

Salmon Aquaculture Dialogue Schedule

February 13-14, 2004
World Wildlife Fund
2nd Floor Conference Center
1250 24th St, NW
Washington D.C.

- 8:15 Breakfast
- 8:30 Introduction—Dr. Jason Clay, World Wildlife Fund
- 9:00 **Session I: Escapes**
Dr. Fred Whoriskey, Atlantic Salmon Federation: The time trend of the escapes issue and related production protocols
Dr. Ian Fleming, Oregon State: The genetic impact of escapes on salmon fitness
- 10:15 Break
- 10:30 **Session II: Disease**
Dr. Ron Stagg, FRS Marine Laboratory: Disease and wild/farmed fish interactions from a health perspective
- 11:30 **Session III: Increased pressure on wild fisheries (feed, harvest, markets)**
Dr. Albert Tacon, University of Hawaii at Manoa: Feed
Dr. Peter Tyedmers, Dalhousie University: Feed
- 12:30 Lunchtime Discussion—The netpen culture of tropical species
Dr. Michael Phillips, NACA
- 1:30 **Session IV: Nutrient loading and benthic impacts**
Dr. Kenny Black, Scottish Association for Marine Science: Dissolved and particulate wastes from salmon cage-culture
Dr. Alejandro Buschmann, Universidad de los Lagos: A geographic view of nutrient and benthos issues
- 2:30 **Session V: Siting and carrying capacity**
Dr. Thierry Chopin, University of New Brunswick: The potential for integrated aquaculture to address nutrification and carrying capacity issues
Dr. Kenneth Brooks, Aquatic Environmental Sciences, Inc.: Environmental response to organic enrichment with intensive aquaculture
- 3:30 Break

- 3:45 **Session VI: Chemical inputs**
Dr. Kenneth Brooks, Aquatic Environmental Sciences, Inc.: Copper, zinc and the crustacean consumption of salmon feed pellets
Dr. Kenny Black, Scottish Association for Marine Science: Sea lice medicines in the Scottish environment
- 4:30 **Session VII: Company presentations**
Dale Blackburn, Vice-President West Coast Operations for Stolt
Frank Van Ooijen, Nutreco
Dr. Bill Robertson, Heritage Salmon
- 5:30 Close of sessions for the day

Day Two

- 8:00 Breakfast
- 8:30 **Working Group Session 1** (three simultaneous sessions)
- 10:30 Break
- 10:45 **Working Group Session 2** (three simultaneous sessions)
- 12:45 Lunchtime Discussion—Markets and certification
Dr. Chet Chaffee, Scientific Certification Systems
Dr. Aldin Hilbrands, SGS Netherlands
Susan Boa, Seafood Choices
- 2:15 Report back from working groups
- 3:30 Way forward
- 4:30 Close of session

Working Groups

1. Disease
2. Increased pressure on wild fisheries
3. Chemical inputs
4. Nutrient loading and carrying capacity
5. Benthic impacts and siting
6. Escapes

** Breakfast and lunch will be provided on both days.