



AGROECOLOGY EUROPE FORUM 2021

AGROECOLOGY TO REGENERATE OUR
FOOD SYSTEMS AND COMMUNITIES
AND ENHANCE BIODIVERSITY

17-19 NOVEMBER 2021, BARCELONA
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FORUM SCHEDULE

17 WEDNESDAY ONLINE

9:00-10:45 Institutional opening

Welcome address

- **Teresa Jordà i Roura**, Councillor for Climate Action, Food and Rural Agenda of the Generalitat de Catalunya
- **Ada Colau**, Barcelona City Mayor (TBC)
- **María Carrascosa**, Local Organising Committee
- **Paola Migliorini**, President of Agroecology Europe

Moderator: **Emile Frison**, IPES-Food Panel Member

Introductory remarks: "Agroecology as a priority for European and global policies"

- **Beth Bechdol**, Deputy Director-General at the FAO
- **Lukas Visek**, Member of Cabinet of Executive Vice-President Frans Timmermans at European Commission in charge of the Farm to Fork Strategy and the CAP

Roundtable: "Agroecology to regenerate our food systems and communities and enhance biodiversity"

- **Geneviève Savigny**, Member of the European Coordination Via Campesina
- **Philippe Pointereau**, agroecologist, director of the agro-environmental division of Solagro
- **Alain Peeters**, Secretary General of Agroecology Europe
- **Álvaro Porro González**, Commissioner for Social Economy, Local Development and Food Policy (TBC)
- **Inés Jordana**, Coordinator of the EU Food Policy Coalition
- **Daniel López García**, Red de Ciudades por la Agroecología / IEGD-CSIC

10:45-11:00



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11:00-13:00 Sessions

Session 1: Agroecology for climate action

Moderator:

Valeria Forlin, Policy Officer for Land Use, Land Use Change and Forestry, DG CLIMA

Speakers:

- **Martial Bernoux**, Climate Change, FAO Division
- **Lauren Baker**, Global Alliance for the Future of Food
- **María Carrascosa**, Red de ciudades por la Agroecología
- **Michel Pimbert**, Centre for Agroecology, Water and Resilience, Coventry University
- **Frank Eyhorn**, Biovision Foundation
- **Paloma Melgarejo Nardiz**, "4 per 1000" Initiative
- **Felix Prinz zu Löwenstein**, Bund Ökologische Lebensmittelwirtschaft

Session 2: Shaping CAP strategic plans focussing on agroecology

Moderator:

Samuel Féret, ARC2020 (TBC)

Speakers:

- **Sonia Callau-Berenguer**, Barcelona's provincial council
- **Uroš Brežan**, European Committee of the Regions rapporteur on the EU organic action plan
- **Célia Nyssens**, European Environmental Bureau
- **Eduardo Cuoco**, IFOAM Organics Europe

13:00-15:00 Lunch Break

15:00-16:30 Sessions

Session 3: Transition to healthy food systems: Agroecology in a post-COVID era

Moderator:

Stephen Gliessman, University of California Santa Cruz

Speakers:

- **Franco Berrino**, Epidemiologist, President of the association La Grande Via
- **Susanne Gjedsted Bügel**, University of Copenhagen
- **Abram Bicksler**, Crop production and protection Division, FAO
- **Tanya Zerbian**, University of Central Lancashire
- **Paolo Barberi**, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa

Session 4: Agroecological perspectives in formal and non-formal education

Moderator:

Lili Balogh, Hungarian Agroecology Network

Speakers:

- **Paola Migliorini**, University of Gastronomic Sciences UNISG
- **Melinda Kassai**, Ecological Education expert, Hajdúnánás town
- **Laia Sera Valls**, Sindicat de Periodistes de Catalunya (SPC)
- **Sarah Sakineh Zarin**, Bonn University
- **Michael Löbmann**, **Maaike Happel**, and **Fatima Lehnhardt**, Leibnitz Centre for Agricultural Landscape Research (ZALF)

16:45-18:00 Agroecology Europe General Assembly

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THURSDAY ON-SITE

9:00-11:00 Sessions

Session 5:
Territorialised agroecological food systems: linking production with consumption

Moderator: Mamen Cuéllar

Session 6: Local policies and strategies to promote healthy diets in urban and peri-urban areas

