



THE TRANSFORMATIVE
POWER OF OIL PALM



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Conference

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CONFERENCE:

***From the Lab to the Field,
Obtaining Elite Oil Palm Crops
through the Use of Modern Breeding
and Biotechnology Techniques.***



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SESSION 3
CULTIVAR PRODUCTION AND
BIOTECHNOLOGY.

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Dr. Teh has been with Sime Darby Plantation R&D Center for 13 years. He was appointed Principal Scientist II to lead the scientific research in genomics and molecular breeding of oil palm.

One of his achievements has been the successful translation of research results into commercial production of high-quality planting material to increase current oil yield potential. He also works closely with other business units to promote R&D products and provide solutions to customers. He is also actively involved in reviewing and publishing technical articles, books, and patents.

He holds a Master's degree from the National College of Malaysia based on his research on oil palm germplasm genetic diversity, supported by the Malaysia Palm Oil Board (MPOB). He is currently pursuing a Ph.D. at the College of Nottingham.