

12th International Vaccinium Symposium



	Time	Presenting	DT) Monday, August 30 Title	Transmission
	Time	Author	Title	Transmission
Opening of	9:00	David Percival	Welcome attendees	Recorded
the	9:10	Jennifer Bain	Welcome message- Dalhousie University	Recorded
International	9:15	Gilles Saindon	Welcome on behalf of the Government of	Recorded
Vaccinium			Canada and Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada	
Symposium	9:20	Jorge	ISHS Greetings	Recorded
		Retamales		
	9:25	James	ISHS Greetings	Recorded
		Polashock		
		Technical Sessi	on 1: Plant Physiology and Plant Nutrition	
		N	Moderator: Peter Jeranyama	
Session	9:30	Peter	Optimal nitrogen fertilizer application rates for	Recorded
Sponsor:		Jeranyama	second-generation cranberry hybrids	
	9:45	Jorge	Sectorial pruning of highbush blueberries: long-	Recorded
DALHOUSIE UNIVERSITY		Retamales	term effects on yield and fruit quality	
UNIVERSITY	10:00	Hong Yu	Water requirement estimation of rabbiteye	Recorded
			blueberry seedlings based on water surface	
			evaporation method	
	10:15	Amos	Light quality from supplemental light emitting	Recorded
		Samkumar	diodes modulates secondary metabolites	
		Rajan	biosynthesis in ripening bilberry (Vaccinium	
		Premkumar	myrtillus L.)	
	10:30	Questions and D	Discussion	Live
BREAK	10:45		eed Networking, and Virtual Tradeshow	
		Technical Sess	ion 2: Breeding, Genetics, and Phenomics	
			Moderator: Lara Giongo	
Session	11:00	Lara Giongo	Comparative study on texture: a key trait for	Recorded
Sponsor:			blueberry fruit quality breeding	
	11:15	Jodi Humann	Using the genome database for Vaccinium for	Recorded
			genetics, genomics, and breeding research	
*	11:30	Samir Debnath	Molecular variation, genetic structure and	Recorded
Agriculture and			antioxidants in Vaccinium germplasm	
gri-Food Canada	11:45	Soichiro	Characterization of population structure and	Recorded
		Nishiyama	genetic variation of chilling requirement in	
			southern highbush blueberry	
	12:00	Questions and D	Discussion	Live
BREAK	12:15	Nutrition Break	and Virtual Tradeshow	
		Technical Se	ssion 3: Berry Composition and Quality	
		Mo	oderator: Katherine Ghantous	
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Session	13:00	Katherine	Concentration of quinclorac in cranberry plant	Recorded
Session Sponsor:	13:00	Katherine Ghantous	Concentration of quinclorac in cranberry plant tissue with repeated annual applications	Recorded

