

Cisgenesis

What are its implications for food safety, society and economy?

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Programme:

- 16.00 Introduction by Peter van Dalen (MEP)
Opening remarks by Commissioner Dalli (tbc)
- 16.15 Introduction to Cisgenesis by Dr. Henk Schouten,
Plant Research International, Wageningen, Netherlands
- 16.30 'The base line of plant breeding'
Prof. Zoltán Bedö, chairman Eucarpia, Hungary
- 16.45 'Cisgenesis and the public opinion'
Prof. George Gaskell, London School of Economics, United Kingdom
- 17.00 'Cisgenesis and SMEs'
Ir. Karel van der Linden, director Inova Fruit, Netherlands
- 17.15 Two case studies:
- Cereals by Prof. Preben Holm, University of Aarhus, Denmark
 - Potatoes by Prof. Evert Jacobsen, Wageningen UR, Netherlands
- 17.45 General discussion and closing remarks

