



PLANT GENOMICS IN CHINA VI

The First Announcement

The 6th Conference of Plant Genomics in China will be held **August 17 to 20, 2005 in Kunming**. This symposium will emphasize new progresses on plant genomics.

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Themes

Plant Genome Sequence Analysis Plant Functional Genomics
Comparative Genomics Plant Proteomics Bioinformatics
Plant Molecular Breeding

Confirmed plenary speakers

Dr. Xiaoya Chen (China)	Dr. Xingwang Deng (USA)
Dr. Joseph Ecker (USA)	Dr. Bernhard Grimm (Germany)
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General information

Registration Fee: The registration fee is 600 RMB for regular individuals who register before May 31st, 2005, 300 RMB for students. After the date, the fee will be increased to 800 RMB for regular individuals and 400 RMB for students, and there will be no guarantee for the abstract to be included in the printed Abstract Book.

Posters: Posters in all the topics are encouraged.

Submission of abstracts: The abstracts submitted for the Symposium are expected to contain new information of high scientific standards. An abstract of no more than 500 words should be submitted by **June 20th, 2005**, by e-mail in a file prepared, preferably, in Microsoft Word, following the template provided on the website <http://www.ricefgchina.org/PGCVI>

Commercial demonstration and exhibitions: Space will be provided for commercial exhibitions. Please contact the organizers for registration fees before June 20th. Donations and sponsorships by commercial companies are welcome and will be acknowledged by providing spaces in the Abstract Book for advertising.

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