

**Chinese Delegation visits Forage and Range Research Lab
September 15, 2011
Logan, Utah**

A delegation of scientists and administrators were hosted by the Forage and Range Research Laboratory on September 15, 2011 in Logan, Utah. This delegation was touring important forage research centers in the U.S. to determine how they might better write their upcoming strategic plan of China on Forage and Pasture. Dr. Shangli Shi, Director of the Grassland Science College, Gansu Agriculture University led the group which was composed of scientists in production and management disciplines.



Dr. Mike Peel of the FRRL discussing his research on legumes at the Evans Farm, Logan, Utah



Dr. Steve Larson of the FRRL describing his research for the identification of quantitative trait loci linkage associations and genetic mapping in *Leymus* at Hyde Park, Utah

Meeting Agenda

China Delegation to the Forage and Range Research Laboratory, Logan Utah
September 16, 2011

China Delegation Participants

China Delegation Coordinator

Mr. John Zhang, Ningxia Eco Agriculture Technology Ltd. (NEAT), Ningxia Hui Autonomous Region (Province), China

Delegation

Professor Zhang Yingjun (China Agricultural University)

Professor Zhu Jinzhong (Xinjiang Agriculture University)

Professor Shi Shangli (Gansu Agriculture University)

Professor Cao Wenxia (Gansu Agriculture University)

Professor Gao Hongwen (CAAS Institute of Animal Science)

Professor Jia Yushan (Inner Mongolia Agriculture University)

Agenda

9:00 am Welcome (Dr. Jack Staub)

9:05 am Introduction to the Forage and Range Research Laboratory (FRRL) (Dr. Jack Staub)

9:30 am Presentations

FRRL Scientists (10-15 minutes/Scientist)

Purpose: To acquaint

Molecular Genetics

Dr. Shaun Bushman

Dr. Steve Larson

Dr. Richard Wang

Genetics and Plant Breeding

Dr. Kevin Jensen

Dr. Thomas Jones

Dr. Matthew Robbins

Dr. Joseph Robins

Dr. Michael Peel

Dr. Blair Waldron

Visiting Chinese Scientists (5-10 minutes/Scientist)

Dr. Lan Yun (Inner Mongolia Agricultural University)

Dr. Lui Rui-Xaing (Inner Mongolia Agricultural University)

Dr. Chen Sang (Institute of Practacultural Sciences)

Mr. Xie Wengang (Sichuan Agricultural University: PhD candidate)

Ms. Ma YingMei (Northeast University: MS candidate)

12:00-1:30 pm Lunch

1:30 pm Field Tour: Evans Experimental Farm

3:00 pm Field Tour: Greenville Experimental Farm

4:00 pm Field Tour: North Park Field Experimental Site

5:00 pm Tour of the laboratory (Dr. Staub)

5:30 pm Question and Answer Session with Dr. Staub

6:00 pm Adjourn