

# Joint International GMO Opposition Day

## Description

A worldwide event is to be held on the **8th of April 2006**, with the twofold aim of informing people and demonstrating the front of concerned organizations against GMOs (both open-air plants and food). This action will be distributed over several Information Sites, possibly linked through Internet video connections. The medias will be issued with the complete program mid-March.

More information on: <http://altercampagne.free.fr/>

## Key participants and speakers:

**Dominique Béroule** (Attac, France)

**Jürgen Binder** (Gendreck Weg, Germany)

**Gerald Miles** (GM Free Cymru, Wales)

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## Background Documents

This 1-page letter summarizes many of the risks and problems of genetically engineered organisms. It will be read out during the international video-conference of the JIGMOD on 8 April, 2006, and at related demonstrations (e.g. 9 April in Chicago, 20 April in Brussels).

The letter, written by a team of scientists and others, is primarily aimed at parliamentarians. It therefore emphasizes health risks—a particularly sensitive topic for law makers. It may also be used to highlight risks for shareholders of biotech companies.

This letter is being circulated to gather supporting signatures: from scientists, as well as members of farmer-, consumer-, and political-organizations.

Downloadable file : [Dear Parliamentarian-JIGMOD.pdf](#)