



CASE STUDY 23:

A BCH Focal Point registers a biosafety expert with the Roster of Biosafety Experts

Objective:

- To learn how to register an expert with the Biosafety Clearing House Roster of Experts.

References:

- “A Guide to the Roster of Biosafety Experts” (Go to <https://bch.cbd.int/database/record-v4.shtml?documentid=101557> then scroll down to the bottom of the page to see the link to download it) or directly from <http://bch.cbd.int/database/attachment/?id=10937>)
- BCH Training Site (Go to <http://bch.cbd.int> > Help (or Resources) > Training Site of the BCH)
- Training Manual 06: Registering Information in the BCH Central Portal
- Training Manual 07: Registering National Information in the BCH Central Portal

Scenario:

Your department has identified an expert to be included in the Biosafety Roster of Experts.

- A. Please use the attached CV to register the expert with the Roster.
- B. Identify some additional information you may need to request the expert to provide.

If time permits:

- C. Create a BCH account (National Authorized User) for the expert to allow him to update his own record directly through the BCH Central Portal.

Important note:

Please be sure that you are using the *BCH Training Site* for this exercise!

CV for Professor Abe Cedarium

Summary of expertise

Managed agricultural development for various national and international organizations; responsible for conducting environmental impact assessments for national risk assessment agency for 7 years; lectured on allergenicity of introduced traits into foodstuffs; written many papers on the biology of modified papaya.

Work history

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TRAINER NOTES

Training Objective:

To learn how to use the BCH Management Centre to add a biosafety expert to the roster and to determine which additional information should be requested from the expert.

Requirements:

BCH account and access to the BCH.

Notes:

- Users can work singly or in small groups for this exercise.
- Participants need to have their own BCH account ready. They will login the **BCH Training Site** using their own BCH account. Refer to MO06 Training Manual for details on how to create a BCH account.
- It is recommended for you to setup your own Training Space for your workshop before you start this exercise. Otherwise, the participants can select the “Public BCH Training” training space.
- At the end of the exercise, the participant logged in with the role “BCH-NFP” will need to validate completed records. After that, the instructor (logged in with the role “Administrator: BCH Training Site”) will also need to validate completed records, so that participants can access them through the “Roster of Experts” section of the BCH Training Site.
- An additional task is provided for users who finish the exercise quickly. This addresses creation of an Expert Account on the BCH to update the record directly (See Case Study 03 – “Registering data into the BCH Central Portal: National Authorized Users Management”)