	13:15	Marlee Trandel- Hayse	Method optimization and cell wall analysis for peel and pulp of blueberry cultivars	Recorded		
NILO BLUEBERRIES	13:30	Penelope Perkins-Veazie	New tools for rapid fruit quality analysis in blueberry	Recorded		
REMIUM BY NATUR	42.45		,			
	13:45	Questions and Di	scussion	Live		
Plenary	14:00	David Brazelton	Blueberries- Where have we been and where	Recorded		
,			are we going?			
		Techni	cal Session 4: Pest Management			
	T		Moderator: Bill Cline	T		
Session	15:00	Bill Cline	Diseases and insects of economic importance	Recorded		
Sponsor:			affecting blueberry fruit in North Carolina			
	15:15	Alex Cornel	Assessing fungicide efficacy for improved	Recorded		
В			management of the wild blueberry foliar disease			
			complex in eastern Canada			
BAYER	15:30	Seanna Annis	Mummy berry forecast system improves control	Recorded		
E	15:50	Sedilla Allilis	·	Recorded		
R			of disease in Maine lowbush blueberry			
	15:45	Rishi Ram	Baseline sensitivity of Septoria species associated	Recorded		
		Burlakotti	with lowbush blueberry foliar disease to			
			chlorothalonil and propiconazole fungicides			
	16:00	Questions and Di	scussion	Live		
	Te	chnical Session 5:	Breeding, Genetics, Genomics, and Phenomics			
			loderator: Massimo lorizzo			
Session	16:15	Massimo Iorizzo	VacciniumCAP, a community-based project to	Recorded		
Sponsor:			develop advanced genetic tools to improve fruit			
эропзот.			quality in blueberry and cranberry			
	16.20	Vina Humana an		Deserried		
	16:30	Kim Hummer	Confirming clonal identity: a case study in	Recorded		
D-BASF	_		blueberries			
The Chemical Company	16:45	Mark Ehlenfeldt	V. meridionale hybrids with 4x highbush	Recorded		
			blueberry			
	17:00	Michael Dossett	Challenges and strategies breeding for firmness,	Recorded		
			resistance to bruising, and reduced splitting			
			tendency in blueberry in British Columbia			
	17:15	Questions and Di	•	Live		
	17.13	-	1 6: Production Systems and Sustainability	LIVE		
			derator: Alejandro Pannunzio			
Session	17:30	Alejandro	Water footprint and life cycle assessment as	Recorded		
	17.50	Pannunzio	approaches to compare three blueberry varieties	necoraca		
Sponsor:		railifulizio				
			and two ways of marketing either bulk or in clam			
Myman's			shells			
yyg	17:45	Johannes Balas	Attempts of cultivation of bilberry in a	Recorded		
			horticultural system			
	18:00	Mathias	Effects of geographic origin and environmental	Recorded		
		Amundsen	conditions on anthocyanin profile of wild			
			Norwegian lingonberries (<i>Vaccinium vitis-idaea</i>			
			L.)			
	18:15	Questions and Discussion Live				
End of Day 1		-		LIVE		
End of Day 1	18:30	Conclusions and	Announcements			





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All times indicated	All times indicated are Atlantic Time (ADT) Tuesday, August 31				
	Time	Presenting Author	Title	Transmission	
Welcome for the day	9:10	Neri Vautour	Greetings from the Wild Blueberry Association of North America (Canada)	Recorded	
	9:15	David Gray	Greetings from the Faculty of Agriculture, Dalhousie University	Recorded	
	9:20	Loretta Robichaud	Greetings from the Province of Nova Scotia	Recorded	
	9:25	Bloyce Thompson	Greetings from the Province of Prince Edward Island	Recorded	
	Ted	chnical Session 7: Prod	duction Systems and Sustainability		
		Moderato	r: Inger Martinussen		
Session Sponsor:	9:30	Inger Martinussen	Norwegian wild berries -increased predictability and value creation - the WILDBERRIES project	Recorded	
CLIMATE FIELDVIEW	9:45	Hong Yu	The development trend and potential of the blueberry industry in China	Recorded	
#FIEDVIEW.	10:00	Melinda Simpson	The Australian story: blueberry production past, present and future	Recorded	
	10:15	Teresa Valdiviesso	Corema album from the wild to the field	Recorded	
	10:30	Questions and Discu	ıssion	Live	
BREAK	10:45	Coffee Break and Sp	eed Networking and Virtual Tradeshow		
	Technic		g, Genetics, Genomics, and Phenomics		
	T	1	ator: Dorrie Main		
Session Sponsor:	11:00	Dorrie Main	Using the GDV breeding information management system for efficient management and analysis of breeding data	Recorded	
FAIL	11:15	Mark Ehlenfeldt	Breaking interspecific barriers in Vaccinium: <i>V. meridionale</i> hybrids with blueberry, cranberry, and lingonberry	Recorded	
FARM & NURSERY, INC. Blueberry Nursery Stock Growers	11:30	Joe Kawash	Identifying epistatic loci for fruit rot resistance in cranberry using machine learning	Recorded	
	11:45	Eric Gerbrandt	Heritability of leaf and fruit calcium may enable selection against green fruit drop disorder in highbush blueberry breeding	Recorded	
	12:00	Questions and Discu	ıssion	Live	
BREAK	12:15	Nutrition Break and	Virtual Tradeshow		
	Technic		g, Genetics, Genomics, and Phenomics or: James Polashock		

