

# The Plant Breeding and Genetics Graduate Program at Michigan State University

Presents a Symposium On

## *Crop Improvement for Human Health*

Friday, December 16, 2005

9:00 am - 5:00 pm

1410 BioMedical & Physical Sciences Building - Michigan State University

### Speakers/Seminar Titles

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| 9:00 am | Introduction to Symposium  |
| 9:15    | Dr. Ross Welch, Cornell University/USDA-ARS<br>“Harvesting Better Nutrition -<br>The Global HarvestPlus Biofortification Plant Breeding Program” |
| 10:45   | Dr. Shihshieh Huang, Monsanto Corporation<br>“High Lysine Corn”  |
| 1:15 pm | Dr. Aron Silverstone, Syngenta Corporation<br>“Enhancing the Nutritional Value of Golden Rice”   |
| 2:30    | Dr. Robert Brodzik, Thomas Jefferson University<br>“Engineering of Plants into Green Factories”  |
| 3:30    | Panel Discussion   |
| 4:00    | Reception and Poster Session   |

### Poster Session

A poster session and open reception for the speakers will immediately follow the talks. Light refreshments will be served. Program participants who wish to present a research poster (4X 4) are invited to do so. Graduate students and faculty associated with the Plant Breeding and Genetics Program are particularly encouraged to participate. Please email participation to Kristi (collett1@msu.edu) no later than **December 5, 2005**.

There is no registration fee or requirement for preregistration.