

Pančevo Declaration
on
Cooperation between researchers and research institutions
from Japan and Serbia

The participants of workshop on safe usage and practical application of pesticides held in PSS Institute Tamiš, on September 30 2015, agreed to sign this Declaration. On the workshop the following presentations were held:

1. **Mrs. Maja SUDIMAC**, Graduate Engineer plant protection, PSS Institute Tamis Ltd., "Pesticides - Classification, Formulation, Declarations and Guidelines for the Application and Summary of Training Program for the Safe Application of Pesticides".
2. **Dr. Nobutoshi OHTSUKA**, Center for Environmental Science in Saitama, Japan "Occurrence of Neonicotinoid Insecticides in River Water in Saitama Prefecture, Japan".
3. **Dr. Yuki HAGA**, Hyogo Prefectural Institute of Environmental Sciences, Kobe, Japan "Measurement of Oh-PCBs in PCB Transport Worker's Urine For a Safety Check".
4. **Prof. Dr. Takeshi NAKANO**, Research Center for Environmental Preservation, Osaka University, Japan "Pesticide Monitoring and Pest Extermination".
5. **Mr. Nikola ŠKRBIĆ**, Graduate Engineer agricultural machinery, PSS Institute Tamis Ltd., "Personal Protective Equipment and Equipment for the Proper Distribution of Pesticides".


Environmental chemistry is an unavoidable scientific basis to analyze and assess environmental pollution in countries around the world. Environmental biotechnology can offer solutions to some of the problems which result from environmental pollution.

The participants of the workshop gathered around the JICA Grassroot project "**Capacity Building for Analysis and Reduction Measures of Persistent Organic Pollutants in Serbia**" to support initiative of the Project coordinators in agreement to collaborate and share knowledge on the progress of the science of environmental chemistry and related research areas in both countries. The contribution towards sharing the progress will include joint efforts, covering, but not limited to, the following areas:

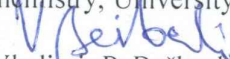
1. The workshops on safe usage of pesticides and environment protection should continue.
2. Support in broadening the network to other research areas if interest is expressed by researchers from either side.
3. Education of the residents of Pančevo city will be broadened.
4. Pamphlets on safe usage of pesticides and safe disposal of packages will be produced.
5. Education of high school students ("Paja Marganović" School of Economy) from Pancevo on environmental protection will be realized in cooperation with high school Professors.
6. Organization of Webinars for collaboration and networking to achieve established goals.

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