

Global Methane Initiative Agriculture Webinar

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Panelists

- **Agriculture Subcommittee Co-chairs**
 - Jorge Hilbert, Argentina
 - Anil Dhussa, India
- **Administrative Support Group**
 - Monica Shimamura
 - Cortney Itle
 - Lauren Lariviere
 - Sarah Greenberg

Review of Last Meeting

- Conducted in November 2010 in Venice in conjunction with Landfill and Wastewater Sector
- Topics discussed include:
 - Review of subcommittee leadership
 - ASG sent an email announcing the available Subcommittee co-chair position and wrote a thank you letter to Jeremy Eppel for his years of service as co-chair.
 - Action plans and reporting
 - Delegates will continue to complete action plans and perform reporting activities.
 - Update on resource assessments
 - Overview was provided of countries which have had RAs developed, which are in progress, and which are planned.
 - In addition, a summary was presented of the Ecuador RA, which was the most recently completed RA.
 - Future subcommittee work
 - U.S. EPA will continue to provide support for RA development, international database, and possibly an international calculator tool.
 - Delegates will work to identify projects to evaluate using the International Guidance.



Meeting Goals

- Discuss current and future GMI sector-wide activities
- Determine the future activities of the Agriculture Subcommittee to gain more involvement from partner countries to leverage our work on methane emissions reductions
- Identify a new co-chair for the Subcommittee

Subcommittee Leadership

- Each subcommittee may have up to three co-chairs
- The Agriculture Subcommittee has an available co-chair position
- The more involved you are, the more the Agriculture Subcommittee can accomplish
- If you would like to suggest a candidate or would like to volunteer for the co-chair position, please contact the ASG at asg@globalmethane.org