

The Centre for Fisheries and Aquaculture Management and Economics (FAME); and the Nordic Network in Resource and Fisheries Economics and Management (NorFame) is arranging:

Workshop on

Aquaculture in the future

8th – 10th June 2005 University of Southern Denmark – Esbjerg – Denmark

Guest lectures

Professor James Muir, Institute of Aquaculture, University of Stirling

Professor Mahfuzuddin Ahmed, Senior Scientist/Program Leader - Policy Research and Impact Assessment Program (PRIAP) WorldFish Center

Background

The global development in aquaculture has shown a large increase in production most remarkable in Southeast Asia. The very rapid development is driven by private economic incentives, technological improvements and not the least the growing global marked for seafood through international trade.

Aquaculture exploits scarce water resources and space - both resources with a trade-off to other human activities. This calls for proper management and economic research into future development paths in the aquaculture development process.

FAME would like to raise the following questions which constitute the core problem fields in which economic and management research can make a difference:

Does aquaculture contribute to food security or merely compensate for the loss of yield from natural fish stocks?

How does aquaculture interact with wild fishery? As input in the production (harvesting industrial species)? Through market adaptation in input as well as output?

How does aquaculture influence the environment? Externalities? Land use planning? Competing use of environmental goods and services?

Participation

The workshop is free of charge for anyone wishing to participate. Travel and Accommodation expenses are covered for a limited number of participants from the Nordic and Baltic countries by a grant from NordForsk. Please notify us when you enroll.

Oral presentations of papers and poster presentations are possible and encouraged, please notify fame@sam.sdu.dk

Deadline for enrolment is 6th May 2005.

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Venue

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Accommodation is booked for the period $8^{th} - 10^{th}$ June

Additional booking (on participants own expense) can be arranged by contacting FAME – E-mail: fame@sam.sdu.dk