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Dear Colleagues,
Many thanks for taking time from your busy schedules to come for lunch today and talk about
mycotoxins. It was a great pleasure to meet you and to hear your perspectives. We are even
more optimistic than before that we can all learn quickly and effectively by working together
in this interdisciplinary group. We look forward to working with you in the near future.
The CCSF request for proposals asks for a brief letter of intent to be submitted by July 1,
with a full proposal due by September 5. This is a wonderful opportunity for us to focus our
efforts and submit a group project on mycotoxins and sustainability. The RFP can be found at:
http://www.sustainablefuture.cornell.edu/attachments/RFP_CCSF_2008.pdf
We will be in contact with again soon to find out if you are interested in participating and to
set up another meeting devoted to specific research ideas for this RFP.
Below is a list of participants at lunch today, which we would like to think of as the nucleus
of the Cornell Mycotoxin Working Group (CMWG). We hope that you and your students will be
interested in participating in an interdisciplinary seminar series in Fall 2008. We envision
one session each week throughout the semester, covering a broad range of topics in Agriculture,
Health and Social Sciences as they relate to mycotoxins. More information will be coming along
this summer.
We're looking forward to interacting more with you soon.
Best wishes,
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