

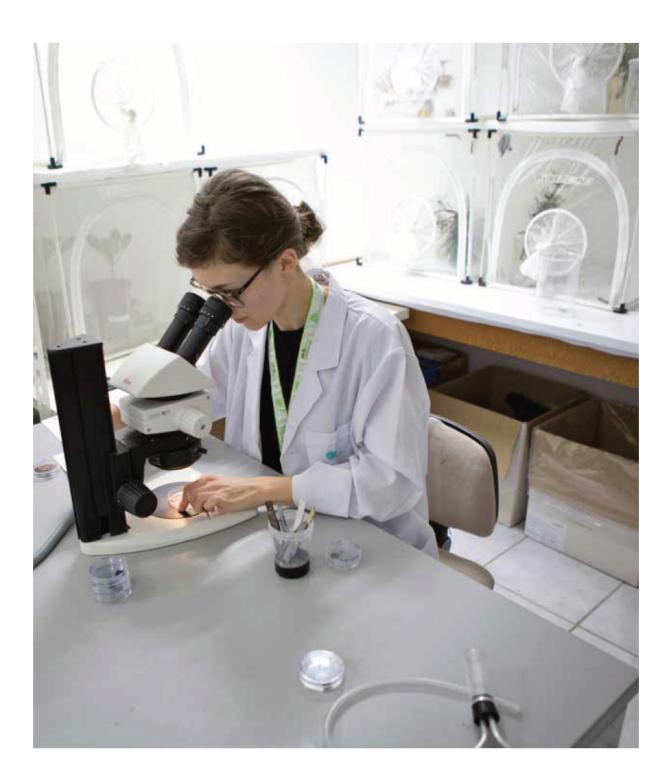


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## 1. Implementing the CABI Science Strategy

In this section we present highlights from a number of areas anticipated in the CABI Science Strategy,¹ 2017–2019, much of it supported by the CABI Development Fund (CDF). This includes an external review of CABI's science commissioned in 2020, to report in April 2021. The review team comprised Prof. Christian Borgemeister (chair), Prof. Wanjiku Chiuri, Dr C. André Lévesque, Dr Willem J. Ravensberg, Dr Katherine Warner and Prof. Sileshi Gudeta Weldesemayat, with editorial assistance from Janet Stewart. The terms of reference include a retrospective analysis of CABI's science programme since the last review (2015), addressing questions including:

- Response to and implementation of recommendations from the 2015 Science Review
- Delivery on the CABI Science Strategy 2016–2019
- · Scientific publications' quality and impact
- · Quality of science/resources/people in key areas
- Science relevance/responsiveness to member country priorities
- The role of strategic scientific institutional partnerships (e.g. joint labs)
- Communication of our science outputs (visibility, website, social media)
- Development of CABI's social and economic science capability
- CABI's response to the Nagoya Protocol (ABS policy, guidelines and progress with implementation)

and analysis and recommendations for the future, including aspects such as:

- What should CABI's focus areas be, building on current areas of actual (or perceived) strength?
   Specifically include consideration of social and economic science, impact assessment, climate change and gender among other topics
- Based on the identified key areas to build on for the future, how do we optimize our science programme towards achieving CABI's mission and goals?
- What new and emerging technologies, facilities and skillsets should we consider in order to pursue the recommended focus areas?
- Accordingly, identify areas where stronger external links and collaboration including existing and potential joint labs with national agricultural research partners would lead to greater impact in prioritized areas, and suggest good strategic partners
- The future role of young researchers in CABI's science strategy (research studentships; MAS-ICM students; future staff members) and how this could be resourced
- Comment on the need for a CABI ethics review/oversight process, and what form(s) this might take
- The optimum inter-relationship between CABI's science programme and CABI Publishing initiatives (particularly CABI Agriculture and Bioscience, agrXriv, SciDevNet)
- How should we disseminate, monitor and evaluate our science going forwards, including
  publications, open access and social media? Comment on CABI's current policy, guidelines and
  future targets with regard to open access of publications and open data

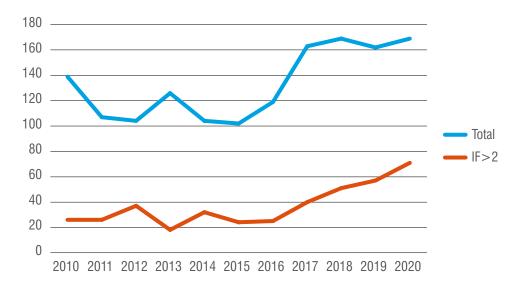
The outputs of the review will be reflected in an update of CABI's Science Strategy to be prepared in 2021.

<sup>1</sup> https://www.cabi.org/Uploads/CABI/about-us/4.8.5-other-business-policies-and-strategies/Science%20strategy.pdf

## Maintain CABI's annual publication record

It is one of CABI's corporate key performance indicators to produce at least 100 scientific publications each year, of which at least 30 are in journals with an impact factor greater than 2.00 that year. The table below summarizes the listings that are shown later in this report (Section 2), while the graph shows the trend since 2010; it can be seen that we significantly exceeded both targets in 2020.

Scientific publications in 2020	Open access	Not open access	Total
Total number of publications	102	67	169
Number of peer-reviewed publications	94	39	133
Number of publications in journals with a 2019 impact factor >2	50	21	71
Papers with a social and economic science focus	23	5	28
Not peer-reviewed	2	13	15
Books, proceedings and manuals		3	5
Book chapters and proceedings papers	12	4	16



Total annual number of publications by CABI staff since 2010, and the number appearing in journals with an impact factor greater than 2.00 (IF>2)

Since 2018, a second CABI corporate key performance indicator has been that at least 15 of our published papers should have a strong social and/or economic focus. In 2020, 28 publications were considered to meet this criterion.

## CABI's research published open access

In a further CABI corporate key performance indicator, CABI aimed to publish its research open access, depending on the requirements of the sponsors, specifically all of CABI's core research published in peer-reviewed journals with a CABI staff member lead or corresponding author should be open access. In 2020, 43 of 47 such papers (91%) were published open access (section 2.4.2). The costs were met from projects (when appropriate), CDF and centre budgets.

