

August, 2007 - Report on Upcoming International Invasive Species Meetings

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I. SELECTED WEBSITES WITH INVASIVE SPECIES INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITY LISTINGS:

Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service	http://www.aphis.usda.gov
Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation	http://www.apec.org/
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	http://www.cdc.gov/
Commission for Environmental Cooperation (NAFTA)	http://www.cec.org/home/index.cfm?varlan=english
Convention on Biological Diversity	http://www.biodiv.org/default.shtml
Global Invasive Species Programme	http://www.gisp.org
Inter-American Biodiversity Information Network (IABIN)	http://iabin.net
International Civil Aviation Organization	http://www.icao.int/
International Maritime Organization	http://www.imo.org/index.htm
International Plant Protection Convention	http://www.ippc.int/IPPEn/default.htm
Invasive Animals Cooperative Research Center	http://www.invasiveanimals.com
National Invasive Species Council	http://www.invasivespecies.gov/
National Invasive Species Information Center (USDA)	http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/news/calendar.php
National Plant Board (U.S.A)	http://nationalplantboard.org/
North American Plant Protection Organization	http://www.nappo.org/
North Pacific Marine Science Organization (PICES)	http://www.pices.int
Pacific Region Environmental Programme	http://www.sprep.org
The World Conservation Union	http://www.issg.org/
Trilateral Committee for Wildlife & Ecosystem Conservation and Management	http://www.trilat.org/
World Aquaculture Society	http://www.was.org/main/Default.asp
World Organization for Animal Health	http://www.oie.int/eng/en_index.htm

II. FUTURE INTERNATIONAL INVASIVE SPECIES ACTIVITIES:

7-9 August, 2007 - Managing Vertebrate Invasive Species - An International Symposium -
Fort Collins, Colorado, USA - Contact: Dr. Kathleen Fagerstone
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20-23 August, 2007 - 12th International Conference of the Association of Institutions for
Tropical Veterinary Medicine - Montpellier, France - Contact: <http://aitvm2007.cirad.fr>

30 July to 2 August, 2007 - Regional Workshop on WTO-SPS Agreement with BSE as an example - Chiang Mai, Thailand - Contact: <http://www.oie-jp.org>

27-31 August, 2007 - Asia and Pacific Plant Protection Commission (APPC 25th Session) - Beijing, China - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

27-31 August, 2007 - IPPC Technical Panel on Fruit Flies - Rome, Italy - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

3-5 September, 2007 - 4th Roundtable meeting on FMD control in the Middle East and North Africa - Amman, Jordan - Contact: http://www.oie.int/aac/eng/en_fdc.htm

10-14 September, 2007 - 19th Technical Consultation of Regional Plant Protection Organizations - Ottawa, Ontario, Canada

10-14 September, 2007 - IPPC International Forestry Quarantine Research Group 5th meeting - Rome, Italy - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

17-21 September, 2007 -- 9th International Conference on the Ecology and Management of Alien Plant Invasions (EMAPI9) - Perth, Australia - Contact: <http://www.congresswest.com.au/emapi9/>

17-21 September, 2007 - IPPC Working Group on a possible Compliance Mechanism - Kuching, Malaysia - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

20-25 September, 2007 - International Workshop on Biological Control of Invasive Species of Forests in the United States and P.R. China - Beijing, China - Contact: Yun Wu, 304-285-1594 or ywu@fs.fed.us

23-27 September, 2007 - 15th international Conference on Aquatic Invasive Species - Nijmegen, Netherlands - Contact: <http://www.icaais.org>

24-28 September, 2007 - IPPC Technical Panel on Diagnostic Protocols - Buenos Aires, Argentina - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

26-28 September, 2007 - Prion 2007 International Conference - Edinburgh, Scotland, UK - Contact: <http://www.prion2007.com/home.htm>

28 September, 2007 - IPPC CPM Bureau Meeting - Rome, Italy - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

2-4 October, 2007 - International Invasive Sea Squirt Conference - II - Brudenell River, Prince Edward Island, Canada - Contact: Mary Carman, mcarman@whoi.edu

1-5 October, 2007 - Informal Working Group on Strategic Planning and Technical Assistance (SPTA) - Rome, Italy - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

2-6 October, 2007 - 21st Asian Pacific Weed Science Society (APWSS) Conference - Colombo, Sri Lanka - Contact: <http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/news/calendar.php>

8-12 October, 2007 - IPPC Technical Panel on the Glossary meeting - Rome, Italy - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

15-18 October, 2007 -- Sixteenth International Plant Protection Congress - Glasgow, UK - Contact: <http://www.bcp.org>

17-19 October, 2007 - WTO/SPS Committee Formal Meeting - Geneva, Switzerland - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

