

Program of the Symposium:

Opening Ceremony

09:55 Welcoming Remarks **Trustee/Vice President, Kagawa University**
Prof. Ikuo Kataoka

International Invited Lectures

10:00 Prof. Daniel G. Panaccione, West Virginia University
"Biosynthesis and Significance of Ergot Alkaloids from Fungi"

11:00 Prof. Sung You Hong, Ulsan National Institute of Science and Technology
"Concise Synthesis of Bioactive Molecules via Cycloaddition and Annulation Reactions"

12:00 Lunch

Domestic Invited Lectures

13:30 Asst. Prof. Kaori Yoneyama, Ehime University
"Biochemical Characterization of MAX1 and LBO in Strigolactone Biosynthesis"

14:00 Asst. Prof. Tomohito Yamasaki, Kochi University
"MicroRNA Biogenesis and Function in *Chlamydomonas reinhardtii*"

14:30 Coffee break

Research Reports

14:45 Assoc. Prof. Saeko Sugita-Konishi, Kagawa University
"Seed Shattering and the Molecular Process of Rice Domestication"

15:05 Asst. Prof. Susumu Mochizuki, Kagawa University
"Live-cell Imaging of Biotrophic Interactions between Rice and Rice Blast Fungus"

15:25 Asst. Prof. Lingbing Kong, Kagawa University
"Sugars and Sugar Transporters"

15:45 Prof. Kazuya Akimitsu, Kagawa University
"Rare Sugars: Functional Monosaccharides for Plant"

Poster Presentation

16:10 - 17:30

Reception

18:00 – 20:00