Session Sponsor:	13:00	James Polashock	Cranberry genomics: advances and	Recorded
			applications	1100010.00
	13:15	Savithri	Transcriptome analysis of ethylene-	Recorded
	10.15	Nambeesan	regulated ripening in blueberry fruit	Recorded
SPACNIE ACADIEN	13:30	Svetlana Yurgel	Soil and plant-associated microbiomes in	Recorded
S sauvage	13.30	Svetidila raigei	Vaccinium angustifolium management	Recorded
' AA '			system	
	13:45	Robert Martin	High throughput sequencing aided	Recorded
THE ACADINA MILD BLUESCHIN COMPANY LTD	13.13	Nobel Water	identification of a novel luteovirus	recorded
			infecting blueberry	
	14:00	Questions and Discu		Live
Plenary	14:15	Laura Jaakola	Phenolic compounds in <i>Vaccinium</i> spp.:	Recorded
			diversity, biosynthesis, and molecular	necoraea
			regulation.	
	Technic	al Session 10: Berry Co	omposition and Postharvest Physiology	
		en e	or: Sebastian Rivera	
Session Sponsor:	15:00	Sebastian Rivera	Blueberry mechanical properties:	Recorded
Session Sponsor.	13.00	Sepastian Nivera	Influence of harvest maturity and storage	Recorded
			relative humidity	
in Edward L	15:15	Richard Espley	The spatio-temporal accumulation and	Recorded
ace 1	13.13	Michard Espiley	regulation of anthocyanin in Vaccinium	Recorded
Ar B	15:30	Giverson Mupambi	Investigating the potential of S-ABA to	Recorded
	15.50	Giverson widpanion	increase anthocyanin biosynthesis in	Recorded
			Stevens' and 'Howes' cranberry	
Blueberry Growers	15:45	Nelly Arellanes	Phenolic compound content in blueberry	Recorded
Association Inc	13.43	Juarez	var. Biloxi grown in the Sierra Norte of	Recorded
		Judicz	Oaxaca, Mexico, harvested in warm	
			season	
	16:00	Questions and Discu		Live
		· ·	: Germplasm and Propagation	2.00
			tor: Margit Laimer	
Session Sponsor:	16:15	Margit Laimer	Germplasm collection of Vaccinium	Recorded
			species in vitro	
	16:30	Umanath Sharma	A comparison of three culture systems in	Recorded
			shoot proliferation of lingonberry	
	16:45	Eduviges Borroto	Phytoplasmas in Vaccinium	Recorded
BELCHIM		Fernández	, .	
CROP PROTECTION	17:00	Questions and Discu	ission	Live
		Technical Sess	ion 12: Plant Physiology	
		Moderat	or: Bernadine Strik	
Session Sponsor:	17:15	Bernadine Strik	Lessons learned from long-term research	Recorded
			on organic production systems of	
syngenta			northern highbush blueberry	
Syligelita	17:45	Kenneth Anku	Remote assessment of phenology and	Recorded
			Monilinia and Botrytis diseases in wild	
			blueberry fields	<u> </u>
	18:00	Questions and Discu	Live	
End of Day 2	18:15	Conclusions and Ann	nouncements	



