

**Nomination Form for the Biosafety Roster of Experts**  
**Version 5 June 2002**

**Expert Information**

Please provide full names rather than only acronyms or initials

Title:	<input type="checkbox"/> Ms.	<input type="checkbox"/> Mr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
	<input type="checkbox"/> Professor	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dr.	
Name:	Jens Schovsbo		
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Gender:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female	
Nationality:	Danish		

**Details of Current Employment**

Start Date of Employment (year):	Augst 1992		
Organization Type:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Academic	<input type="checkbox"/> Industry	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Government	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Governmental Organization (NGO)	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Inter-Governmental Organization (IGO)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	
Main Areas of Responsibility:	Intellectual property law		

**Education**

Formal education and other qualifications:	Cand.jur. 1991, LL.M. (University of Exeter), 1991, ph.D. 1996, dr.jur. 2001.		
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**Expertise**

This section allows you to specify your main expertise for contribution to the roster. Areas of expertise are organized under 8 broad subheadings as follows:

1. Data Management and Information Sharing 2. Institutional Development 3. Legislation and Regulation 4. Public Awareness and Participation	5. Research and Development 6. Risk Assessment and Risk Management (including specification of organisms and traits) 7. Social and Economic Sciences 8. Teaching and Training
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Please indicate only the particular subjects in which you have **specialized expertise**.

Data Management and Information-Sharing

- Database  
 Environmental statistics  
 Information exchange  
 Information technology  
 Information clearing-house  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Institutional Development

- Agricultural management  
 Environmental management  
 Human resources  
 Infrastructure development  
 Project administration  
 Public health  
 Resources management  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Legislation and Regulation

- x Access and Benefit Sharing  
 Biosafety regulation  
 Intellectual property law  
 International environmental law  
 International trade law  
 National environmental law  
 National trade regulations  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Public Awareness and Participation

- Campaigning and advocacy  
 Community participation  
 Journalism  
 Public information / communications

Research and Development

- Biotechnology product development  
 Biotechnology research  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Risk Assessment and Risk Management

- Agricultural ecology  
 Agriculture  
 Alien invasive species  
 Analytical detection methods  
 Animal ecology  
 Animal pathology  
 Aquaculture  
 Biochemistry  
 Biotechnologies  
 Botany  
 Entomology  
 Environmental impact assessment  
 Epidemiology  
 Evolutionary biology  
 Food sciences  
 Forestry ecology  
 Genetic engineering  
 Genetics of natural populations

Risk Assessment and Risk Management (continued)

- Human biology  
 Indigenous knowledge  
 Marine biology/ecology  
 Microbial Ecology  
 Microbiology  
 Molecular biology  
 Mycology  
 Pest management  
 Plant pathology  
 Plant physiology  
 Population biology  
 Risk assessment process design and application  
 Soil biology  
 Taxonomy  
 Toxicology  
 Virology  
 Zoology  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Organisms:

(specify organisms for which you have expertise,  
indicating Genus and species where possible)

Organism Traits:

(specify organism traits for which you have expertise)

- Antibiotic resistance  
 Bacterial resistance  
 Fungus resistance  
 Herbicide tolerance

- Insect resistance  
 Marker genes  
 Nematode resistance  
 Product quality  
 Virus resistance  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Social and Economic Sciences

- Agricultural economics  
 Bioethics  
 Environmental economics  
 Life cycle assessment  
 Social sciences  
 Socio-economic factors  
 Sustainable development  
 Technology assessment  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Teaching and Training

- Environmental education  
 Extension work  
 Informal teaching (e.g., workshop facilitation)  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Employment History**

Main Countries or Regions Worked: Denmark, Scandinavia, studies in England

Please give details of previous employment beginning with the most recent previous employer.

*Previous Employer 1*

Name of the Employer / Organization: The Danish Ministry of Defence

Job Title: Fuldmægtig

Duration of Time Employed: 1,5 years

Address: Holmens Kanal 42  
1060 København K

Main Areas of Responsibility: Tort law

*Previous Employer 2*

Name of the Employer / Organization:

Job Title:

Duration of Time Employed:

Address:

Main Areas of Responsibility:

*Previous Employer 3*

Name of the Employer /  
Organization:

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Job Title:

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Duration of Time Employed:

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Address:

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Main Areas of Responsibility:

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*Other Relevant Work Experience*  
(e.g. volunteer work experience)

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Description:

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Responsibilities:

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### **Publications**

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Three most relevant  
publications:

1. Immaterialretsaftaler, 2001 (doctoral thesis)
  2. Grænsefladespørgsmål, 1996 (p.h.D. thesis)
  3. "The disclosure of origin of components of biotechnological inventions in relation to the implementation of the CBD" (report prepared for the Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, in print).
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List of publications (please list  
complete citations of all peer-  
reviewed articles, books, book  
chapters, conference papers and  
other publications; you may  
send a file if the list is long)):

See list

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### **Awards and Memberships**

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Scientific awards, professional  
societies, honorary  
memberships, and membership  
in advisory committees/panels:

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### **Knowledge of Languages**

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Mother Tongue: Danish

Arabic:     English x    Russian   
Chinese:     French     Spanish   
Other:

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Speak well:

Arabic:     English x    Russian   
Chinese:     French     Spanish   
Other:

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Read well:                      Arabic:       English x      Russian   
    Chinese:       French       Spanish   
    Other: German, Scandinavian

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Write well:                      Arabic:       English x      Russian   
    Chinese:       French       Spanish   
    Other:

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### References

Please give name and detailed contact information for key professional references

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Reference 1:                      Professor, dr.jur. Mogens Koktvedgaard, University of Copenhagen,  
    Institute of Legal Studies, A, Studiestrtaede 6, 1466 Copenhagen K.

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Reference 2:

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Reference 3:

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### Any Other Relevant Information

Please list any other information relevant to your role as an expert.

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### Confirmation and Agreement

I hereby confirm that the above information is correct and agree for its inclusion in the Roster of Experts on Biosafety under the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety and the Convention on Biological Diversity. I have no objection to this information being made publicly available.

Signature:       Jens Schovsbo                            Date: 3-10-2002

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### Confirmation by Nominating Government

This section must be completed by a National Focal Point

Government:	
Name of Government Representative:	
Focal Point Type:	<input type="checkbox"/> ICCP National Focal Point <input type="checkbox"/> Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety National Focal Point <input type="checkbox"/> Biosafety Clearing-House National Focal Point <input type="checkbox"/> CBD National Focal Point
Date:	
Signature:	