#### Support for the preparation of research papers

CABI has used CDF funding to support the publication of selected papers, particularly those arising from completed projects, where resources are not otherwise available. The following papers published in 2020 received support in this way.

**Babendreier, D.**, Hou, M., **Tang, R.**, **Zhang, F.**, Vongsabouth, T., Win, K.K., Kang, M., Peng, H., Song, K., **Annamalai, S.** and Horgan, F.G. (2020) Biological control of lepidopteran pests in rice: a multi-nation case study from Asia. *Journal of Integrated Pest Management* 11(1, 5), 11 pp. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1093/jipm/pmaa002">https://doi.org/10.1093/jipm/pmaa002</a>

**Witt, A.B.R., Nunda, W., Beale, T.** and Kriticos, D.J. (2020) A preliminary assessment of the presence and distribution of invasive and potentially invasive alien plant species in Laikipia County, Kenya, a biodiversity hotspot. *Koedoe* 62(1), a1605, 10 pp. <a href="https://doi.org/10.4102/koedoe.v62i1.1605">https://doi.org/10.4102/koedoe.v62i1.1605</a>

Wyckhuys, K.A.G., Lu, Y., Zhou, W., **Cock, M.J.W.**, Naranjo, S.E., Fereti, A., **Williams, F.E.** and Furlong, M.J. (2020) Ecological pest control fortifies agricultural growth in Asia–Pacific economies. *Nature Ecology and Evolution* 4(11), 1522–1530. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1038/s41559-020-01294-y">https://doi.org/10.1038/s41559-020-01294-y</a>

## CABI scientific publication recognition scheme 2019

A Scientific Publication Recognition scheme for CABI's scientists was designed, resourced from the CDF, and piloted across CABI in 2017. In 2020, five awards to recognise achievements in 2019 were made of £2000, each to be spent as the awardee decided in support of CABI's scientific programme.

- **Award 1**: The CABI staff member with the largest number of authored/co-authored papers in journals with 2019 IF>2 in 2019. Marc Kenis for ten authored/co-authored papers.
- **Award 2**: The CABI staff member who has published a paper as first author in the highest impact factor journal in 2019. René Eschen for the following paper: **Eschen, R.**, O'Hanlon, R., Santini, A., Vannini, A., Roques, A., Kirichenko, N. and **Kenis, M.** (2019) Safeguarding global plant health: the rise of sentinels. *Journal of Pest Science* 92, 29–36. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1007/s10340-018-1041-6">https://doi.org/10.1007/s10340-018-1041-6</a> (Impact factor 5.133).
- Award 3: The CABI staff member with a paper (authored/co-authored) published since 1 January 2015 with the largest number of citations on Google scholar, as established on 31 December 2019. René Eschen and Marc Kenis for the following paper with 173 citations: Roy, H.E. and 55 co-authors including Eschen, R. and Kenis, M. (2016) The harlequin ladybird, Harmonia axyridis: global perspectives on invasion history and ecology. Biological Invasions 18(4), 997–1044. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1007/s10530-016-1077-6">https://doi.org/10.1007/s10530-016-1077-6</a>
- Award 4: The CABI staff member with the first author paper with a social or economic science focus in the journal with the highest impact factor in 2019. Monica Kansiime for the paper: Kansiime, M.K., Mugambi, I., Rwomushana, I., Nunda, W., Lamontagne-Godwin, J., Rware, H., Phiri, N.A., Chipabika, G., Ndlovu, M. and Day, R. (2019) Farmer perception of fall armyworm (Spodoptera frugiperda J.E. Smith) and farm-level management practices in Zambia. Pest Management Science 75(10), 28400–2850. https://doi.org/10.1002/ps.5504
- Award 5: The CABI staff early career scientist (no PhD or PhD held less than three years on 1 January 2020) who has published a paper as first author in the highest impact factor journal in 2019. Muhammad Faheem for the following paper: Faheem, M., Saeed, S., Sajjad, A., Wang, S. and Ali, A. (2019) Spatio-temporal variations in wheat aphid populations and their natural enemies in four agroecological zones of Pakistan. PLoS ONE 14(9):e0222635, 14 pp. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0222635">https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0222635</a> (Impact factor 2.776)

Although not in recognition of publications as such, a new award in a similar format is being introduced in 2021. Named after our late colleague, the Carol Ellison Science Award will be awarded to a student doing her/his research with CABI, or an early career CABI researcher, with the objective of enriching their research experience with CABI.

#### CABI Scientific Outputs Portal (CSOP) further developed and updated

All new scientific papers, articles and reports published by CABI scientists are available on the website <a href="https://www.cabi.org/cso">www.cabi.org/cso</a>. Only new publications were added during 2020, and by the end of the year, the CSOP held 6,585 records, an increase from 6,305 records at the end of 2019.

#### Effective scientific reporting mechanisms

The Science Strategy recognized the need for a record of work to monitor publications, reports, talks and posters presented, research students, major scientific contributions, etc. This annual science report provides the primary record of all these scientific outputs (sections 2 and 3). In addition, an internal publications pipeline spreadsheet is in use which enables the progress of all staff publications to be monitored from concept to publication.

### Public relations support for CABI's scientific papers published in 2020

The CABI communications team supports its scientists with a full range of public relations (PR), marketing and design functions including the drafting and issuing of press releases using the EurekAlert! and AlphaGalileo platforms and databases, the writing of blogs for the CABI Blog, Invasives Blog and Plantwise Blog, as well as writing thought leadership articles for placement in external media. Posts are made on CABI's News, Invasives and Plantwise Twitter, Facebook and LinkedIn accounts (linking to the news stories on CABI's website and/or the paper).

During 2020, the CABI communications team provided PR support for 26 papers. These were selected based on CABI's role, the impact of the journal and the perceived newsworthiness of the science published. For these 26 papers, a total of 394 items of media coverage were generated, with a combined estimated audience reach of over 45 million.

