

ILSI[®] International Food Biotechnology Committee

Vision

**IFBiC is a leading resource for science on
agricultural biotechnology.**

Mission Statement

**IFBiC's mission is to transform information into
knowledge that results in harmonized, science-based
decision-making related to agricultural
biotechnology.**

IFBiC - Values

Focus on Science

Outreach

Harmonization

Partnerships

Building Capacity

2011 IFBiC

- **Members**

- BASF
- Bayer CropScience, LP
- Dow AgroSciences, LLC
- Mars Inc.
- Monsanto Company
- Procter & Gamble Company
- Pioneer, A DuPont Company
- Syngenta Biotechnology, Inc

- **Science Advisor**

- Wayne Parrott, University of Georgia

Projected total budget US\$ 764,907

IFBiC Operations Highlights 2010 p1

- Annual meeting session addressed natural variability in plant phenotypes
- Hired a Scientific Officer (kate.walker@ilsi.org)
- Created Working Groups for long-term projects: CCDB and S&D
- Defined Task Force and Working Group member roles to increase involvement and productivity
- Developed and began to implement communications plan
- Held workshop with NAFTA regulators - jointly with HESI

IFBiC Operations Highlights 2010 p2

- TF8 published paper; “Application of food and feed safety assessment principles to evaluate transgenic approaches to gene modulation in crops”
- Significant progress on TF9 and TF10
- Initiated a new task force (TF11) on “intractable” proteins
- Launched version 4 of the Crop Composition Database – faster, more user friendly, and ready for more data
- Published “Improvements to the International Life Sciences Institute Crop Composition Database”
- Participated in/organised 8 workshops and symposia

2010-11 Outreach and Workshops

March 2010	United States	GMA Biotech Committee
May 2010	Columbia	Nutritionally Improved Crops
August 2010	Paraguay	Detection Methods
August 2010	Brazil	Food Safety Assessment
September 2010	Indonesia	Safety Assessment (Stacks)
September 2010	Thailand	Safety Assessment (Stacks)
September 2010	USA	NAFTA regulators workshop
September 2010	Mexico	Food Safety Assessment

2010 Publications

- “Application of food and feed safety assessment principles to evaluate transgenic approaches to gene modulation in crops,”
Parrott et al. *Food Chem. Toxicol.*, 48 (2010) 1773–1790
doi:10.1016/j.fct.2010.04.017
- “Improvements to the International Life Sciences Institute Crop Composition Database: A Report from the ILSI International Food Biotechnology Committee Task Force on Crop Composition.”
Alba et al. *J. Food Comp. and Anal.*, 23 (2010) 741-748
doi:10.1016/j.jfca.2010.03.007

IFBiC Movers and Shakers



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ILSI International Food Biotechnology Committee's Recognition Award

Presented to

Dr. Bryan Delaney

for his hard work and dedication to the success of the
Task Force on Evaluation of Protein Safety
in the Context of Agricultural Biotechnology

Thank you for making it a success!
January 2011

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Dr. Jim Ligon

for his leadership and dedication to the
Task Force on Transgenic Approaches to
Gene Modulation in Crops

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Dr. Wayne Parrott

in grateful thanks for his dedicated service as Science Advisor
to the International Food Biotechnology Committee
and its Task Forces and Working Groups

Thank you for all your hard work!
January 2011

WAITER, THERE'S A GENE IN MY SOUP! FINDING BIOTECHNOLOGY AND EATING IT ANYWAY

2:20 – 3:10 pm

Genevieve Bondy, Health Canada

What do you mean, "It won't do you any harm to eat it?"

Assessment of Food Safety

3:10 – 3:30 pm Break

3:30 – 4:20 pm

William P. Ridley (previously with Monsanto Co.)

What's in this stuff anyway?

Composition of Food and Feed Crops

4:20 – 5:10 pm

Frank Spiegelhalter, Genescan

What if I hadn't seen it was there?

Testing for biotechnology products – Why, how, and are the results really that straightforward?

5:10 – 5:30 pm *Panel Discussion*