







MANGO BIOSECURITY PREPAREDNESS WORKSHOP PROGRAM



Wednesday 7 May 2025



09:00 - 17:00



Owen J Wordsworth Room

Queensland University of Technology, Gardens Point Campus, Brisbane CBD

Time	Topic	Speaker	
09:00	Opening, welcome and housekeeping		
09:20	Introductions		
OUR FOCUS ON BIOSECURITY			
09:40	The essential need for collaboration and partnerships	Trevor Dunmall, Australian Mangoes	
10:00	 What is preparedness? Is preparedness different for different sectors/ people? 	Interactive session	
10:20	Morning Tea		
PREPAREDNESS AND THE IMPACT ON TRADE			
10:50	Preparedness in Action	Brett Jackson, QDPI	
	The strategic direction for Interstate Trade	Lois Ransom, former Australian Chief Plant Protection Officer	
	Developing secure pathways	Tong Chen, DEECA	
12:00	Lunch		
SECURE PATHWAYS FOR TRADE			
13:00	Mapping a secure pathway	Interactive session	
13:30	Opportunities for secure pathways/protocols to be developed - initially focus on interstate trade - share and describe the challenges and roadblocks	Small group discussions	
14:50	Afternoon Tea		
15:20	Addressing challenges and roadblocks	Interactive session	
16:00	When no one cares - How do we address the issues caused by abandoned orchards and other 'feral' crops	Interactive session	
17:00	Social drinks		



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Registrations close Thursday 17 April









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08:45 - 16:30



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Time	Topic	Speaker		
08:45	Recap of day 1			
IMPROVING BIOSECURITY WHERE IT MATTERS				
09:00	Close encounters - What are we seeing at and close to the border?	Todd Greenwood, DAFF		
09:30	Regional and orchard/business biosecurity plans - essential components	Small group discussions		
10:30	Morning Tea			
COLLABORATION AND PERSPECTIVE				
11:00	How commercial nurseries manage biosecurity and trade	John McDonald, GLI		
	An Ausveg perspective – the focus of the Big Veg/ Vegwatch project	Rose Daniel, Ausveg		
	Preparing for an incursion – understanding ORC's and the importance of keeping business data/records	Sally Heaton, NTDAF		
	Communication and engagement in the biosecurity space	Louise Morgan, QDPI		
12:30	Lunch			
PATHWAYS TO A BETTER FUTURE				
13:20	What does our biosecurity system really need?	Panel discussion		
	Engagement : Describe what biosecurity engagement activities have had a real impact - what can we learn?	Small group breakout session: Workshop participants choose one or multiple topics to contribute to. (Afternoon tea available throughout session)		
	Collaboration: What are actions we can take to improve collaboration?			
13:50	Abandoned orchards and feral crops: Finding the pathway to a solution.			
	Traceability: How important is traceability in managing an incursion and what information should government, growers and industry maintain?			
15:10	Report back and share ideas			
15:40	Workshop summary and next steps			
16:00	Close			



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