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Meeting on 9 August 2021, 10:00 – 11:30
Teams
Section meeting

Minutes

Present: Climate and Water section, Camilla Brodam, Torsten Rødel Berg

Agenda:

1. Approval of agenda
2. Staff news
3. Messages
4. Table round
5. Short updates on planned applications
6. Social event
7. AOB

Jytte Christensen

Date: 9 August 2021

Ad 1: Approval of agenda

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Ad 2: Staff news

- Enrolled PhD students from 1 September:
 - Shaohui Zhang, supervisor Poul Erik and Kiril
 - Mingming Zong, supervisor Uffe and Ji
- Arlete Simoes Barneze, guest postdoc from Wageningen from mid of August – mid of October. Her host is Diego A. (*I forgot to mention this at the meeting*)
- Uffe is nominated as professor
- To replace the competences of Jørgen within climate change related subjects, work is in progress to hire an additional professor for our section.

We are expecting four more Chinese guest students over the coming months.

Ad 3: Messages

All future section meetings will be physical meetings. This also applies to the elevator talks.

Ad 4: Table round

Several staff started again today after a well-deserved holiday.

Camilla:

Writing articles. Planning of autumn department webinars. In September Climate and Water is responsible for the webinar. Mathias will follow-up on the topics (we discussed this issue at the section meeting 28 May).



Christen:

Plan to re-submit application to DFF with deadline September. A project on N-retention on field scale is approved.

Esben:

Started as PhD student 1 July and are figuring out how to do that. Involved in field experiments.

Guangyan:

Preparing papers and involved in sampling.

Imran:

First draft of manuscript, field work, PhD courses.

Jens:

Monitoring potato late blight. Chairman of the department data management committee. Data management has high priority from Jørgen. If you are interested in data management, you are welcome to contact Jens.

Ji:

Organising an open network meeting for Nordic countries in Foulum in autumn with Uffe. Writing on two proposals. Manuscripts under revision.

Jeroen:

Installation of four eddy-covariance towers.

Julie:

Started PhD study 1 July. Main supervisor is Sabine Ravnskov, Flakkebjerg. Will be around until end of this year. From January stay 6 month in Scotland and then positioned at Flakkebjerg.

Jytte:

Administrative tasks related to newcomers. If you need assistance, you are welcome to contact me.

Kirsten E.:

Harvesting of peas. Working on the Stable Fertile and GrainLegsGo projects. Preparing a DFF application.

Laura:

Writing on two papers, lab work.



Margit:

Involved in ICROFS projects and in the data management project.

Mette:

Planning of GIS day 16 November in SØ-auditorierne. A two-day meeting in GIS-committee in September. Supporting people 'in-panic'.

Nick:

Papers, preparing for Noha defence, involved in organizing of a webinar in November.

Niels:

Writing papers.

Poul Erik:

Status report project on paludi-fibre project. Teaching (Erasmus+ and course in Crop Production). BrightSpace course. Trying to keep track of all projects.

Poul:

Holiday in two weeks.

Shuo:

Papers, sampling

Torsten:

Co-co project and BSU III project in Ghana. Trying to find out of new calls and deadlines.

Uffe:

Re-calculation in the area-use project together with Esben. Preparing evaluation of CBIO (in November). Start-up GrassTools project and planning of kick-off in September. Involved in two HEU proposals.

Vita:

Working on publications. Finalizing thesis within three months. Moving to Slagelse.

Xuezhi:

Working on the third paper, lab work.

Yan:

Measurements in semifield, paper writing

Yanzhi:

Experiments, preparing first paper

Ying:

ReWet project and project on soil-profiles. Involved in data management project.

Mathias:

Preparing CCCC teaching, several policy support tasks e.g. knowledge-synthesis on climate change adaptation in Denmark.

Ad 5: Short update on application possibilities

The excel sheets here O:\Tech_AGRO\Klima\Application possibilities is updated.

For applications to DFF, the same procedure will apply as for the previous call. Contact Torsten if you plan to submit a proposal to DFF and register for a pitch-session.

Ad 6: Social event

Thanks to Uffe for inviting us for the pizza-event 18 June.

Thanks to the colleagues who gave introductions to their experiments 30 June at Foulumgård.

Suggestions for new events:

- Trekking from Bjerringbro – Busbjerg along Gudenå 15th or 22nd September
- Games (ping-pong, beach-volley, board-games) September/October
- International dinner October/November

If you have any ideas, feel free to e-mail Jytte and Mathias.

Ad 7: AOB

Remember to inform Jytte on new publications.

At the next section meeting, a session on publications will be included.

IPCC report has been launched.