The three papers with the most media coverage achieved were:

- Schaffner, U., Steinbach, S., Sun, Y., Skjøth, C.A., Weger, L.A. de, Lommen, S.T., Augustinus, B.A., Bonini, M., Karrer, G., Šikoparija, B., Thibaudon, M. and Müller-Schärer, H. (2020) Biological weed control to relieve millions from *Ambrosia* allergies in Europe. *Nature Communications* 11(1745), 7 pp. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1038/s41467-020-15586-1">https://doi.org/10.1038/s41467-020-15586-1</a> 108 items of coverage and a reach of 23 million.
- **Taylor, P.** and **Reeder, R.** (2020) Antibiotic use on crops in low and middle-income countries based on recommendations made by agricultural advisors. *CABI Agriculture and Bioscience* 1(1), 14 pp. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1186/s43170-020-00001-y">https://doi.org/10.1186/s43170-020-00001-y</a> 83 items of media coverage and a reach of 10 million.
- Pathak, A., Nowell, R.W., Wilson, C.G., Ryan, M.J. and Barraclough, T.G. (2020) Comparative genomics of Alexander Fleming's original *Penicillium* isolate (IMI 15378) reveals sequence divergence of penicillin synthesis genes. *Scientific Reports* 10, 15705 [10 pp.]. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1038/s41598-020-72584-5">https://doi.org/10.1038/s41598-020-72584-5</a>
   85 pieces of coverage and a reach of 9 million.

## Research students (MSc, PhD etc.) and interns (summer students)

In 2020, we hosted 26 research students (section 4.3, 13 MSc and 11 PhD) and 22 interns, of whom 13 were at the centre in Switzerland (section 4.7).

## Strategically important scientific review/synthesis papers published

The CABI Science Strategy calls for CABI staff to be involved in the publication of strategically important scientific review/synthesis papers. Examples from 2020 in which CABI staff took a lead include:

**Babendreier, D., Agboyi, L.K.**, Beseh, P., Osae, M., Nboyine, J., Ofori, S.E.K., Frimpong, J.O., **Clottey, V.A.** and **Kenis, M.** (2020) The efficacy of alternative, environmentally friendly plant protection measures for control of fall armyworm, *Spodoptera frugiperda*, in maize. *Insects* 11(240), 21 pp. <a href="https://doi.org/10.3390/insects11040240">https://doi.org/10.3390/insects11040240</a>

**Hinz, H.L.**, Winston, R.L. and Schwarzländer, M. (2020) A global review of target impact and direct nontarget effects of classical weed biological control. *Current Opinion in Insect Science* 38, 48–53. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cois.2019.11.006">https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cois.2019.11.006</a>

**Schaffner, U.**, Hill, M., Dudley, T. and D'Antonio, C. (2020) Post-release monitoring in classical biological control of weeds: assessing impact and testing pre-release hypotheses. *Current Opinion in Insect Science* 38, 99–106. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cois.2020.02.008

#### The BIOCAT database

CABI's BIOCAT database is a record of the use of insect biological control agents for the control of insect pests. Work continued to update the database and a start was made in the development of a user interface to allow public access. One paper was published in 2020 that benefited from the use of data extracted from BIOCAT:

Wyckhuys, K.A.G., Lu, Y., Zhou, W., **Cock, M.J.W.**, Naranjo, S.E., Fereti, A., **Williams, F.E.** and Furlong, M.J. (2020) Ecological pest control fortifies agricultural growth in Asia–Pacific economies. *Nature Ecology and Evolution* 4(11), 1522–1530. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1038/s41559-020-01294-y">https://doi.org/10.1038/s41559-020-01294-y</a>

## 2. Scientific outputs

## 2.1. Honours, honorary roles

Location	Name	Honour / role	Date(s)
Brazil	Colmenarez, Yelitza	Member, Advisory Panel, International Organisation for Biological Control – Neotropical Regional Section (IOBC – NRS)	From 2010
Brazil	Colmenarez, Yelitza	Coordinator, Working Group Conservation Biocontrol, working group of the IOBC – NRS	From 2019
Brazil	Colmenarez, Yelitza	Member, Working Group on Parasitoids of Neotropical Region, working group of the IOBC – NRS	From 2014
China	Li, Hongmei	Adjunct Professor, Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences – Institute of Plant Protection	From 2019
China	Li, Hongmei	Postgraduate Supervisor, Beijing University of Agriculture	From 2019
China	Zhang, Feng	Adjunct Professor, Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences – Institute of Plant Protection	From 2013
China	Zhang, Jinping	Adjunct Professor, Jilin Agricultural University	From 2018
Hungary	Toepfer, Stefan	Adjunct Professor, Faculty of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences, Szent Istvan University, Godollo, Hungary	From 2012
Hungary	Toepfer, Stefan	Visiting Professorship, Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences – Institute of Plant Protection	From 2015

