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Welkom bij de 4th IMAGE Dialogue Forum

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Access and Benefit Sharing (ABS) Rules

*What does ABS mean for conservation
research and use of
Animal Genetic Resources (AnGR)?*

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Overview

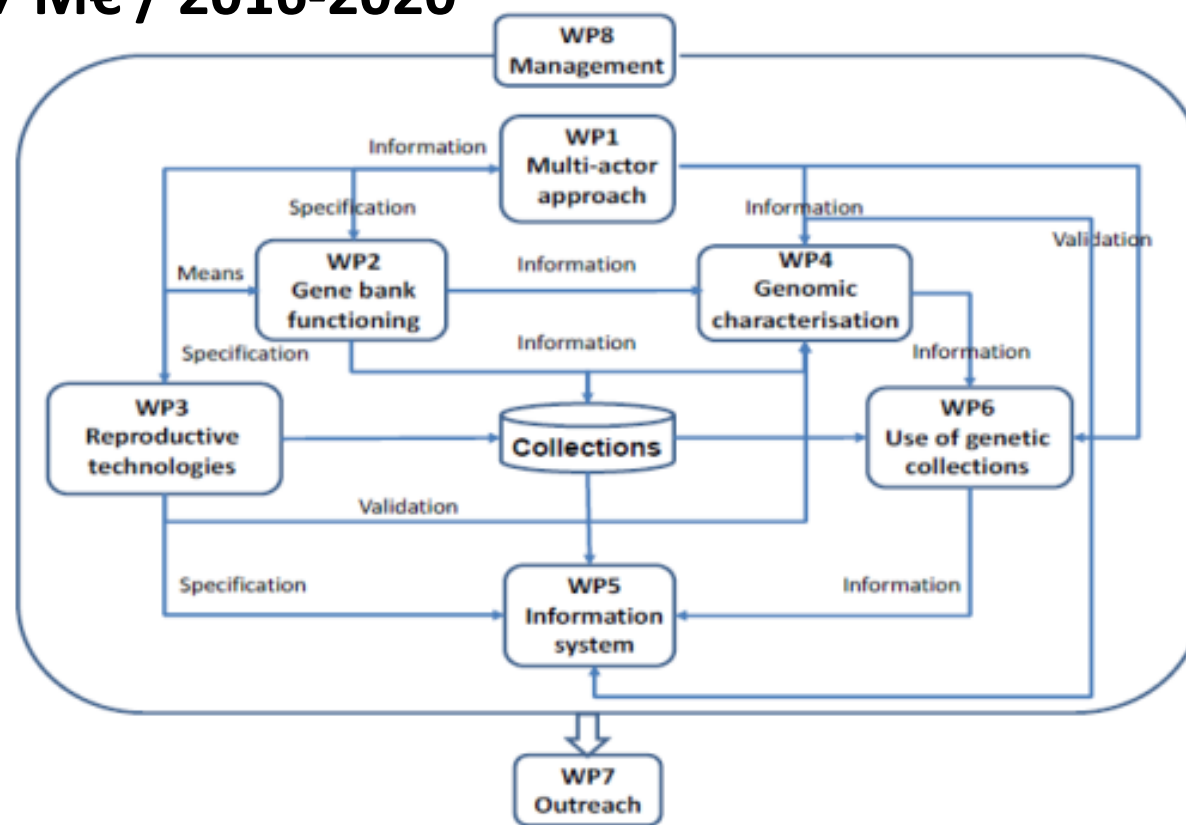
- Welcome (W. Kugler, SAVE)
- Introduction IMAGE
- ABS introduction (Elzbieta Martyniuk, Warsaw University of Life Science, Poland)
- ABS activities EU (Alicja Kozłowska, European Commission,)
- Discussion in Groups
- Presentation & Discussion of the Results, Suggestions, Demands
- Drinks and Nibbles at the Levend Erfgoed Expo

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IMAGE

- Innovative Management of Animal Genetic Resources:
<http://imageh2020.eu> / 28 partners / 7 Workpackages
 (WPs) / 7 M€ / 2016-2020



IMAGE

Approaches

- Stakeholder Involvement
- Improve reproductive quality and ‘usability’ in practice
- Improve exchange between gene bank managers
- Assess the potential of genetic diversity in collections
- Facilitate access to information and resources, use and synergies between gene banks and on-farm management
- Sensitize to the value of gene banks

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Achievements

- Dialogue Forum (Belfast 2016, Tallinn 2017, Zagreb 2018, Wachtebeke 2019)
- Surveys on: gene banks, sociological analysis, ethics, ABS....
- Diagnostic tool for quality management of gene banks
- Reproductive biotechnologies experiments
- Mapping of available molecular data on gene bank collections
- Sampling strategy for sequencing
- Data integration of EBI
- Introgression project in chickens
- Communication tools
- Training events set up with third countries

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- WP1 / T 1.3 «Implementation of access and benefit sharing regulation»
address the challenges arising from access and benefit sharing for exchange of genetic material

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Discussion in Groups

Access and benefit sharing in your field of work:

1. Which challenges does the ABS regulation mean for your work ?
2. Which concerns do you have in terms of ABS to your government (national territory) and cross-border (EU)
3. Transfer of material to and from bio banks: Where are the obstacles and the responsibilities?
4. Who is the owner of the material?

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Outcomes



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- Your statement....



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**THANK YOU VERY
MUCH**

