



## MEDIA RELEASE

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### **Date Claimer – Atherton avocado workshop showcasing latest research**

**What:** North Queensland Avocado Study Group Workshop

**When:** Thursday 12 October

**Where:** Avocados Australia Chair Jim Kochi's orchard, 254 Tinaroo Falls Dam Road, Atherton

**Who:** Avocado growers and those associated with the industry are invited to a workshop in North Queensland. An interesting programme is being arranged, including speakers addressing disease control, managing pollination, plant growth regulators and the latest research on small tree productivity.

For more information and to RSVP, please contact Simon Newett from the Queensland Department of Agriculture and Fisheries at [simon.newett@daf.qld.gov.au](mailto:simon.newett@daf.qld.gov.au) or on 0400 565 784.

Full details of the event will be published at [www.avocado.org.au/events/upcoming-events/](http://www.avocado.org.au/events/upcoming-events/) when available.

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