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All times indicated	are Atlaı	ntic Time (ADT)	Wedn	nesday, September 1		
	Time	Presenting Au	ıthor	Title	Transmission	
Welcome for the	9:15	David Perciva	l	Update and greetings of the day	Recorded	
day						
Technical Session 13: Pest Management						
Moderator: Philip Fanning						
Session Sponsor:	9:30	Philip Fanning	5	Integrated pest management for spotted	Recorded	
				wing drosophila in blueberry		
	9:45	Daniel Kirschb	aum	Occurrence and population fluctuations	Recorded	
				of <i>Drosophila suzukii</i> (Diptera:		
				Drosophilidae) in blueberry crops of		
OXFORD	40.00	D ' ' - C'		subtropical Argentina	D d d	
®	10:00	Benjamin Cing	get	From mitochondrial genome to	Recorded	
				strobilurin resistance: the history of group I intron evolution in cranberry		
				fruit rot fungi		
	10:15	Lily Calderwoo	nd he	Tine weeding as a weed management	Recorded	
	10.15	Lify carder wo	Ju	tool in Maine wild blueberry	Recorded	
	10:30	Questions and Disc		,	Live	
BREAK	10:45			peed Networking		
Te	chnical S	Session 14: Soil	Fertil	ity, Plant Physiology, and Plant Nutrition		
		Mod	erator	: Pedro Bras Oliveira		
Session Sponsor:	11:00	Pedro Bras	Exten	nding blueberry production season with	Recorded	
		Oliveira		rent covering materials		
	11:15	Sophie		er management of soilless potting media	Recorded	
		Parks		outhern highbush blueberry, an Australian		
	44.00	\(\alpha \)		study		
((ravo)	11:30	Yifan Yan		transpirational water loss in blueberry is	Recorded	
®	11:45	Amanda		ted by stem scar size and cuticular waxes	Recorded	
	11:45	Amanda Davis		input pruning options in 'Mini Blues' for alized processed markets reduce	Recorded	
		Davis	-	uction costs while maintaining yield and		
			qualit			
	12:00	Questions and	•	•	Live	
BREAK	12:15	_		l Virtual Tradeshow		
				erry Composition and Postharvest		
Moderator: Charles Forney						
Session Sponsor:	13:00	Charles	-	ct of species, growing location, and	Recorded	
		Forney		var and flavor chemistry of blueberry fruit		
	13:15	Joana Pico		/QTOF validated methodology for the	Recorded	
		Carbajo		rmination of free and bound phenolic		
				oounds in six commercial blueberry		
			varie	ties		

Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada	13:30 13:45	metak		tigating ethylene regulated changes in bolite composition during the blueberry sinium spp.) fruit ripening ussion	Recorded Live
Special Session	14:00	Robert Tribut		te to Chad Finn	Recorded
	14:15	Arnfinn Nes	Tribu	te to Rolf Nestby	Recorded
	Technica	al Session 16: S	oil Fer	tility, Plant Physiology, Plant Nutrition	
		r	Moder	ator: David Bryla	
Session Sponsor:	14:30	David Bryla		Beneficial use of biostimulants in northern highbush blueberry	Recorded
OILU T	14:45	David Leon		Response of northern highbush blueberry to fertigation and granular applications of phosphorus fertilizer	Recorded
BLUEBERRY PRODUCERS ASSOCIATION	15:00	Pedro Rojas B	arros	Fall nitrogen fertilization in cranberry: effects on plant growth and fruit production	Recorded
*OVA SCOTIA	15:15	Pablo Munoz Vega		Relationship between fruit firmness and dry matter of three blueberry cultivars (<i>Vaccinium corymbosum</i> L.) in different agroclimatic zones in Chile	Recorded
	15:30	Questions and Disc			Live
ISI	HS Intern	ı		mposium Awards and Business Meeting	
Sponsor Session:	15:45	ISHS Graduate	e Stude	ent Presentation Awards	Live
		ISHS Business			Live
Agromart		Report on the			Live
GRUID		Preparations	for the	next IVS 2024	Live
Truro Agromant Limited	18:00	Adjournment	and S	ee You in 2024!	