Kanajima Manjaa:	Mambar of multi-institutional Production Committee of the National	From 2019
Karanja, Daniel;	Horticulture Transformation Technical Working Group (NHTTWG),	110111 2019
Oduor, George;	Agricultural Research, Ministry of Agriculture Livestock Fisheries	
Mulema, Joseph	Member of Platform for Agricultural Risk Management (PARM) Advisory Committee	From 2020
Mulema, Joseph	Member of Steering Committee for Intersectoral Forum on F	
Oduor, George	Standards and Trade Development Facility Working Group	From 2018
Rwomushana, Ivan	Member of the Emergency Locust Response Programme National Project Steering Committee	From 2020
Rwomushana, Ivan	Member of the FAO Africa Regional Fall Armyworm Steering Group	From 2020
Witt, Arne	Member Invasive Species Specialist Group (International Union for Conservation of Nature)	From 2014
Annamalai, Sivapragasam	Member, Advisory Panel for Coconut R&D projects in MARDI	Ongoing
Annamalai, Sivapragasam	Member, Editorial Board, Vietnam Academy of Agricultural Sciences	Ongoing
Babendreier, Dirk	Visiting Professorship, Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences – Institute of Plant Protection	From 2018
Eschen, René	Member of the International Forest Quarantine Research Group	From 2010
Eschen, René	Coordinator, Working Group 7.03.12 – Alien invasive species and international trade, International Union of Forest Research Organizations	From 2014
Eschen, René	Member of the International Union of Forest Research Organizations Task Force Forests and Biological Invasions	From 2015
Haye, Tim	Member of Swiss Committee for Biosafety	From 2015
Haye, Tim	Member of the PhD Council in Agri-Food Sciences, Technologies and Bio-Technologies (STEBA), University of Modena und Reggio	
Hinz, Hariet	Affiliated Professor, Department of Plant, Soil and Entomological	
Hinz, Hariet	Co-convenor, IOBC Study Group on Classical Weed Biological Control	
Kenis, Marc	Member of the Scientific Committee of the Swiss Biological Records Center	
Kenis, Marc	Coordinator of the Fall Army Worm sub-group of the IOBC-IWGO	From 2020
Kenis, Marc	Co-chair of the FAO technical working group for biological control	From 2020 From 2000
Kuhlmann, Ulrich	Adjunct Professor, Department of Entomology, University of Manitoba, Canada	
Kuhlmann, Ulrich	Convenor, International Working Group of Ostrinia and other maize pests – a global working group of the International Organization of Biological Control	
Kuhlmann, Ulrich	Member, International Advisory Board of IPP-CAAS, China	From 2018
Kuhlmann, Ulrich	Visiting Professorship, Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences – Institute of Plant Protection	
Schaffner, Urs	Affiliated Professor, Department of Plant, Soil and Entomological Sciences, University of Idaho, USA	From 2008
	Migiro, Lorna; Oduor, George; Oronje, Mary Lucy Mulema, Joseph  Oduor, George Rwomushana, Ivan  Rwomushana, Ivan Witt, Arne  Annamalai, Sivapragasam Annamalai, Sivapragasam Babendreier, Dirk  Eschen, René Eschen, René Eschen, René Haye, Tim Haye, Tim Hinz, Hariet  Hinz, Hariet  Kenis, Marc  Kenis, Marc  Kenis, Marc  Kuhlmann, Ulrich  Kuhlmann, Ulrich  Kuhlmann, Ulrich	Karanja, Daniel; Migiro, Lorna; Oduor, George; Oronje, Mary Lucy  Mulema, Joseph  Mulema, Joseph  Mulema, Joseph  Mulema, Joseph  Mulema, Joseph  Mulema, Joseph  Member of Platform for Agricultural Risk Management (PARM) Advisory Committee  Mulema, Joseph  Member of Steering Committee for Intersectoral Forum on Agrobiodiversity and Agroecology in Kenya  Oduor, George  Rwomushana, Ivan  Member of the Emergency Locust Response Programme National Project Steering Committee  Rwomushana, Ivan  Member of the FAO Africa Regional Fall Armyworm Steering Group  Member of Hander  Rwomushana, Ivan  Member of the FAO Africa Regional Fall Armyworm Steering Group  Member Invasive Species Specialist Group (International Union for Conservation of Nature)  Annamalai, Sivapragasam  Babendreier, Dirk  Babendreier, Dirk  Wistling Professorship, Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences Institute of Plant Protection  Eschen, René  Coordinator, Working Group 7.03.12 — Alien invasive species and International trade, International Union of Forest Research Organizations  Eschen, René  Member of the International Union of Forest Research Organizations  Eschen, René  Member of Working Group 7.03.12 — Alien invasive species and International trade, International Union of Forest Research Organizations  Haye, Tim  Member of Working Group 7.03.12 — Alien invasive species and International Union of Forest Research Organizations Task Force Forests and Biological Invasions  Haye, Tim  Member of Working Group 7.03.12 — Alien invasive species and international Union of Forest Research Organizations Task Force Forests and Biological Invasions  Member of Working Group on Classical Weed Biological Control  Kenis, Marc  Co-convenor, IOBC Study Group on Classical Weed Biological Control  Kenis, Marc  Co-convenor, International Working Group of Ostrinia and other maize pests — a global working group of the International Organization of Biological Control  Kuhlmann, Ulrich  Member, International Advisory Board of IPP-CAAS, China  Visiting Professor, Depar

Switzerland	Seehausen, Lukas	Deputy Coordinator, Working Group 7.03.13 – Biological control of forest insects and pathogens, International Union of Forest Research Organizations	From 2020
Switzerland	Weyl, Philip	Affiliated Professor, Department of Plant, Soil and Entomological Sciences, University of Idaho, USA	From 2020
Switzerland	Weyl, Philip	North American Invasive Species Management Association (NAISMA) biological control committee member	From 2020
Uganda	Alokit, Christine	Member of National Sanitary and Phytosanitary Task Force of the Uganda (Ministry of Agriculture, Animal Industry and Fisheries) MAAIF	From November 2020
Uganda	Alokit, Christine	Member of Uganda Forum for Agricultural Advisory Services (UFAAS)	From 2017
UK	Cock, Matthew	Honorary Life Member of the International Organisation for Biological Control (IOBC)	From 2015
UK	Cock, Matthew	Member, IOBC Global Commission on Access and Benefit Sharing	Ongoing
UK	Cock, Matthew	Member Invasive Species Specialist Group (International Union for Conservation of Nature)	Ongoing
UK	Day, Roger	Member of the Commission on Phytosanitary Measures Focus Group for Strengthening Outbreak Alert and Response Systems	From 2020
UK	Djeddour, Djami	Honorary Lecturer in the School of Biological Sciences, Royal Holloway, University of London	2019–2022
UK	Edgington, Steve	Visiting Research Fellow, University of Reading	2016–2020
UK	Edgington, Steve	Convenor for the Association of Applied Biologists, Nematology division	2020–2023
UK	Flood, Julie	Honorary Member of the British Society of Plant Pathology	From 2018
UK	Gonzalez-Moreno, Pablo	Lecturer, University of Cordoba, Spain	From April 2019
UK	Murphy, Sean	Honorary Lecturer in the School of Biological Sciences, Royal Holloway, University of London	2019–2022
UK	Murphy, Sean	Member Invasive Species Specialist Group (International Union for Conservation of Nature)	Ongoing
UK	Ryan, Matthew	Working Group UK Plant Microbiome Initiative (with Rothamsted Research)	From 2017
UK	Ryan, Matthew	Board of Directors. International Alliance for Phytobiomes Research	From 2019
UK	Ryan, Matthew	Member of KTN Microbiome Steering Advisory Group	
UK	Ryan, Matthew	United States Culture Collection Network – steering committee – International representative	
UK	Shaw, Richard	Member Invasive Species Specialist Group (International Union for Conservation of Nature)	
UK	Shaw, Richard	Member of the European Commission Expert Working Group on Invasive Alien Species	From 2014
UK	Shaw, Richard	Science Advisory Board Member for the UK Animal and Plant Health Agency	From 2019

