



Kick-off meeting of the ECPGR Activity – EURO-POTATOES

(Get Potatoes United – Collaboration Action for Updating the Virtual European Potato Collection)

19-20 March 2024, Warsaw, Poland

Agenda

Monday 18 March

Arrival of meeting participants

Tuesday 19 March

8:00	Pick-up by bus at Hotel Ibis Warszawa Centrum (Al. Solidarnosci 165, Warsaw)
9:00-9:10	Welcome by the WG Chair and local hosts (VM. Rokka and Renata Lebecka)
9:10-9:20	Short introduction of participants
9:20-9.40	The ECPGR Potato WG, a retrospective (Roel Hoekstra)
9.40-10:00	Introduction to EURO-POTATOES Project (VM. Rokka)
10:00-10:30	Nordic potato collection at NordGen (Pawel Chrominski)
10:30-11:00	Coffee break
11:00-11:15	Diploid potato collection in Poland (Paulina Smyda-Dajmund)
11:15-11:45	Status report on potato genetic resources in Germany – towards a bio digital Resource Centre (<i>Klaus Dehmer</i>)
11:45-12:00	DNA fingerprinting of potato varieties at SASA (Alex Reid, not present on site)
12:00-12:15	Status of the Romanian Potato Genetic Resources Collection (<i>Cezar Virgil Hatnean</i>)
12:15-12:30	The Potato Gene Bank in Poland (Krzysztof Treder)
12:30-13:30	Lunch
13:30-14:00	Information on ECPGR Phase XI (Lorenzo Maggioni)





14:00-14:30	Potato collection in Latvia and MainPotRe Project (<i>Ilze Dimante</i>)
14:30-15:00	Potato gene bank activities in France (Florence Esnault)
15:00-15:30	Coffee break
15:30-16:00	Potato collection and activities in Georgia (Rusudan Mdivani)
16:00-16:20	Case study on genotyping with SNPs – identifying "heritage" varieties (<i>Morten Rasmussen</i>)
16:20-17:00	Meeting – activation for collaboration, discussion on genotyping efforts (<i>All, Chaired by V-M Rokka and Pawel Chrominski</i>)
19:00	Social dinner (Restaurant Mykonos, ul. Grzybowska 62, Warsaw)

Wednesday 20 March 2024

8:00	Pick-up by bus at Hotel Ibis Warszawa Centrum (Al. Solidarnosci 165, Warsaw)
9:00- 9:15	Welcome and short introduction on the National Centre for Plant Genetic Resources, IHAR-PIB (<i>Anna Rucińska</i>)
9:15 – 10:15	Meeting - AEGIS (to be presented by <i>Lorenzo Maggioni</i>) with discussions, other project topics (<i>All, Chaired by V-M Rokka and Lorenzo Maggioni</i>)
10:15-10:30	Final discussion on EuroPotatoes Project, what's next? (All, <i>Chaired by V-M Rokka and Pawel Chrominski</i>)
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee break
11:00 - 12:00	Visit to relevant sections of the institute
12:00-13:00	Lunch
13:00	Return back home by participants (Bus to the airport/Warsaw)