Poster Sessions

Poster							
Number	Presenting Author	Poster Title					
Technical	Technical Session 1: Breeding, Genetics, Genomics and Phenomics						
P1	Massimo Iorizzo	Development of an ultradensity linkage map and QTL mapping for					
		fruit quality traits in blueberry (<i>Vaccinium corymbosum</i> L.)					
P2	James Polashock	Evidence of a reciprocal heterozygous translocation in cranberry					
P3	David Percival	Wild blueberry phenotypes infected with <i>Monilinia vaccinii corymbosi</i>					
		have varied PR gene responses under field conditions					
P4	Ryan Cullen	Screening of southern highbush blueberry breeding population for					
		parthenocarpic ability and fruit quality characteristics					
P5	Kuo-Tan Li	Environmental regulations on flowering and expression of flowering					
		genes in southern highbush blueberry					
P6	Ozgecan Yalcin	Confirming identity of blueberry cultivars with a microsatellite					
		fingerprinting set					
P7	Jeffrey Neyhart	Identification of candidate abiotic stress tolerance loci in wild					
		cranberry using environmental association					
P8	Patrick Jones	Lessons learned from 30 years of evaluating northern highbush					
		blueberry genotypes ' the importance of rotating plantings and using					
		commercial production methods					
P9	Jeannine Rowland	High density genetic linkage map and identification of QTL for chilling					
		requirement, cold hardiness, and fruit quality traits in a diploid					
		blueberry population					
P10	Marti Pottorff	A high-throughput phenotyping method using near infrared					
		spectroscopy to measure anthocyanin content in blueberry					
P11	Joel Abbey	Molecular responses of wild blueberry phenotypes to <i>Botrytis cinerea</i>					
		infection					
P12	Elina Coneva	Assessment of rabbiteye blueberry (Vaccinium ashei) cultivars in					
		Alabama					
P13	Sara Knowles	Relationships between fruit rot resistance and horticultural traits in					
		America cranberry (Vaccinium macrocarpon Ait.)					
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Technical Session 2: Germplasm and Propagation				
P14	Matthew Davis	Optimizing lighting conditions in tissue culture for blueberry		
P15	Adrian Asanica	First outcomes of grafting highbush blueberry in Romania		
P16	D. Kovarova	In vitro cultivation of <i>Vaccinium arctostaphylos</i> , section Hemimyrtillus		

Technic	cal Session 3: Pollination, I	Production Systems and Sustainability, and Precision Agriculture
P17	Lisa Devetter	Optmizing honey bee hive densities and using pheromones to
		increase blueberry pollination
P18	David Yarborough	The wild blueberry industry in North America
P19	Adrian Asanica	Upright training system for blueberry
P20	Kuo-Tan Li	Pollination compatibility and parthenocarpic berry set in autumn-
		bloom rabbiteye blueberry cultivars and breeding lines
P21	David Bryla	Application of small unmanned aerial systems for spatial and
		temporal assessment of plant water deficits and irrigation needs in
		northern highbush blueberry

P22	Kyoka Nagasaka	Evaluation of 'O'Neal' pollen performance on highbush blueberry fruit
		size and quality
P23	Robert Veberic	Challenges to blueberry cultivation in protected environment
P24	Rafa Tasnim	Wild blueberry fields at Downeast, Maine are warming faster than the
		whole region of Maine
P25	Amanda Davis	Improving production efficiency in `Legacy' blueberry through
		pruning, training, and harvest techniques
P26	Susanna Simovaara	First results from a high tunnel experiment with soilless culture of
		American cranberries under Nordic conditions
P27	Rui Machado	Strategies to reduce supraoptimal temperatures during field and
		containerized production of highbush blueberry in warm climates
P28	Pratima Pahadi	Ecological niches and leaf economic spectrum across genotypes of
		Vaccinium angustifolium and Vaccinium myrtilloides in a semi-natural
		agricultural system

