

INNOVATION – FROM VISION TO ACTION

Programme

Thursday 30 November

9.30am	Welcome Martyn Dunne, DIRECTOR - GENERAL , Ministry for Primary Industries
9.40am	Growing greens in the grid: innovative urban agriculture technologies and business models Henry Gordon-Smith, FOUNDER AND MANAGING DIRECTOR , Agritecture Consulting
10.10am	Design thinking and a mindset for innovation Lisa Kay Solomon, CHAIR , Transformational Practices, Singularity University
10.50am	Morning tea amongst the PGP Expo
11.15am	The world is not waiting for us – are we keeping up with a world of fast agri-food innovation? Ian Proudfoot, HEAD OF GLOBAL AGRIBUSINESS , KPMG
11.35am	Project Leapfrog: accelerating action Baba Shiv, Representing Te Hono , New Zealand Steering Committee
11.55am	Panel discussion with the morning speakers Henry Gordon-Smith, Ian Proudfoot and Baba Shiv
12.10pm	Lunch amongst the PGP Expo
1.25pm	Hon Damien O'Connor, MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE
1.40pm	Introducing the afternoon's speakers – examples of strategic planning for our food and fibre future
1.45pm	So much more than just fish Volker Kuntzsch, CHIEF EXECUTIVE , Sanford
2.00pm	Scion – the opportunity for fibre innovation Julian Elder, CHIEF EXECUTIVE , Scion
2.15pm	Pasture to plate - how Ngati Porou agribusiness is responding to PGP programmes Hilton Collier, GENERAL MANAGER , Pakihiroa Farms
2.30pm	Report back on food and fibre industry working group Tony Egan, MANAGING DIRECTOR , Greenlea Premier Meats
2.45pm	What are incubators, accelerators, and angels? How startups can find investment Amanda Gilbertson, INNOVATION AND COMMERCIALISATION CONSULTANT , Gilbertson Associates
3.00pm	Panel discussion – New Zealand examples of strategic planning for our food and fibre future Volker Kuntzsch, Julian Elder, Hilton Collier, Tony Egan, Amanda Gilbertson
3.20pm	Afternoon tea amongst the PGP Expo
3.45pm	Facilitated discussion via live stream: How Biotech is transforming the future of food and materials Ryan Bethencourt, PROGRAM DIRECTOR AND VENTURE PARTNER , IndieBio
4.10pm	MPI investment to support our understanding of consumers, disruption, and emerging opportunities Deborah Roche, DEPUTY DIRECTOR - GENERAL POLICY AND TRADE , Ministry for Primary Industries
4.25pm	Closing remarks and summary of the day John Parker, CHAIR , Primary Growth Partnership Investment Advisory Panel, Scott Champion, FACILITATOR
4.45pm	Conference concludes