

INNOVATIONS IN AGRI-FOOD

Do you want to learn more about the international cooperation of companies with research?

Would you like to engage in such collaboration?

Do you search for international partners?

Do you want to know how to finance innovations from European programmes (Horizon Europe)?

THIS WORKSHOP IS FOR YOU!

When: 06.02.2024 at 9.00 am

Where: Hotel MIKADO, Hollého 11, Nitra, Slovakia

8.30 – 9.00 REGISTRATION

9.00 – 9.20 OPENING AND WELCOME

Daniel Ács, Katarína Blicklingová (Bioeconomy Cluster), Edelbis López Dávila (University of Gent)

9.20 – 11.30 EXAMPLES OF SUCCESSFUL INNOVATIONS IN AGRI-FOOD: CHALLENGES AND SOLUTIONS FROM NEW PRODUCT, THROUGH CIRCULAR BIO-BASED SOLUTIONS, TO BRANDING, MARKETING AND SALES

Oyster mushroom value chain by Pilze-Nagy (HU), Miklós Gyalai-Korpos

- New recipes and products for HORECA sector
- Low carbon packaging for the fresh oyster mushroom
- Innovations without borders – international collaboration with Spanish research centre

Fresh salads value chain by Florette (ES), Sonia Muro

- Sustainable packaging and active packaging films extending product's shelf life
- Joint research projects with CNTA

Organic fruit value chain by EKOOWOC (PL), Ewa Rembalkowska

- Organic and regenerative farming of fruits – turning inferior apples into apple cider vinegar
- Minimizing waste by composting using probiotechnology
- Marketing and promotion strategy for organic apples

COFFEE BREAK

Food Innovation Incubator by FH JOANNEUM (AT), Hartmut Derler

- Consulting, networking and prototyping of products, processes and technologies
- (International) Collaboration with practice

Sustainable food system - second life for bread by the Slovak University of Agriculture in Nitra (SK), Zuzana Palková

- Zero Waste CookBook, Cook App
- E-learning repository
- BetaFerm technology

Cooperation across borders to move innovations forward by CNTA (ES), Inés Echeverría Goñi

- Cooperation between research & practice financed from European programmes
- Open labs and sharing of capacities and infrastructure

11.30 – 11.45 INTRODUCING 100% BIODEGRADABLE MATERIAL NONOILEN®

PANARA, a.s. (tbc)

11.45 – 12.00 COFFEE BREAK

12.00 – 13.00 INSTRUMENTS TO SUPPORT INNOVATIONS IN SLOVAKIA AND EUROPE

Overview of existing instruments to support innovations in agri-food

Recovery and Resilience Plan, OP Slovakia, CAP Strategic Plan, RIS3, etc.

Daniel Ács (Bioeconomy Cluster)

Innovation and digital vouchers, EDIH

Artur Bobovnický, Michal Mühl (SIEA)

Practical examples of using innovation vouchers

Andrej Gero (PROUNION a.s.)

13.00 NETWORKING LUNCH