Technic	al Session 4: Soil Fertility DI	ant Physiology and Plant Nutrition
P29	Lisa DeVetter	Determining optimal nitrogen fertilizer sources and rates for organic
		highbush blueberry grown in high pH soils
P30	Manabu Watanabe	Relationship between summer-autumn flowering and air temperature
		in highbush blueberry
P31	Hiroyuki Nakagawa	Plant growth promotion by heat-resistant fungi isolated from
		blueberry fruit
P32	Chris Benedict	The use of manure- derived ammonium sulfate in blueberries
P33	Justine Cox	The relationship between moisture content of soilless media and
		floral nectar in potted southern highbush blueberry
P34	David Leon	Comparison of methods for applying boron fertilizers in northern
		highbush blueberry
P35	Pauliina Palonen	Winter hardiness of highbush blueberry cultivar Arto as affected by
		high tunnel cultivation
P36	Anne Hykkerud	Effect of temperature on growth and quality of clones of Vaccinium
	-	myrtillus
P37	Bernadine Strik	Revised leaf tissue nutrient sufficiency standards for northern
		highbush blueberry in Western Oregon
P38	Maty Diop	Use of symbiotic microorganisms to improve growth, productivity and
		quality of cranberries grown in Quebec
P39	Yong-Jiang Zhang	Impacts of warming on wild blueberry physiology, pest pressure and
1 33	Tong-hang Linding	yield

Techni	Technical Session 5: Pest Management				
P40	Seanna Annis	Potential effects of insects on survival of <i>Monilinia vaccinii-corymbosi</i> pseudosclerotia			
P41	Simon Morvan	Effect of thermal pruning on wild lowbush blueberry (<i>Vaccinium angustifolium</i> Ait.) and its environment			
P42	Joel Abbey	Potential use of biofungicides for the control of Botrytis blossom blight and Septoria leaf spot in wild blueberry fields			
P43	Walter Apaza-Tapia	Effect of different fungicides on the control of <i>Lasiodiplodia</i> theobromae causal agent of dieback in blueberries in the Chavimochic irrigation project in Peru			

P44	Daniel Kirschbaum	Parasitoids associated with the invasive pest <i>Drosophila suzukii</i> (Diptera: Drosophilidae) in Argentina and their potential role as
		biological control agents in blueberry orchards
P45	Austin Lloyd	Soil microbiome of lowbush blueberries under fungicidal
		management
P46	Alberto Pedreros	Organic management of weeds in blueberry production in a volcanic
		soil of Chile
P47	Edgar Vinson	Incidence of spotted wing drosophila infestation in blueberries in
		Alabama
P48	Hugh Lyu	Weed survey of Nova Scotia wild blueberry (Vaccinium angustifolium
		Ait.) fields

Techni	Technical Session 6: Berry Composition and Postharvest Attributes		
P49	Priyanka Trivedi	Composition, morphology and effect of environmental factors on	
		biosynthesis of cuticular wax in bilberry	
P50	Kjersti Aaby	Evaluation of extraction methods for determination of phenolic	
		compounds, organic acids and sugars in lingonberries (Vaccinium vitis-idaea)	
P51	Adrian Berry	Pulp temperature at impact affects southern highbush blueberry fruit quality	
P52	Travis Esau	Performance of a soft sorter for removing overripe and damaged wild	
		blueberries during processing	
P53	Giverson Mupambi	Aminoethoyxvinylglycine (AVG) does not improve fruit firmness of	
		`Stevens' and `Howes' cranberry	
P54	Lara Giongo	Endogenous ethylene production plays an important role in blueberry	
		fruit quality and storability	
P55	Pedro Bras Oliveira	Effects of hot air treatment and storage temperature on 'Camarinha'	
		(Corema album (L.) D. Don) postharvest quality	
P56	Taishan Li	Effects of 5-AzaC, an inhibitor of DNA methyltransferase on blueberry	
		fruit development and ripening	