22-23 October, 2007 - 2nd Annual Biocontrol Industry Meeting (ABIM) - Lucerne, Switzerland - Contact: <http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/news/calendar.php>

22-25 October, 2007 - NAPPO Annual Meeting - St. John's Newfoundland, Canada - Contact: Steve Cote cotest@inspection.gc.ca

28-October to 2-November, 2007 - 12th World Lakes Conference - Jaipur, India - Contact: <http://www.taal2007.org>

29-October to 2-November, 2007 - IPPC Standards Committee Working Group meeting - Rome, Italy - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

26 October to 4-November, 2007 -- North Pacific Marine Science Organization (PICES) Annual Meeting - Victoria, BC, Canada - Contact: <http://www.pices.int>

29 October to 1 November, 2007 - 9th Conference of the OIE Regional Commission for the Middle East - Damascus, Syria - Contact: http://www.oie.int/eng/en_index.htm

4-8 November - 4th Pan Commonwealth Veterinary Conference (OIE) - Barbados, West Indies - Contact: http://www.oie.int/eng/en_index.htm

5-9 November, 2007 - IPPC Standards Committee meeting - Rome, Italy - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

12-16 November, 2007 - Ecology and Management of Wildlife Diseases - York, United Kingdom - Contact: www.wildlifediseases2007.co.uk

13-15 November, 2007 -Biological Control without Borders - Merida, Mexico - Contact: <http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/news/calendar.php>

15-19 November, 2007 - 5th International Conference on Emerging Zoonoses - Limassol, Cyprus - Contact: zoo2007@targetconf.com

26-30 November, 2007 - 25th Conference of the OIE Regional Commission for Asia, the Far East and Oceania - New Zealand - Contact: <http://events.lincoln.ac.nz/oie>

3-7 December, 2007 - FAO Regional Plant Protection Officers Workshop - Tunisia - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

3-7 December, 2007 - IPPC Technical Panel on Phytosanitary Treatments - Bangkok, Thailand - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

5-7 February, 2008 - International Conference on Biofouling and Ballast Water management - Goa, India - Contact: <http://icbab.nio.org/>

18-22 February, 2008 - CBD 13th meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice (SBSTTA-13) - Rome, Italy - Contact: <http://www.biodiv.org/default.shtml>

2-3 April, 2008 - IPPC 6th Meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Dispute Settlement (SBDS) 2008 - Rome, Italy - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

7-11 April, 2008 - IPPC Commission on Phytosanitary Measures 3rd Session - Rome, Italy - Contact: <http://www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm>

4-8 May, 2008 - 18th Congress of the Latin American Weed Science Society (ALAM)- Belo Horizonte, Brazil - Contact: <http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/news/calendar.php>

6-10 May, 2008 - 3rd European Whitefly Symposium - Aguadulce, Spain - Contact: <http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/news/calendar.php>

19-23 May, 2008 -- World Aquaculture 2008 - Busan, Korea - Contact: <http://www.was.org/meetings/WasMeetings.asp>

19-30 May, 2008 -- Ninth meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity (COP-9)- Bonn, Germany - Contact: <http://www.biodiv.org/default.shtml>

26-30 May, 2008 - Alien Invasive Species and International Trade - Second Meeting of IUF Unit 7.03.12 - Shepherdstown, West Virginia, USA - Contact: Kerry Britton kbritton01@fs.fed.us

27-30 May, 2008 - Weeds Across Borders Conference 2008 - Banff, Alberta, Canada - Contact: <http://www.invasiveplants.ab.ca>

10-14 June, 2008 - 14th Australasian Vertebrate Pest conference - Darwin, Australia - Contact: <http://www.abcon.biz/vertebrate.html>

23-26 June, 2008 - 5th International Weed Science Congress - Vancouver, Canada - Contact: Mr. Fischer AJFischer@ucdavis.edu

27-31 July, 2008 - 29th World Veterinary Congress - Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada -
Contact: www.meet-ics.com/wvac2008

16-26 October, 2008 -- North Pacific Marine Science Organization (PICES) Annual Meeting -
Dalian, China - Contact: <http://www.pices.int>

**28-October to 4-November, 2008 - Ramsar Convention Wetlands' 10th Meeting of the
Conference of the Contracting Parties** - Contact: RAMSAR Convention Secretariat
ramsar@ramsar.org

15-19 February, 2009 -- World Aquaculture Society: Aquaculture America 2009 - Seattle,
Washington, USA - Contact: <http://www.was.org/meetings/WasMeetings.asp>

24-26 March, 2009 - Sixth International IPM Symposium "Transcending Boundaries -
Portland, Oregon, USA - Contact: <http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/news/calendar.php>

**1-5 November, 2009 - America Society of Agronomy/Crop Science Society of America/Soil
Science Society of America international Annual Meeting** - Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, USA -
Contact: <http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/news/calendar.php>