30 - 4:45 **Open Forum**: Suggestions for International, National and Local SRI Efforts

4:45 – 5:00 **Closing session**: Remarks from MARD/PPD and Oxfam