



CABI Americas and Europe Regional Consultation





Welcome to CABI's Americas and Europe Regional Consultation

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THEME

Partnership *for research, delivery and impact*

"Individually, we are one drop. Together, we are an ocean." –
Ryunosuke Satoro



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introduce yourselves
through the Chat



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meeting for notes-taking purposes

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Goals and objectives of CABI's Regional Consultations

As an intergovernmental organisation, CABI's strategies, programmes and projects are driven by the concerns and needs of its 49 Member Countries and other stakeholders.

Overall Goals:

1. CABI's triennial Regional Consultations serve as a mechanism for CABI to listen and engage directly with its Member Countries and other stakeholders, helping shape CABI's next three-year Medium-Term Strategy
2. This process enables CABI to align its work more effectively with national and regional needs and helps to develop mutually-agreed frameworks for appropriately funded and resourced projects, with commitment from both CABI and its Member Countries



Specific Objectives for 2022 Regional Consultations:

- To build on points addressed in the Stakeholder Survey regarding CABI's future direction
- To explore specific regional perspectives and priorities
- **To share experiences and perspectives, and discuss how we can build the sustainable partnerships needed to achieve the proposed goals**





1. TOWARDS CABI'S NEXT MEDIUM-TERM STRATEGY

1245-1300	Zoom open to all participants
1300-1310	Welcome, opening remarks, and introduction, Dr Ulrich Kuhlmann , Executive Director, Global Operations
1310-1345	Stakeholder Survey Results and the Medium-term Strategy 2023-25, Dr Daniel Elger , CEO, CABI Questions and observations
1345-1405	CABI in the Americas and Europe – Experience and perspectives, Dr Richard Shaw , Senior Regional Director, Europe and the Americas, CABI

2. PANEL: BUILDING SUSTAINABLE PARTNERSHIPS

1405–1410	Introduction to the question: <i>“Sustainable partnerships between CABI, its Members, and other stakeholders are key to meeting the goals CABI has proposed. What mechanisms and approaches are needed to achieve such partnerships in the Americas and Europe?”</i>
1410-1500	Panel discussion with invited speakers Questions and answers
1500-1515	Break

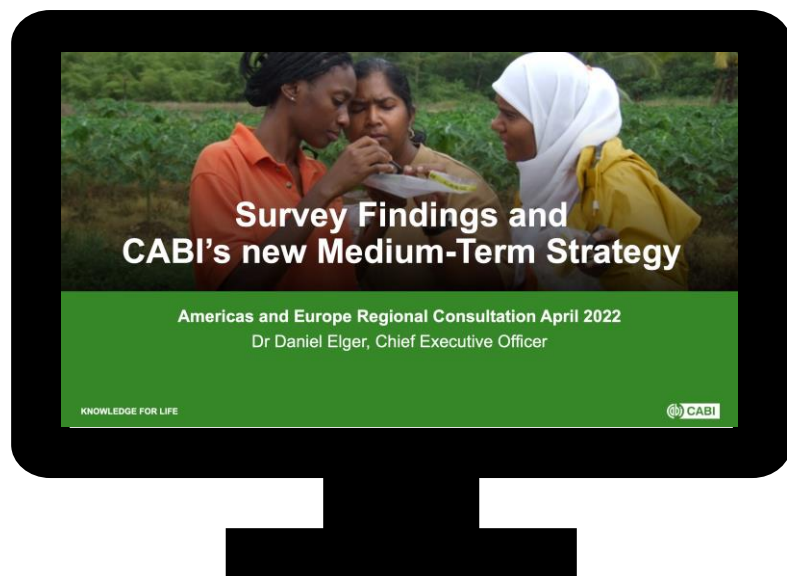
3. MODERATED DISCUSSION ON: PARTNERSHIP FOR RESEARCH, DELIVERY AND IMPACT

1515-1550	Further perspectives and open discussion on how to achieve the draft goals CABI has proposed
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4. CONCLUSIONS AND NEXT STEPS

1550–1600	Summary and close, Dr Dennis Rangi , DG for Development, CABI
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Session 1: Towards CABI's next Medium Term Strategy



Stakeholder Survey Results and the Medium-term Strategy 2023-25

Dr Daniel Elger, CEO, CABI
Questions and observations



CABI in the Americas and Europe – Experience and perspectives

Dr Richard Shaw, Senior Regional Director, Europe and the Americas, CABI



Session 2: Panel on Building Sustainable Partnerships

“Sustainable partnerships between CABI, its Members, and other stakeholders are key to meeting the goals CABI has proposed. What mechanisms and approaches are needed to achieve such partnerships in the Americas and Europe?”

