**Preliminary program** for the NJAN Seminar in Ås

Date: December 10, 2025.

Location/Room: O43 Auditoriet, Ås.

**Morning Program**

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| 09:30 - 10:00 | **Meeting and Greetings** |
| 10:00 - 10:10 | **Introduction of NJAN. Collaboration with Japan, opportunities and funding resources.** Thiago M. Inagaki - Researcher at NIBIO Dep. Biogeochemistry and Soil Quality |
| 10:10 - 10:20 | **Introduction to JSPS**. JSPS Stockholm Office |
| 10:20 - 10:40 | **Introduction of NIBIO and Division of Environment and Resources**. Thomas Hartnik - Director of the NIBIO Division of Environment and Natural Resources |
| 10:40 - 11:00 | **Introduction of Tokyo University of Agriculture and international collaboration.** IRIE Kenji. Professor, Dean of Faculty of International Agriculture and Food Studies, Tokyo University of Agriculture. |
| 11:00 - 11:30 | MoU, group photo, and casual discussion |
| 11:30 - 12:30 | Lunch |

**Afternoon**

**Seminar part 1. The Unlikely Alliance: Finding Common Ground in Tropical and High-Latitude Farming.**

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| 12:30 - 13:00 | **TBA**. IRIE Kenji. Professor, Dean of Faculty of International Agriculture and Food Studies, Tokyo University of Agriculture. |
| 13:00 - 13:30 | **TBA**. Erik J. Joner - Head of the NIBIO Dep. of Bioresources and Recycling Technologies |
| 13:30 - 14:00 | **TBA**. Astrid Solvåg Nesse. Researcher - NIBIO Dep. of Bioresources and Recycling Technologies |
| 14:00 - 14:30 | Coffee Break |

**Seminar part 2. Biotech Solutions for a Circular Economy: Innovations in Waste and Carbon Management.**

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| 14:30 - 15:00 | **TBA**. IRIE Mami, Associate Professor, Faculty of International Agriculture and Food Studies, Tokyo University of Agriculture. |
| 15:00 - 15:30 | **Application of microalgae technology for bioremediation**. Ikumi Umetani. Researcher - NIBIO Dep. of Bioresources and Recycling Technologies |
| 15:30 - 16:00 | **Application of biofilm for CO2 conversion**. Lu Feng. Researcher - NIBIO Dep. of Bioresources and Recycling Technologies |