

Programme for 2022

09. February 2022, *“A tale of two teosintes: the hybrid origin of maize”*,
Prof. Dr. Jeffrey Ross-Ibara, University of California, Davis, USA, ZOOM

22. March 2022, *“Origin and evolution of auxin response”*, **Prof. Dr. Dolf Weijers**, Wageningen University, The Netherlands, ZOOM

20. April 2022, *“Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services: Insights from IPBES and IPCC Intergovernmental Processes”*, **Prof. Dr. Josef Settele**, Helmholtz-Centre for Environmental Research (UFZ), Halle, ZOOM/in presence

24. May 2022, *“The Art and Design of Harmony in Arbuscular Mycorrhizal Symbiosis of Cereals”*, **Prof. Dr. Uta Paszkowski**, University of Cambridge, United Kingdom, ZOOM/in presence

07. June 2022, *“Studies in Near Eastern plant domestication; the minority view”*, **Prof. Dr. Shahal Abbo**, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel, ZOOM/in presence

12. July 2022, *“From molecular to evolutionary analysis: genomics-based dissection of the wheat - powdery mildew interaction”*, **Prof. Dr. Beat Keller**, University of Zurich, Switzerland, ZOOM/in presence

20. September 2022, *“The Dynamics of Root Development”*, **Prof. Dr. Philipp Benfey**, Duke University, Durham, USA, ZOOM/in presence

25. October 2022, *“Breeding wheat for the world: opportunities & challenges”*,
Dr. Alison Bentley, CIMMYT, Mexico, ZOOM/in presence

15. November 2022, *“Inflorescence development in response to abiotic stress in barley”*, **Prof. Dr. Maria von Korff Schmising**, Heinrich-Heine-Universität / CEPLAS, Düsseldorf, Germany, ZOOM/in presence

06. December 2022, *“Discovery and Engineering of Plant Chemistry for Plant and Human Health”*, **Assoc. Prof. Dr. Elizabeth Sattely**, Stanford University & HHMI, Shriram Center for Biological and Chemical Engineering, Stanford, USA, ZOOM/in presence

13. December 2022, *“Fascinating World of Plant Volatiles: Beyond the Traditional View”*, **Prof. Dr. Natalia Doudareva**, Distinguished Professor of Biochemistry and Director of the Center for Plant Biology, Purdue University, College of Agriculture, Lafayette, USA, ZOOM/in presence