## 2.2. Support to international scientific meetings

CABI staff played significant roles in the organization of several scientific meetings in 2020:

Meeting	Staff member	Role
Advances in Nematology (Association of Applied Biologists)	Edgington, Steve	Chaired organizing committee and overall meeting
ASEAN Fall armyworm Action Plan Biocontrol Webinar series, GrowAsia, Singapore, 10 September, 24 September, 8 October	Day, Roger	Co-organizer
Asia-Pacific Regional Programme on agrometeorological services, pest and disease alerts and early warning systems for farmers December 20, 2020 FAO regional office for Asia and Pacific, Bangkok	Chaudhary, Malvika	Resource person
CABI side event 'A plague during a pandemic: how to increase resilience against the desert locust outbreak' at the World Food Prize/2020 International Borlaug, 12–16, Des Moines, Iowa USA	Rwomushana, Ivan	Moderator
Can genetic engineering improve crop production In India?, 4th Agri Biotech Summit, Singapore	Chaudhary, Malvika	Panelist
ESOF 2020, Invasive species and climate change: Africa's 21st century challenge, 2–6 September 2020 Trieste, Italy	Rwomushana, Ivan	Panelist
Healthier plants with the help of Biologicals?, 19 May 2020, Alnarp, Sweden	Rwomushana, Ivan	Organizer and panelist
International conference on Issues and Challenges on Agricultural and Aquatic Sectors along with Human Health in the present scenario of COVID-19, 7–8 September 2020	Pandit, Vinod	Chairperson for the session on Agriculture sector and COVID19
International Symposium on Biological Control of Weeds (ISBCW) (to be held May 2022)	Djeddour, Djami	Member of Scientific Committee and moderator for the session on target and agent selection
Managing Fall Armyworm (FAW) in Corn Production in Indonesia- Malaysia-Thailand Growth Triangle (IMT-GT) Sub-Region on the 20th January 2021 (Webinar)	Annamalai, Sivapragasam	Co-organizer
National Seminar on Organic Farming (SKOr) 2020	Thanarajoo, Sathis Sri	Co-organizer
Pesticide and biopesticide in fall armyworm control: Protecting Health of Plants, People and the Planet, 11 June, FAO, Rome, Italy	Rwomushana, Ivan	Panelist
Series of meetings on Developing a Guide to support the implementation of ISPM 15, initiative by IPPC Rome	Pandit, Vinod	International Working Group member
Technical Consultation on Pest and Disease Data Collection Protocols for Climate Risk Analysis and Early Warning, November 2020, FAO Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific	Chaudhary, Malvika	Expert

#### 2.3. Journal contributions

CABI staff acted on the editorial/advisory boards of the following journals in 2020:

- Asian Journal of Agricultural Extension, Economics & Sociology (H. Rware)
- BioControl (D. Babendreier)
- BioInvasions Records (A. Witt)
- Biology Methods and Protocols (M.Reeve)
- Brazilian Journal of Forestry and Environment (N. Corniani)
- CAB Reviews (M.J.W. Cock)
- CABI Agriculture and Bioscience (R. Eschen, J. Tambo, F. Zhang)
- Chilean Journal of Agricultural Research (S. Edgington)
- Entomologia Experimantalis et Applicata (G. Oduor)
- Frontiers in Insect Science (T. Haye, launched in Jan. 2021)
- Journal of Applied Entomology (S. Toepfer)
- Journal of Asia Pacific Entomology (A. Sivapragasam)
- Journal of Insects as Food and Feed (M. Kenis)
- · Journal of Oil Palm Research (J. Flood)
- Journal of Pest Science (T. Haye)
- Journal of Plant Protection Society, Nepal (V. Pandit)
- Journal of Tropical Agriculture and Food Science (J. Flood, A. Sivapragasam)
- Neobiota (R.H. Shaw)
- New Disease Reports (R. Reeder, P. Taylor)
- · Redia (T. Haye)
- The Planter (A. Sivapragasam)
- Turkish Journal of Weed Science (P. Gonzalez-Moreno)

CABI staff were also involved in reviewing papers for journals as follows (but note this list is probably incomplete):

- African Entomology (1)
- African Journal of Ecology (1)
- Agroecology and Sustainable Food Systems (2)
- Agronomy Journal (1)
- Biocontrol Science and Technology (4)
- BioInvasions Records (1)
- Biological Invasions (2)
- CABI Agriculture and Bioscience (1)
- Cogent Food and Agriculture (1)

- Crop Protection (1)
- Ecological Indicators (1)
- Environmental Monitoring and Assessment (1)
- Environmental Science and Policy (2)
- Food Additives and Contaminants (2)
- Frontiers in Genetics (1)
- Frontiers in Pharmacology (1)
- Global Ecology and Conservation (2)
- International Journal of Clinical Microbiology and Biochemical Technology (1)
- International Journal of Pest Management (1)
- International Journal of Tropical Insect Science (2)
- Entomologia Experimentalis et Applicata (1)
- Journal of Economic Entomology (1)
- Journal of Environmental Management (1)
- Journal of Integrated Pest Management (1)
- Journal of Microbiological Methods (1)
- Journal of Plant Protection Society Nepal (1)
- Letters in Applied Microbiology (1)
- Marine Drugs (2)
- *Micron* (6)
- Molecular Biology Reports (2)
- Neobiota (1)
- New Disease Reports (BSPP) (1)
- Pest Management Science (1)
- Plant Disease (1)
- PLOS Neglected Tropical Diseases (1)
- PLOS ONE (1)
- Urban Forestry and Urban Greening (1)
- World Development (1)
- Zootaxa (1)

