



Food, Agriculture and Fisheries and Biotechnology

Info Day and Brokerage Event on Call FP7-KBBE-5-2011

Venue: Charlemagne Building, Brussels

13th September 2010

DRAFT PROGRAMME

MORNING SESSIONS

9:00

PLENARY SESSION 1

Introduction to Call FP7- KBBE-5-2011

9:00 – 9:15

OPENING

Maive Rute, Director, Food, Agriculture and Biotechnology, Research DG , European Commission
The EU Bioeconomy towards 2020: policies, research and innovation

9:15 – 9:45

Overview of the 2011 Workprogramme, including SMEs aspects

Line Matthiessen, Head of Unit Horizontal Aspects and Co-ordination, European Commission, Research DG, Biotechnologies, Agriculture and Food Directorate

Questions and Answers

9:45 – 10:00

Coffee break

10:00 – 13:30

PLENARY SESSION 2

Prospects for International Co-operation in Food, Agriculture, Fisheries and Biotechnologies Research

International Panels discussions

Three international panels will discuss the main challenges to be addressed in Food, Agriculture, Fisheries and Biotechnologies research, under Call FP7-KBBE-5. Each panel will include a short introduction by the EC, illustrating how these challenges will be addressed via FP7 research in Call FP7-KBBE-5 (10 min). The panellists from Third countries will present their view on how international co-operation could contribute to address, better and faster, these global challenges (5-10 min each). A discussion will conclude each panel.

The session will be concluded by the presentation of the Global Alliance on Animal Health research

10:00 – 11:05 Panel 1: PRIMARY PRODUCTION and CLIMATE CHANGE

Agriculture, aquaculture, fisheries and forestry: mitigating and adapting to climate change and contributing to food security.

Chair: Timothy Hall, Head of Unit "Agriculture, Forestry, Fisheries, Aquaculture", European Commission, Research DG, Biotechnologies, Agriculture and Food Directorate.

Panellists: Argentina, New Zealand, Russia

11:05 – 12:10 Panel 2: FOOD and HEALTH

Safe, nutritious and affordable food for an inclusive and healthy society.

Chair: Antonio di Giulio, European Commission, Head of Unit "Food, Health and Well-Being", Research DG, Biotechnologies, Agriculture and Food Directorate

Panellists: Australia, China, Egypt

12:10 – 13:15 Panel 3: BIOTECHNOLOGIES

Tools for greening the industry.

Chair: Alfredo Aguilar- Romanillos, Head of Unit "Biotechnology", European Commission, Research DG, Biotechnologies, Agriculture and Food Directorate

Panellists: Canada, Brazil, India

13:15 – 13:30 The Global Alliance on Animal Health research

A. Morrow, UK (tbc)

13:30 – 14:30 Lunch break

AFTERNOON SESSIONS

INFORMATION on Call FP7 – KBBE – 5 - 2011 and BROKERAGE EVENT

14:30 – 18:30 PARALLEL SESSIONS

Three parallel sessions will provide detailed information on each of the three activities of Call FP7–KBBE–5–2011 and facilitate networking for participating in this Call.

Each session will include a short presentation of the activity by EC officials, followed by flash presentations of project ideas by the participants and face to face meetings

PARALLEL SESSION 1

Sustainable production and management of biological resources from land, forest and aquatic environments (Activity 1)

Chairs: T. Hall / C. Mangan EC (EC, RTD.E4) and Christophe Cotillon (BIOCIRCLE)

- Short introduction of the activity by the EC
- Flash presentation of project ideas
- Face to face meetings

PARALLEL SESSION 2

From Fork to Farm: Food (including seafood), health and well-being (Activity 2)

Chairs: A. Di Giulio / J. Lucas (EC, RTD.E3) and Gorgias Garofalakis (BIOCIRCLE)

- Short introduction of the activity by the EC
- Flash presentation of project ideas
- Face to face meetings

PARALLEL SESSION 3

Life sciences, biotechnology and biochemistry for sustainable non-food products and processes (Activity 3) and Other Activities (Activity 4)

Chairs: A. Aguilar / J. Claxton (EC, RTD.E2), D. Jering / E. Balzi (EC, RTD.E1) and Chiara Pocaterra, APRE (BIOCIRCLE)

- Short introduction of the activity by the EC
- Flash presentation of project ideas
- Face to face meetings



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