One Health Day Seminar

One Health Approach to Address the Global Health Security Risks in the Interconnected World

Griffith University’s Centre for Environment and Population Health, Environmental Futures Research Institute and Climate Change Response Program jointly organised the second annual One Health Day seminar titled “One Health Approach to Global Health Security Risks in Today’s Interconnected World” in Nathan Campus, Brisbane, Australia on November 3, 2017.

The 2017 One Health Day seminar aimed at facilitating a shared understanding of the transdisciplinary synergies and professional networking among researchers, practitioners, policy makers, and advocates of One Health approach to address the growing threat to national, regional and global health security. The seminar focussed on three themes: (1) Global Health Security, (2) Emerging and Re-emerging Infectious Diseases, and (3) One Health Approach: Challenges and Opportunities.

The day-long event was opened by Dr Jeannette Young, Chief Health Officer Queensland and the Deputy Director-General of Queensland Health followed by keynote presentations by Dr Jacqui King, Manager, Science Coordination and the representative of the Chief Veterinary Officer of Queensland and Professor Hamish McCallum, Environment Future Research Centre, Griffith University. The seminar was packed with presentations by expert researchers, decision-makers, health professionals and early career researchers from across disciplines and sectors from Queensland and from the Asia-Pacific Region (India, Indonesia and Taiwan). The program concluded with a mixed panel discussion about future directions and priorities, and ended in a positive and collaborative note. The event was video-streamed with live participation from the international participants.

Professor David Ellwood, Dean of Medicine, Griffith University congratulated the participants for the rich contents of the seminar and closed the event.

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Attachments:
Schedule of the seminar
Biography of presenters
Selected photos