

BioEast Conference and Workshop

Agenda

21 February, Tuesday

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| 9:30–10:00 | Registration |
| 10:00–11:10 | <p><u>Session 1: Welcome and presentation of BioEast vision</u></p> <p><i>Chair: Anikó JUHÁSZ, PhD, Research Institute of Agricultural Economics, HU</i></p> <p>Opening – dr. Zsolt FELDMAN, Deputy State Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, HU</p> <p>Speech – Gabriel CSICSAI, State Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development, SK</p> <p>A strategic approach to EU agricultural research and innovation – Marc DUPONCEL, European Commission, DG AGRI</p> <p>Bioeconomy strategy: what's in it for EU13 – Tomasz CALIKOWSKI, PhD, European Commission, DG RTD</p> |
| 11:10–11:30 | <i>Coffee break</i> |
| 11:30–12:20 | <p><u>Session 2: Introduction to the practical importance of BioEast</u></p> <p><i>Chair: Ákos KRISTÓF, Ministry of Agriculture HU</i></p> <p>Building up a successful Central and Eastern European cooperation in the field of bioeconomy – Barna KOVÁCS, PhD, Independent Consultant for BioEast, HU (former EC officer)</p> <p>Bioregions in Central and Eastern Europe – Andrzej SIEMASZKO, PhD Eng, Advisor of Marshal of Lodzkie Region, PL</p> <p>Cooperation of V4+3 in the area of agricultural research in the bioeconomy, the Common Declaration of V4+3 – Justyna CIESLIKOWSKA, Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development, PL</p> <p>Introduction of the BioEast Initiative – Anikó JUHÁSZ, PhD, Research Institute of Agricultural Economics, HU</p> <p>Introduction to afternoon workshop – Gusztáv NEMES, PhD as leader moderator, Hungarian Academy of Sciences, HU</p> |
| 12:20–13:20 | <i>Lunch break</i> |
| 13:20–16:30 | <p><u>Session 3: Workshop</u> <i>(including coffee break in section rooms)</i></p> <p><i>Parallel: strategic planning meeting (closed)</i></p> |

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| 16:30–18:30 | Check-in to hotel rooms in NOVOTEL Danube Budapest |
| 18:30–18:55 | Meeting and walking to boat station of Batthyány Square |
| 19:00–21:00 | Cruise on Danube, including dinner , on ship “Zsófia” |
| 21:30 | Arrival at hotel |

22 February, Wednesday

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| 8:30–9:00 | Registration |
| 9:00–9:10 | Opening – dr. Laszlo PALKOVICS, State Secretary, Ministry of Human Capacities, HU <i>(to be confirmed)</i> |
| 9:10–10:30 | <p><u>Session 4: Key findings and good practices</u></p> <p><i>Chair: Viktória VASARY, PhD, Research Institute of Agricultural Economics, HU and Ákos KRISTOF, Ministry of Agriculture, HU</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Presentation of key findings of the workshop (Gusztáv NEMES, PhD) 2. Presentations of good examples of BioEast countries: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2.1 Miklós GYALAI-KORPOS, PhD (PANNON Pro Innovations Ltd. /presenter); Peter CANCIANI, Central European Initiative: Findings of the DANUBIONET mapping survey: bioeconomy strategy for the Danube Region 2.2 Péter LENGYEL (Ministry of Agriculture, Hungary): Blue Bioeconomy in Hungarian Aquaculture – Challenges and Solutions 2.3 Wioletta WRZASZCZ, PhD (Institute of Agricultural and Food Economics - National Research Institute): Farms’ sustainability – challenges, conditions and practices in Poland 2.4 Dóra MÉSZÁROS, PhD (Research Institute of Organic Agriculture): Activities of the Hungarian Research Institute of Organic Agriculture and the introduction of the farm-level sustainability assessment tool (SMART) |
| 10:30–11:00 | <i>Poster session, including coffee break</i> |
| 11:00 –12:15 | <p><u>Session 5: Good practices and closing</u></p> <p><i>Chair: Monika RZEPECKA, Ministry of Science and Higher Education, PL and Pawel CHMIELINSKI, PhD, National Research Institute, PL</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Presentations of best practices of BioEast countries <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.1 Štefan BOJNEC, PhD (Faculty of Management University of Primorska, Koper, Slovenia): Wood value chain experiences and practices in Slovenia / University of Primorska FAMNIT 1.2 Katalin KURUCZ (Bay Zoltán Nonprofit Ltd. for Applied Research Knowledge Management Centre): Services of the Biomass innovation network ‘Agriforvalor’ in Hungary |

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| | <p>1.3 Adrienn NAGY SOMOSNÉ, PhD (Pilze-Nagy Ltd): Agricultural sidestream utilization in the mushroom-biogas production system</p> <p>1.4 Attila BENKE, PhD (Forest Research Institute): Some good practices based on forestry sidestream biomass in Hungary</p> <p>2. Summing up/discussion on the next steps (Anikó JUHÁSZ, PhD and Gusztáv NEMES, PhD)</p> |
| 12:15–13:15 | Lunch break |

Venue: Ministry of Agriculture, Darányi Ignác conference hall, Budapest, Kossuth Lajos tér 11.

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