**Higher Education Challenge Grant Project**

**‘Enhancing Educational Outcomes for Plant Genetic Resources Conservation and Use’**

**AGENDA May 2, 2023, 10 am MDT**

Zoom Meeting: <https://zoom.us/j/95565012715?pwd=Lzl6c05tR2JrdTJUK3hZWXJQY2p5dz09>

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Invited: Pat Byrne, CSU Soil and Crop Sciences

Geoff Morris, CSU Soil and Crop Sciences

Jill Zarestky, CSU School of Education

Gina Cerimele, CSU Soil and Crop Sciences

Kierra Jewell, CSU Soil and Crop Sciences

Kat Chen, CSU/NLGRP

Deana Namuth-Covert, CSU College of Agricultural Sciences

AssibiMahama, ISU Agronomy

Candy Gardner, ISU Agronomy

Stephen Gray, ISU Agronomy

Forrest Douglass, USDA-ARS, Ames

Gayle Volk, USDA-ARS, Fort Collins

Gary Kinard, USDA-ARS, Beltsville

1. Pat: NGRAC (National Genetic Resources Advisory Council) Meeting, April 11-12

NIFA Project Directors Meeting, April 19-21

HEC Advisory Council Meeting, April 25

1. Assibi/Stephen: Updates from Iowa State Univ.
2. Candy/Forrest: Updates from PI Station, Ames
3. Geoff/Kierra: Fall 2023 course announcement and registration status
4. Jill: Evaluation of CSU Online Courses 1, 2 & 3; Survey of GRIN-U users
5. Deana: Upskilling; badges; career paths; ebook user data
6. Gary: GRIN-U updates
7. Pat: Other ways of measuring impact?
8. Kat: Success Stories and genebank operations ebooks; Spur activities

**Next meeting:** Tuesday, June 6, 2023, 10 am-11:30 am MST