Program of the Workshop:
‘Seed quality in genetic resources conservation of horticultural plants’
October 27th 2017, Skierniewice

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9.00 – 10.00 – Registration
10.00 – Opening – Małgorzata Korbin – Director of Research Institute of Horticulture (InHort), Skierniewice

10.10 – Physiological basis of seed germination, dormancy and longevity
- Christophe Bailly, University Paris VI, France

10.40 – Genetic and environmental basis of seed longevity
- Manuela Nagel, IPK Gatersleben, Germany

11.10 – Key factors affecting seed quality – from regeneration to storage
- Andreas Boerner IPK, Gatersleben, Germany

11.40 – Coffee break

12.10 – Gene bank procedures for seeds of deciduous shrubs and trees
- Czesław Kozioł, Kostrzyca Forest Gene Bank, Poland

12.40 – Cryogenic seed bank of wild Polish flora species
- Maciej Niemczyk, Botanic Garden of Polish Academy of Sciences, Powsin, Poland

13.10 – Discussion

13.30 – Lunch

14.30 – Group Work – groups for different topics concerning genebank standards for horticultural crops – participants can register for a groups:
Group topics will be specified

15:00 – Feedback from group work

15:20 – Plenary discussion, conclusions

15:50 – Closing

17:00-20:00 Common dinner

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