



CASE STUDY (CSSD08):

Submitting data to the Biosafety Clearing House (BCH): A BCH Focal Point registers a biosafety expert with the Roster of Biosafety Experts.

Objective:

To learn how to use the BCH to add a biosafety expert to the Roster.

Scenario

Optional alternative: Register yourself as an expert to the Roster of Biosafety Experts on the BCH.

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

Q1. Please use the attached CV to register the expert with the Roster.

Q2. Identify some additional information you may need to request the expert to provide.

Extra work: If time permits, Create a BCH account (National Authorized User) for the expert to allow him to update his record directly through the BCH Central Portal.

CV for Professor Abe Cedarium

Summary of Expertise

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

Work history

1999-current:

Professor of Agricultural Development
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Additional experience

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Other information

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Mechanics:

Participants should be divided into groups of three to four members. Each group will be assigned a given country. Participants in each group will take turns assuming the BCH National Focal Point role while the rest can observe what he is doing.

Groups and log-in details for the BCH National Focal points are summarized below:

Group	Country	NFP User name	Password
1	Cape Verde	caboverde.nfp@gmail.com	BCH2021!!!
2	Pakistan	pakistan.nfp@gmail.com	BCH2021!!!
3	Jamaica	jamaica.nfp@gmail.com	BCH2021!!!
4	Mauritania	mauritania.nfp@gmail.com	BCH2021!!!
5	Mozambique	mozambique.nfp@gmail.com	Bchworkshop
6	Rwanda	rwanda.nfp@gmail.com	Bchworkshop
7	Gabon	gabon.nfp@gmail.com	Bchworkshop
8	Greece	greece.nfp@gmail.com	Abdef1234\$
9	Angola	angola.nfp@gmail.com	Abdef1234\$
10	Andorra	andorra.nfp@hotmail.com	Abdef1234\$
11	Comoros	comoros.nfp@hotmail.com	Abdef1234\$

Participants should visit the BCH' Training Site' (<https://bch.cbd.int>> Help> Training Site). Then log in using the assigned country NFP user name and password.

Participants should practice creating a 'Biosafety Experts (EXP)' record using the fictitious scenario information above. After that, S/He will see its status as 'Pending SCBD Approval.'



During this exercise, participants can also explore the following functions:

- Submitting the record in multiple languages by selecting the languages in the 'Please select in which language(s) you wish to submit this record' drop-down menu and including translation in the newly added fields.
- Use the 'Review' tab to check entered data and if any mandatory data is missing quickly.
- Use the 'Save Draft' functionality to save your data and make changes later.