#### 2.4. Publications

CABI authors are shown in **bold**, the corresponding author(s) where designated are underlined, papers in journals with a 2019 impact factor greater than 2.0 are <a href="highlighted">highlighted in gold</a>, and an open access symbol (a) is placed at the end of all open access publications. Details of more recent publications and annual lists of publications can be found here: <a href="https://www.cabi.org/about-cabi/our-scientists-output/">https://www.cabi.org/about-cabi/our-scientists-output/</a>

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- **Haye, T.** (2020) Marmorierte Baumwanze aktuelle Situation. Regionale Obstbautagung 2020, Fachstellen Bern, Solothurn, Freiburg, 30 January 2020, INFORAMA Ins, Switzerland.
- **Haye, T.** (2020) State of the art in biological control of *Halyomorpha halys*. STINK BUGS: A Potential Threat for Turkish and Mediterranean Countries Agriculture, 28–29 February 2020, Istanbul, Turkey.
- **Hidalgo, E.** Microorganismos para el manejo agroecológico de plagas. Il Congreso Internacional de Ciencias Agrícolas y Pecuarias UDABOL, 9–10 December 2020, Santa Cruz de la Sierra, Bolivia (virtual).
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- <u>Hinz, H.L.</u> (2020) How to prioritize invasive plants for biological control? 2020 NAISMA Annual Conference, 5–9 October 2020 (virtual).
- **Hinz, H.L.** (2020) Update on weed biocontrol activities at CABI for the U.S. and Canada. Biocontrol Summit organized by NAISMA, 28 October 2020 (virtual).
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- **Kenis, M.** (2020) Les ravageurs envahissants et les risques pour la sécurité alimentaire. Journée d'Automne SSP 2020, 2 October 2020, Liebefeld, Switzerland.
- **Kenis, M.** (2020) Prospects and constraints of biological control against mealybugs vectors of cocoa swollen shoot virus in West Africa. Seminar for CAOBISCO, 15 December 2020 (virtual).
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- **Luke, B.** (2020) Developing Mycoinsecticides for UK Agriculture. Feeding the future: Can we protect crops sustainably? SCI's Agrisciences group, IAFRI and CHAP, 7 October, 2020 (virtual).
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- Luke, B. (2020) Do you know what bugs us? New Scientist live event, 28 November 2020 (virtual).
- **Luke, B.** (2020) Green Muscle: An example of a successful mycoinsecticide. Locust control strategies: success stories and new approaches. UK Pakistan Science and Innovation Global Network, 27 July 2020 (virtual).
- **Luke, B.** (2020) Locust attack: What India's farming community need to know. M. S. Swaminathan Research Foundation event, 1 June 2020 (virtual).
- Luke, B. and Miege, Y. (2020) Biocontrol on locusts in Africa. ABIM conference, 21 Oct 2020 (virtual).
- **Pandit, V.** (2020) Issues and challenges on agricultural and aquatic sectors along with human health in the present scenario of COVID-19. Department of Zoology, Lucknow Christian College, 7–8 September, Lucknow, India.
- **Pollard, K.** The biological control of Himalayan balsam. Scottish Honey Bee Heath Strategy Meeting, UK, 16 November 2020 (virtual).
- **Pollard, K.** The biological control of Himalayan balsam. Scottish Bee Keepers Association, UK, 9 December 2020 (virtual).
- **Pratt, C.** and **Pollard, K.** (2020) The biological control of Japanese knotweed and Himalayan balsam. RAPID Revelations! End of project conference for the RAPID LIFE project, UK, 9 July 2020 (virtual).
- <u>Pratt, C.</u>, <u>Djeddour, D., Varia, S., Kurose, D., Ellison, C., Pollard, K.</u> and <u>Seier, M.</u> (2020) Biological control of invasive non-native species: RAPID LIFE and current UK research. Invasive non-native species and weed biocontrol workshop, Medway Valley Countryside Partnership and RAPID LIFE, 27 February 2020, Kent, UK.
- **Ryan, M.J.** (2020) Fungal culture collections and the microbiome: Protecting biodiversity and addressing future challenges, Kew State of the Worlds Plants and Fungi Virtual Symposium, 13 October 2020 (virtual).
- **Schaffner, U.** (2020) Integrating ecological and socio-economic impacts of *Prosopis julifora* in Eastern Africa to inform management. Annual Research Meeting of the Centre of Invasion Biology, Stellenbosch University, 13–14 November 2020 (virtual).
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- <u>Seehausen, L.</u>, Nacambo, S., Stöckli, S., Kenis, M. (2020) Recent invasion of *Vespa velutina* in Switzerland. COLOSS Velutina Task Force meeting, 28 September 2020 (virtual).
- **Sivapragasam, A.** (2020) R&D for pests and diseases in rice and industrial crops: Current scenario and future challenges. MARDI Colloquium, 25 August 2020, Selangor, Malaysia.

<u>Sivapragasam, A.</u> (2020) Sustainable invasive insect species management: An approach for a better future. International Symposium of Entomology (ISOE 2020) on Sustainable Management of Invasive Species: CABI's experiences, 2 December 2020 (webinar).

<u>Smith, D.</u> and **Ryan, M.J. (2020)** CABI ABS negotiations for compliance with the Nagoya Protocol. International Phytobiomes Alliance Webinar ID 351-784-179, 5 July 2020 (virtual).

**Tambo, J.A.** (2020) Sustainable pest management in African agriculture: Evidence of the role of Plantwise. Visions for a Sustainable Agriculture Workshop, 4–6 May 2020, Neuchâtel, Switzerland (virtual).

**Thakur, M.** (2020) Role of ICTs in strengthening the biosecurity system in South Asia. International webinar on Recent Trends in Plant Biosecurity: International and National Perspectives, 4 December 2020, NIPHM, Hyderabad, India (virtual).

**Varia, S.** (2020) The biological control of Himalayan balsam in the UK. Groundwork River Ranger Workshop, UK, 27 October 2020 (virtual).