Panellists:

1. **Mrs Yasmin JOHNSON**, Director of Plant Health, Bahamas Agricultural Health and Food Safety Authority (BAHFSA), the Ministry of Agriculture, **the Bahamas**
2. **Dr Adeney DE FREITAS BUENO**, Entomology Researcher and International Coordinator, The Brazilian Agricultural Research Corporation (Embrapa), **Brazil**
3. **Dr Marcos ALVAREZ**, Director, Ottawa Research and Development Centre, Science and Technology Branch, Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada (AAFC), **Canada**
4. **Dr Ansari HOSEIN**, Executive Director, Caribbean Agricultural Research and Development Institute (CARDI)
5. **Dr Baldissera GIOVANI**, Co-ordinator, **Euphresco**
6. **Mrs Marina YOUNG**, Acting Chief Executive Officer of the Rural Agricultural Development Authority, The Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, **Jamaica**

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Panellist 1:

Mrs Yasmin JOHNSON

Director of Plant Health, Bahamas Agricultural Health and Food Safety Authority (BAHFSA), the Ministry of Agriculture, **the Bahamas**

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Panellist 4:

**Dr. Adeney de FREITAS
BUENO**

Entomology Researcher and International Coordinator, The Brazilian Agricultural Research Corporation (Embrapa), **Brazil**

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Panellist 2:

Dr Marcos ALVAREZ

Director, Ottawa Research and Development Centre, Science and Technology Branch, Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada (AAFC),
Canada

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Panellist 3:

Dr Ansari HOSEIN

Executive Director, Caribbean Agricultural Research and Development Institute (**CARDI**)

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Panellist 5:

Dr Baldissera GIOVANI

Co-ordinator, Euphresco

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Panellist 6:

Mrs Marina YOUNG

Acting Chief Executive Officer, the Rural Agricultural Development Authority, Ministry of Industry, Commerce, Agriculture and Fisheries, Jamaica

Break for 15 minutes

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Session 3: Moderated discussion on Partnership for Research, Delivery and Impact



Further perspectives and open discussion on
how to achieve the draft goals CABI has proposed

To be facilitated by **Mrs Joan Fanning**, Principal of Luma Consulting

*"Many ideas grow better when transplanted into another mind than
the one where they sprang up."*

– Oliver Wendell Holmes



Session 4: Conclusions and Next Steps



Vote of Thanks: for active participation and valuable insights

What happens next?

CABI staff will answer the questions we were not able to get to after this meeting

CABI will send a link to a very short – 4 question evaluation – so that we can improve our engagement

The consultation process is **an ongoing dialogue** & will be continued through Quarterly Briefings (28 July and 19 Oct.), Review Conference & other bilateral meetings

Session 4: Conclusions and Next Steps



The outcomes from this Regional Consultation will:

- be consolidated with those from other two forthcoming regional consultations
- influence the further development of CABI's Medium Term Strategy 2023-25 (MTS)
- be used to identify and implement agreed joint initiatives with MCs and other stakeholders
- be fed into the CABI Review Conference 2022


Draft MTS will be reviewed at the Review Conference, and its final approval be sought before or at the next Executive Council meeting (tentatively scheduled for 2nd March 2023)



Review Conference 2022

The **2022 Review Conference** will take place in the UK on **27th and 28th September 2022** at the Oxford Thames hotel – please save the dates in your calendar!

We will be sending invites after the Regional Consultations and look forward to welcoming member country representatives and other stakeholders to the conference.



*If you want to go fast, go alone.
If you want to go far, go together.*

— African Proverb

Goodbye and see you again!



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