

Fifth Annual Northeast USA Rice Conference

Agenda

9:00am-4:00pm, August 2, 2014

8:00-9:00am	Registration
9:00-9:05am	Welcome (Mia Murphy, Outreach Coordinator)
9:05-9:20 am	NSF grant and Cornell rice research (Susan McCouch, Professor, Plant Breeding and Genetics, Cornell University)
9:20-10:20am	A look back at Akaogi Farm conferences and Northeast rice (Mia Murphy, Outreach Coordinator)
10:20-10:30am	Break
10:30-11:00am	How does a rice plant perceive and respond to environment? (Diane Wang, PhD student, Plant Breeding and Genetics, Cornell University)
11:00-11:45am	Breeding of purple, aromatic rice for the Northeast (Sandy Harrington, Technician, Plant Breeding and Genetics, Cornell University)
11:45-12:00pm	Explanation of Akaogi Farm rice paddies (Takeshi Akaogi, Akaogi Farm)
12:00-2:00pm	Lunch Break
2:00-3:00pm	Edible education and rice (Phyllis Odessey, Nick Storrs and Eunyong Sebazco, Urban Farm, Randall's Island Park, NYC)
3:00-3:45pm	The future of Northeast rice (Genevieve DeClerck, Plant Breeding and Genetics, Cornell University)
3:45-4:00pm	Closing and Group Photo