

UCSD PLANT BIOLOGY and FF21
MINI SYMPOSIUM
TUESDAY JANUARY 17th, 2017
1103 MUIR BIOLOGY

9:00 am Refreshments

9:30 am **Gene (Gynheung) An**, Director, Crop Biotech Institute, Kyung Hee University, Republic of Korea
Cytokinin delays flowering in rice



10:15 am **Benjamin Laga**, Head of Trait Discovery, Bayer CropScience, Belgium
Pod Shatter Reduction: A Game Changing Technology

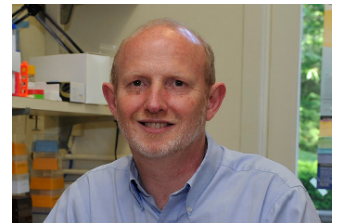


11:00 am **Yongbiao Xue**, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing
Genetic control of rice thermomorphogenesis

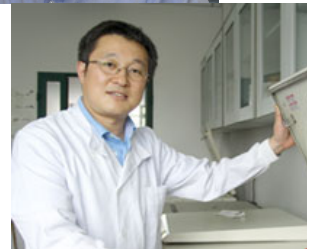


11:45 am - 1:00 pm Lunch Break

1:00 pm **Rob Martienssen**, HHMI-GBMF Investigator, Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory
Heterochromatin reprogramming in pollen and cells: how to avoid bad Karma



1:45 pm **Bin Han**, Professor and Director of Shanghai Institute of Plant Physiology, Chinese Academy of Sciences
Genetic basis of hybrid vigor in rice



2:30 pm **Hailing Jin**, Professor & Cy Mouradick Endowed Chair Director of Genetics, Genomics and Bioinformatics Graduate Program, UC Riverside
Bidirectional cross-Kingdom RNAi

