

NNF Symposium
Crop Improvement in the Gene-Editing Era

Thursday 18 August 2022
DGI Byen (Tietgensgade 65, 1704 Copenhagen V, Denmark)

Morning

08:30-09:30	Registration and coffee
09:00-09:10	Welcome
Session I: Exploiting natural variation for crop improvement	
09:10-09:40	Prof. Nils Stein, Leibniz Institute of Plant Genetics and Crop Plant Research (Gatersleben, Germany)
09:40-10:10	Prof. Kenneth Olsen, Washington University (St. Louis, USA)
10:10-10:25	Short presentation by early-career researcher (TBA)
10:25-10:55	Coffee break
Session I (cont.): Exploiting natural variation for crop improvement	
10:55-11:25	Dr Sanu Arora, John Innes Centre (Norwich, UK)
11:25-11:55	Prof. Stefan Jansson, Umeå University (Umeå, Sweden)
11:55-12:10	Short presentation by young researcher (TBA)
12:10-13:00	Lunch

Afternoon

Session II: Lessons from resilient and perennial crops	
13:00-13:30	Sergey Shabala, University of Tasmania (Hobart, Australia)
13:30-14:00	Assoc. Prof. Anna Westerbergh, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences (Uppsala, Sweden)
14:00-14:15	Short presentation by early-career researcher (TBA)
14:15-15:15	Poster session and networking
15:15-15:30	Short break
Session III: Advances in gene delivery and editing	
15:30-16:00	Prof. Caixia Gao, State Key Laboratory of Plant Cell and Chromosome Engineering (Beijing, China)
16:00-16:30	Assist. Prof. Magdalena Klimek-Chodaka, University of Agriculture Hugo Kołłątaj (Krakow, Poland)
16:30-16:45	Short presentation by early-career researcher (TBA)
16:45-17:15	Coffee break
Session III (cont.): Advances in gene delivery and editing	
17:15-17:45	Prof. Dan Voytas, University of Minnesota (St. Paul, USA)
17:45-18:00	Short presentation by early-career researcher (TBA)
18:00-18:15	Poster prizes and concluding remarks

Evening

18:15-21:00	Dinner and socializing
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