## Symposium hosted by Network for Plant Breeding by Genome Editing " Leaders pioneering food tech markets with biotech innovations "

This symposium provides an opportunity to learn about the new market possibilities offered by the innovation of breeding by biotechnology (genome editing). Each speaker talks about why they started the business, what products they are improving with biotechnology, what opportunities they will see in the future and a piece of advice to the target audience.

## Co-Organizers:

Sponsorship: Network for Plant Breeding by Genome Editing

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Venue: Online (Zoom webinar)

Date: 13:00-17:00, December 18, 2024

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## Agenda: ★ Video lecture

- 13:00-13:10 Opening remarks
- 13:10-13:30 Dr. Dan Jenkins, Vice President, Regulatory and Government Affairs, Pairwise (USA)★
- 13:30-13:50 Dr. Michelle Starke. VP, Stewardship and Regulatory Affairs, CoverCress (USA)★
- 13:50-14:10 Dr Ross-W. Hendron, CEO & Co-Founder, Wild Bioscience (UK)★
- 14:10-14:30 Dr. Phil Zegerman, Head of Tropic Research (UK)★
- 14:30-14:50 Dr. Kevin T. Zhao, Chief Technology Officer and Co-founder, Qi Biodesign (China)★
- 14:50-15:00 Break
- 15:00-15:20 Dr. Ben Beaton, Director of Gene Editing, Genus plc (UK) $\star$
- 15:20-15:50 Dr. Masato Kinoshita, Regional Fish
- 15:50-16:10 Dr. Minako Sumiyoshi, Sanatech Life Science (Japan)
- 16:10-16:30 Dr. Masaki Niwa GRA&GREEN Inc (Japan)
- 16:30-17:00 Panel discussion (Japanese speakers only) Facilitator: Dr. Kiyokazu Ujiie, University of Tsukuba,

## Dr. Mai Tsuda. Toyo University

17:00 Closing remarks