

# Miscanthus for Wales?

## Field visit and information day

An opportunity to visit commercial and research scale Miscanthus plantations in mid-Wales, with follow-up talks by Aberystwyth University researchers and the commercial supply chain leaders Terravesta

**Helen Minnice-Smith, Senior Agricultural & Climate Change Policy Advisor for the Welsh Government, will also be in attendance to help answer questions**

### Thursday 28 September 2017

The event will start from IBERS Gogerddan Campus (SY23 3EE) at 09:30  
Transport and lunch will be provided

#### Agenda

- Visit to a 6ha Miscanthus field
  - Visit to Richard Tudor at Glanystwyth farm who is using Miscanthus as bedding for indoor lambing
  - Visit to Pwllpeiran Upland Research Centre for lunch and talks around market development and economics
- Terravesta will be on-hand to answer questions around establishment costs, market opportunities and growers' contracts
- Visits to upland trial sites
  - Return to IBERS (and Aberystwyth train station if required)

*Transport to and from Aberystwyth train station can be arranged if required, Please contact Carol Dery on 01970 621631 or email [cad22@aber.ac.uk](mailto:cad22@aber.ac.uk) to register your attendance.*