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MPOB-SOPPOA Annual R&D
Progress Event 2025



1 & 2 OCT 2025

800am - 500pm



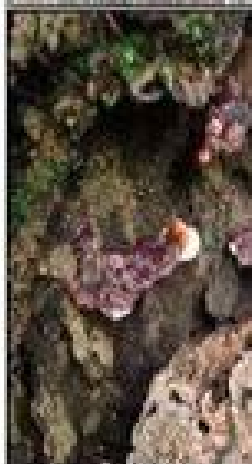
**EASTWOOD HOTEL MIRI
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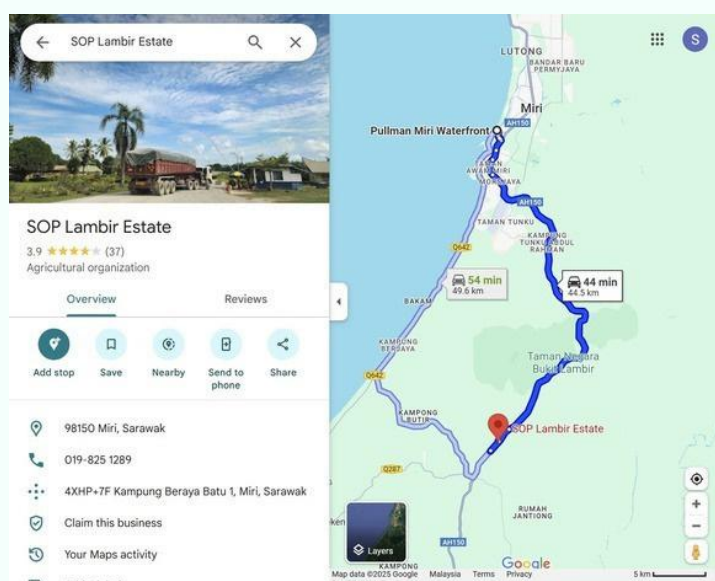
About the Workshop

The MPOB-SOPPOA Annual R&D Event is a yearly initiative to update members on the latest research developments and share practical knowledge relevant to the palm oil industry.

For 2025, the event will take the form of a two-day Ganoderma workshop, combining classroom sessions on monitoring, identification, and controls with field demonstrations covering symptom recognition, treatment application, and replanting process.

Open exclusively to SOPPOA members, participation is limit to 150 seats on a first-come, first-served basis. A fee of RM400 per participant will be charged to cover organization expenses, including meals and refreshments for both days.

Registration is only confirmed upon receipt of full payment.



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Account Holder: Sarawak Oil Palm Plantation Owners Association

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Please email bank-in slip to event@soppoa.org.my for issuance of receipt.

Registered participants must present their payment receipt during on-site registration.



DAY 1

1 OCTOBER 2025

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

EASTWOOD HOTEL, MIRI

Time	Program
8:00 – 9:00 am	Registration
9:00 – 9:15 am	Welcoming Remarks <i>Mr. Joseph Blandoi, Chairman, Sarawak Oil Palm Plantation Owners Association</i>
9:15 – 9:30 am	Opening Remarks <i>YBhg. Datuk Dr. Ahmad Parveez Hj. Ghulam Kadir, Director-General, Malaysian Palm Oil</i>
9:30 – 9:45 am	Group Photo session
9:45 – 10:05 am	Paper 1: Epidemiology and Predisposing Factor of <i>Ganoderma</i> Basal Stem Rot <i>Dr. Shamala Sundram, Head of Unit, Plant Pathology and Biosecurity Unit, MPOB</i>
10:05 – 10:25 am	Tea Break/Refreshments
10:25 – 10:45 am	Paper 2: Disease Identification, Detection and Census for <i>Ganoderma</i> BSR <i>Dr. Maizatul Suriza Mohamed, Group Leader, MPOB</i>
11:05 – 11:25 pm	Paper 3: Management of <i>Ganoderma</i> BSR in Existing Planting <i>Dr. Yuvarani Naidu, Research Officer, MPOB</i>
11:25 – 11:45 am	Q&A Session (Paper 1 – 3)
11:45– 12:05 pm	Paper 4: TBC <i>Mr. Rais Andersen, Chief Executive Officer, Pascal Biotech Sdn Bhd</i>
12:05 – 12:25 pm	Paper 5: Management of <i>Ganoderma</i> BSR in Replanting <i>Pn. Shariffah Muzaimah Syed Aripin, Research Officer, MPOB</i>
12:25 – 12:45 pm	Q&A Session (Paper 4 – 5)
12:45 – 2:00 pm	Lunch
2:00 – 2:20 pm	Paper 6: Screening for <i>Ganoderma</i> Resistance Program <i>Dr. Shamala Sundram, Head of Unit, Plant Pathology and Biosecurity Unit, MPOB</i>
2:20 – 2:40 pm	Paper 7: <i>Ganoderma</i> Management in Oil Palm Planted on Peat <i>Mr. Ling Chia Yi, Senior Agronomist, Tradewinds Plantations Bhd</i>
2:40 – 3:00 pm	Paper 8: Emerging Diseases of Oil Palm <i>Dr. Madihah Ahmad Zairun, Group Leader, MPOB</i>
3:00 – 3:20 pm	Q&A Session (Paper 6 – 8)
3:20 – 3:40 pm	Tea Break/Refreshments

Time	Program
3:40 – 4:00 pm	Paper 9: Exotic Disease and Biosecurity <i>Dr. Maizatul Suriza Mohamed, Group Leader, MPOB</i>
4:00 – 4:20 pm	Paper 10: TBC <i>Mr. Leon Chew Lik Yuan, Mygrow Trading Sdn Bhd</i>
4:20 – 4:40 pm	Q&A Session (Paper 9 – 10)
4:40 – 5:00 pm	Certification of Appreciation to Speakers
5:00 pm	End of the day



FIELD DEMO

DAY 2

2 OCTOBER 2025

8:30 AM - 2:00 PM

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Time	Program
8:00 - 8:30 am	Arrival of participants
8:30 - 9:00 am	Briefing and grouping
9:00 – 10:00 am 10:00 – 11:00 am 11:00 – 12:00 pm	Demo 1: Identification of Scoring System – Dr. Maizatul Suriza, M Demo 2: Biological Control Demo – Pn. Shariffah Muzaimah, S A Demo 3: Chemical Control Demo – Dr. Yuvarani, N
1:00 – 2.00 pm	Lunch/End of the day

***Note:** For the field demonstration, participants will be pre-assigned to a starting station. All participants are required to follow their assigned group and rotate through the stations accordingly.

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