<u>Wan, M.</u> and **Zhang, F.** (2020) Plantwise Plus & Plantwise post-2020 strategy. Plantwise Sichuan Provincial Steering Committee Meeting & Plantwise China Annual Meeting, 15 December 2020, Qianwei, Sichuan, China.

**Weyl, P.** and **Hinz, H.** (2020) Is there a way forward for the biological control of common buckthorn, *Rhamnus cathartica*? Upper Midwest Invasive Species Conference, 2–6 November 2020 (virtual).

**Weyl, P.**, Marini, F., Vidović, Cristofaro, M. and Schaffner, U. (2020) 'Mite' we slow the invasion of Russian olive? *Aceria angustifoliae*, the first biocontrol candidate against Russian olive. 2020 NAISMA Annual Conference, 5–9 October 2020 (virtual).

**Zhang, F.** and **Wan, M.** (2020) Exploration of lemon plant clinic practice in China. 2020 International Lemon Festival & International Lemon Industry Development Summit, 23 October 2020, Tongnan, Chongqing, China.

**Zhang, J.** (2020) Brown marmorated stink bug injury damage on kiwifruit. Plant Protection Forum of Jilin Agricultural University, 20 November 2020, Changchun, Jilin, China.

## 2.7. Poster presentations at scientific meetings (2)

**Doughty, L.S.**, Ried J., **Godwin J.**, Bebber D., Denby K. and **Finegold, C.** (2020) Developing a framework for the development of the Global Burden of Crop Loss. Grand Challenges Annual Meeting, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, 19–21 October 2020 (virtual).

**CABI** (2020). Introduction on CABI Agricultural and Bioscience and AgriRxiv. Annual Conference of the Entomological Society of China, 12–14 October 2020, Yantai, Shandong, China.

# 3. Other outputs

## 3.1. Support for introduction of classical biological control agents

Biological control agent studied	Target weed/ Insect pest	status end 2020	Released in 2020	Country of release or intended release
Aceria angustifoliae (Eriophyidae)	Elaeagnus angustifolia (Russian olive)	Release recommended by the USDA Technical Advisory Group (TAG) and the Canadian Biocontrol Committee in May 2020, however, Canadian Food Inspection Agency (CFIA) did not approve release in Canada	No	USA and Canada
Acerophagus papaya (Encyrtidae)	Paracoccus marginatus (papaya mealybug)	Imported and initiated host range testing	No	Kenya
Aphalara itadori (Aphalaridae)	Fallopia japonica / F. bohemica (Japanese knotweed)	Petition for release accepted in July 2020	Yes	Netherlands
Ceutorhynchus cardariae (Curculionidae)	Lepidium draba (hoary cress)	Petition for field release resubmitted to USDA Technical Advisory Group (TAG) in January 2020	No	USA
Eiphosoma laphygmae (Ichneumonidae)	Spodoptera frugiperda (fall armyworm)	Imported and initiated host range testing	No	Kenya
Listronotus elongatus (Curculionidae)	Hydrocotyle ranunculoides (floating pennywort)	Pest Risk Assessment (PRA) for consideration to release submitted in July 2020 and feedback addressed in resubmission October 2020	No	UK
Listronotus setosipennis (Curculionidae)	Parthenium hysterophorus (parthenium weed)	Host range testing completed	No	Pakistan
Microterys nietneri (Encyrtidae)	Coccus hesperidum (brown soft scale)	PRA for release early 2021	No	Tristan da Cunha, UKOT
Mogulones borraginis (Curculionidae)	Cynoglossum officinale (houndstongue)	Petition for field release submitted to USDA Technical Advisory Group in September 2020	No	USA
Mycosphaerella polygoni-cuspidati (Mycosphaerellaceae)	Fallopia japonica (Japanese knotweed)	PRA for single-mating type isolate submitted in 2018	Yes, for experimental field trials	UK
Trissolcus japonicus (Scelionidae)	Halyomorpha halys (brown marmorated stink bug)	Petition submitted in 2019, rejected in February 2020	No	Canada
Trissolcus japonicus (Scelionidae)	Halyomorpha halys (brown marmorated stink bug)	Petition submitted in January 2020	Yes, for experimental field trials	Switzerland (Canton Zurich)

#### 3.2. Plantwise extension material

In addition to editing many pest management decision guides, CABI staff contributed to eight extension materials in the Plantwise knowledge bank in 2020. These included three Pest Management Decision Guides, two Plantwise factsheets for farmers, two video factsheets, and two posters and leaflets, all of which can be seen here: <a href="http://www.plantwise.org/KnowledgeBank/SearchResults.aspx?q=aa:cabi%20AND%20yr:2020">http://www.plantwise.org/KnowledgeBank/SearchResults.aspx?q=aa:cabi%20AND%20yr:2020</a>

## 3.3. Distribution maps of plant pests/diseases

Thirty-two distribution maps of plant pests/diseases were issued, and can be found here: <a href="https://www.cabi.org/cso/search/?q=(Distribution%20Map)%20AND%20yr:(2020)&types=,22,24">https://www.cabi.org/cso/search/?q=(Distribution%20Map)%20AND%20yr:(2020)&types=,22,24</a>

# 4. CABI staff, students and associates

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Kenya	Romney	Dannie	PhD
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UK	Spence, Ellie	PhD	Warwick University, UK	Steve Edgington

<sup>\*</sup> Research was carried out principally at the CABI centre in that country.

### 4.4. Masters of Advanced Studies in Integrated Crop Management

The Masters of Advanced Studies in Integrated Crop Management (ICM) is an initiative started in 2015 as a collaboration between CABI's centre in Switzerland, the University of Neuchâtel and the Jura Canton. Scientists, teachers, extension officers and policy makers come to Switzerland to enrich their knowledge about the importance of ICM, supporting its adoption as a long-term strategy to address global challenges (<a href="https://www.cabi.org/about-cabi/cabi-centres/switzerland/mas-icm-course/">https://www.unine.ch/mas-icm</a>).

List of participants, 2020 academic year.

