International conference

Future Agriculture Farmer- and Climate-friendly

Warsaw, 12-13 December 2014

How can farmers and food consumers protect climate and natural resources?

Agriculture is an important source of the greenhouse gas emissions and at the same time climate change threatens food production in Europe and other regions of the world.

Agriculture – one of the causes and victims of climate change – can also be one the best tools for climate protection.

Our conference is directed especially at people interested in the issues of sustainable agriculture, rural communities development and the growth of food consumer movements and initiatives.

Conference venue:

Centrum Szkoleniowo-Konferencyjne KZRSS "Społem", ul. Grażyny 13/15, Warsaw (map: http://bit.ly/1vOn5I2)

I DAY (12 December) - CONFERENCE II DAY (13 December) - STUDY VISIT

Conference organizer: Alliance of Association Polish Green Network Kampania "Klimat dla rolników" / ClimATE Change Campaign





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CONFERENCE PROGRAMME: 12 December

Friday

Moderator: Antoni Bielewicz, European Climate Foundation, editor of the web portal NaukaoKlimacie.pl

10.30 – 11.00 Registration

11.00 – 11.30 Welcome and opening words

Joanna Furmaga, President of Polish Green Network

Objectives and activities of the Polish campaign "Klimat dla rolników" ("Climate for Farmers") and the international campaign "ClimATE Change"

Emilia Ślimko, Polish Green Network

Elisa Delvecchio, COSPE (Italy)

Different models of agriculture and climate change

11.30 – 12.30 What is the impact of agriculture on climate and natural resources?

Marcin Popkiewicz, author of the book "Świat na rozdrożu", editor of the web portals

ZiemiaNaRozdrozu.pl and NaukaoKlimacie.pl, physicist, lecturer, who specializes in the
issues of energy, natural resources and climate change

12.30 – 13.20 Farmer- and climate-friendly agriculture – practical solutions

Łukasz Nowacki, Transformation Foundation, sustainable agriculture promoter and permaculture teacher, who specializes in eco-hydrology and ecosystem biotechnologies

13.20 – 13.40 Break

Good practices in Europe and other regions of the world

- **13.40 14.00** Climate change : international actions for water and food *Rosario Lembo, CICMA (Italy)*
- **14.00 14.15** Challenges for famers in Malta in the context of climate change *Irene Mangion, KOPIN (Malta)*
- **14.15 14.30** Eco-regions in Italy integrated planning for sustainable development *Pietro Pinto, COSPE(Italy)*
- **14.30 14.45** New social movements supporting local food production and consumption in Germany *Jan Urhahn, INKOTA (Germany)*
- 14.45 15.15 How do farmers in the global South countries adapt to climate change? Examples from Ethiopia, Nicaragua and Mozambique.

 Irene Mangion, KOPIN (Malta); Jan Urhahn, INKOTA (Germany)

15.15 - 15.30 Break

Good practices in Poland

- 15.30 17.00 Panel discussion: How to promote sustainable agriculture in Poland? Challenges and examples of farmer and consumer initiatives Katarzyna Jagiełło, Greenpeace Poland Maria Staniszewska, Polish Ecological Club Sonia Priwieziencew, Social Ecological Institute Piotr Trzaskowski, Warsaw Food Cooperative
- 17.00 Presentation of the short film "Power in co-op!" (16 min.) and conference closing words

STUDY VISIT in Mazovia region farms "On the trail of climate-smart practices": 13 December Saturday

- **08.30** Departure with a bus from Centrum Szkoleniowo-Konferencyjne KZRSS "Społem" ul. Grażyny 13/15
- 09.45 Visit to organic farm in Wiśniewo / commune Ostrów Mazowiecka
- 11.30 Visit to organic farm in Rososza / commune Wąsewo
- **13.30** Visit to organic farm in Kruszewo / commune Goworowo
- **16.00** Departure to Warsaw
- 17.00 Arrival to Warsaw

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