

### 1. Proceedings

- The proceedings will be edited in the traditional format and uploaded as a PDF-version to the Website.
- Those who want a paper copy, should tell this to Ueli Merz. He will ask a print shop for a bid for printing costs and it's up to the ordering person to decide if he/she can afford the printing costs.
- as an alternative you can send the pdf-file yourself to the print shop
- **Deadline is end of October 2013**
- not more than 4 A4 pages
- the proceedings will be edited by Ueli Merz

### 2. Quovadis IWGPVFFV

Although our group is constantly shrinking, at least at the symposia, it was agreed that we should continue. As the topic - viruses transmitted by fungal vectors - is so special and only a few people worldwide are involved, this is reason enough to continue our group work. There is the possibility to extend our topic to viruses transmitted by nematodes (also soil-borne) to attract more people. The idea of a newsletter was also brought into discussion to keep the members up-to-date and to produce some kind of group identity. Another need is to update the members list, especially the e-mail addresses. Although this is a difficult task, efforts should be made.

### 3. Next symposium venue (2016)

As only 4 people from outside Japan were present and most of them had already organized a symposium, no decision was made. One suggestion was to hold it in France but this needs clarification. Another suggestion was made by Ch. Hiruki to ask a Chinese scientist who he thinks would be willing to organize the next meeting. U. Merz accepted to contact this person in Beijing.

### 4. The committee

As Charlie Rush as a committee member has changed his work topic (to mite-transmitted viruses) it was suggested to nominate Takato Nakayama (one of the local organizer) as Charlies successor which was accepted by Takato and the assembly. We all are very thankful to him for all the contributions he made to our group, especially the editorial and printing work of most of our proceedings.

### 5. Website

Ueli Merz will continue to maintain the (simple) IWGPVFFV website. He will also try to assemble an actual member list and publish it.