Surname	Given name	Education	Job title	Professional affiliation	Country
Belete	Konjit Feleke	MSc	County Crops Development Officer	County Department of Agriculture and Irrigation	Ethiopia
Wanjiru	Josphine Carlisle	BSc	Crop Protection Officer	Ministry of Agriculture, Irrigation and Water Development	Kenya
Kipandula	Jayaka Lawrence	BSc	Horticulture and Plant Protection Officer	MoA - National Directorate of Agricultural Extension	Malawi
Aslam	Muhammad	MSc	Deputy Assistant Staff Officer	Plant Protection Division, Ministry of Agriculture	Pakistan
Uwitonze	Nicolas	BSc	Sub County Crops Development Officer	Cultivating New Fronters on Agriculture (CNFA; NGO)	Rwanda
Marimuthu	Shoba Tanya Julie	BSc	Traditional Cash Crops Production Specialist	Rwanda Agriculture and Animal Resources Development Board (RAB)	Trinidad and South Africa
Nagaba	Clesentia ('Barbra')	BSc	Development Officer	Plant Protection Service, Department of Agriculture	Uganda
Nakibuuka	Esther Ssettaala	BSc	District Agricultural Officer	Mubende District Local Government	Uganda
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Aidoo	Stephen	BSc	Principal Technical Research Assistant	Ministry of Agriculture	Ghana

## 4.5. CABI Associates

Location	Name	Highest qualification	Role
Bangladesh	Goswami, Biresh	PhD	CABI Associate, Bangladesh
Bolivia	Sainz, Claudia	MSc	CABI Associate, Bolivia
Ecuador	Vasquez, Carlos	PhD	CABI Associate, LAC
Ghana	Beseh, Patrick	MSc	CABI Associate, Ghana
Malaysia	Loke Wai Hong	PhD	CABI Associate, Malaysia
Malaysia	Lum Keng Yeang	PhD	CABI Associate, Malaysia
Malaysia	Soetikno, Sastroutomo S.	PhD	CABI Associate, Malaysia
Myanmar	Thaung, Myint	PhD	CABI Associate, Malaysia
Nicaragua	Medina, Luis	MSc	CABI Associate, Nicaragua
Philippines	Joshi, Ravindra	PhD	CABI Associate, Malaysia
Sri Lanka	Arulanandam, Vakeesan	BSc	CABI Associate, Sri Lanka
Switzerland	Gassmann, André	DnatSc	CABI Associate, Switzerland
UK	Evans, Harry C.	DSc	Emeritus Fellow

UK	Hunt, David	PhD	Emeritus Fellow
UK	Rutherford, Mike	PhD	CABI Associate, UK
UK(HQ)	Stewart, Janet	BSc	CABI Associate, UK
Vietnam	Costa, Arnaud	PhD	CABI Associate, Malaysia

# 4.6. Visiting scientists

Location	Name	Highest degree	Home institute	Dates (2020)
Kenya	Selpha Opisa Miller	PhD	International Centre of Insect Physiology and Ecology (ICIPE)	July 2020 – March 2021
Kenya	Allan Mweke	PhD	Mount Kenya University	September 2020 – March 2021
Egham for Kew DToL	Romena Hill	BSc	RBG Kew/Queen Mary University of London	January 2020

# 4.7. Technical support

Centre	Name	Qualification	
China	Mi Qianqian	MSc	
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Malaysia	Baki, Razali	Dip	
Malaysia	Yahya, Hanifah	Certificate	
Pakistan	Ahmed, Ejaz	Matric	
Pakistan	Ali, Saqib	Graduate	
Pakistan	Anjum, Daud Hussain	Matric	
Pakistan	Rasheed, Khalid	Intermediate	
Switzerland	Beberat, Lise	DiplGard	
Switzerland	Clo ca, Cornelia	MSc	
Switzerland	Donzé, Quentin	DiplGard	
Switzerland	Jonathan, Jolidon		
Switzerland	Willemin, Florence	DiplGard	
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UK	Clayton, Teresa		
UK	Hannon, Janet		
UK	Horner, Jacob	BSc	
UK	Kopera, Anita	MSc	

# 4.8. Temporary research students

Location	Name	Highest degree	University	Dates (2020)
China	Liu Yanan	BSc	Hebei North University	July – September
China	Sun Yanan	BSc	Beijing Forestry University	January — April
Ghana	Akoto, Hannah Serwaa	PhD	University of Ghana	July – December
Ghana	Babatoundé, Ferdinand	MSc	University of Ghana	July – December
Ghana	Idemudia, Itohan	MSc	University of Ghana	July – December
Ghana	Nkafu, Therese Ngosong	PhD	University of Ghana	September – December
Hungary	Nxumalo, Gift	BSc	Sz. Istvan University, Godollo, Hungary	April – August
Hungary	Chambyal, Tamnna	BSc	Sz. Istvan University, Godollo, Hungary	June – August
Switzerland	Fattore, Sandrine	MSc	University of Neuchatel, Switzerland	April – December
Switzerland	Hiscock, Madeleine	BSc	University of the West of England	June – September
Switzerland	Humair, Laureline	MSc	University of Neuchâtel	April – December
Switzerland	Masserano, Greta	MSc	University of Turin	April – September
Switzerland	Mosquero, Nataly	MSc	University of Neuchâtel	March – September
Switzerland	Murad, Maram	BSc	HAFL	February – March
Switzerland	Nardelli, Martina	MSc	University of Turin	April – September
Switzerland	Perret-Gentil, Anouchka	MSc	University of Neuchâtel and Lausanne	April – June
Switzerland	Riss, Marion	MSc	ETH Zürich	April – September
Switzerland	Rodriguez, Mario	MSc	University of Neuchâtel and Lausanne	May – August
Switzerland	Rufatti, Matthieu	BSc	University of Neuchâtel and Lausanne	June
Switzerland	Sneiders, Baptiste	MSc	University of Geneva	April – August
Switzerland	Traine, Juan	MSc	University of Neuchâtel	January – February
UK (HQ)	Adejoro, Foluso	MSc	Royal Agricultural University	October – December



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