Moderators: Daniel López and Ana Moragues

11:00-11:30 Coffee Break

11:30-13:30 Sessions

Session 7:
Agroecological management for sustainable food production

Moderator: Xavier Sans and Andrés Muñoz

Session 8: Social justice in agroecological food systems

Moderators: David Callar and Juan Pablo Sciuano

13:30-15:30 Lunch Break



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15:30-17:30 Sessions

Session 9: Feminisms and Agroecology

Moderators: Marta Rivera and Miren Beguiristain

Session 10: Community approaches for the sustainable use and maintenance of biodiversity

Moderator: María Carrascosa

17:30-18:00 Coffee Break

18:00-19:30 Open Sessions for citizens

Open Roundtable

"The role of science in sustainable agriculture"

Speakers:

- **Guillaume Martin,** INRAE, France
- **Bruce Tabashnik,** University of Arizona, USA
- **Felix Dapare Dakora,** Tshwane, University of Technology, South Africa
- **Frank Van Steenbergen,** MetaMeta, The Netherlands
- **Beate Huber,** FiBL, Switzerland

Open Session

Agroecología frente al cambio climático. La lucha desde el territorio contra la ampliación del aeropuerto del Prat

Speakers:

- **Olivier Chantry,** Farmer from Baix Llobregat and member of the Unió de Pagesos.
- **Rocío Hernández,** Farmer from Baix Llobregat and member of the Unió de Pagesos

Moderation: Andrés Muñoz Rico, Amigos de la Tierra

Presencial en catalán y español

ON-SITE
IN ENGLISH

ON-SITE
IN SPANISH AND
CATALAN

International Scientific Awards Ceremony :
Louis Malassis, Olam and Shift Prizes

agropolis fondation

Olam

biovision

FORUM SCHEDULE

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**FRIDAY
HYBRID**

9:00-13:00 Field Visits

- Baix Llobregat agricultural park & AGRICULTURAL PARK & alternative food bank 'Alterbanc' & Ecocentral
- "LET'S FEED COLLSEROLA!" Promotion of agroecological transition in Collserola Natural Park
- Fundació Espigoladors

ON-SITE

13:00-15:00 Lunch Break

15:00-18:00 Group meetings

- Meeting of Spanish organisations (on site)
- Meeting of Catalan organisations (on site)
- Agroecology Europe Youth Network Meeting (online)
- Agroecology Europe Working Group Meeting on Education & Training (online)
- Living Labs of AE4EU (online)

18:00-18:30 Coffee Break

18:30-19:15

Presentation of the policy recommendations

ONLINE

- **Caterina Batello**, Agroecology Europe Board Member

Conclusions of the Forum

- **Paola Migliorini**, President of Agroecology Europe
- **María Carrascosa**, Local Organising Committee

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19:15-20:15 Open Sessions for citizens

Open Session

Una reflexión agroecológica sobre las respuestas autoorganizadas frente a la inseguridad alimentaria en las ciudades durante COVID19.

Open Lecture

Nutrición ecológica

Speaker

Dolores Raigón,

PhD in Agricultural Engineering, Professor of Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry at the Polytechnic University of Valencia and vice-president of the SEAE.

ON-SITE
IN SPANISH

Speakers

- **Fernando "Topo" Saz**, Ecologistes en Acció / Alterbank
- **Albert Villacampa**, Xarxa Suport Mutu, Barcelona
- **Isabel Vara Sánchez**, Institute of Sociology and Peasant Studies, University of Córdoba
- **Marian Simón Rojo**, Madrid Agroecológico / ETSIAM-UPM

Moderation

- **Daniel López García**, Fundación Entretantos/ Red de Cuidados por la Agroecología
- **David Gallar**, Institute of Sociology and Peasant Studies, University of Córdoba

ON-SITE
IN SPANISH AND
CATALAN



LANGUAGES

PRIMARY LANGUAGE: English

Day 2 on-site: simultaneous interpretations in Spanish

Day 3 on-site: Field visits in Spanish or Catalan with simultaneous interpretation in English

As allies in the movement for food sovereignty, agroecology and social justice, Agroecology Europe is proud to collaborate with **COATI**, the Collective for the Self-Management of Interpretation Technologies, which will coordinate the team of volunteer Interpreters, as well as provide the Simultaneous Interpretation Technology.



ORGANISERS

Agroecology Europe

Agroecology Europe is an international non-profit organization which aims to analyse, design, develop and promote the transition towards agroecology-based farming and food systems in Europe and throughout the world. It intends to place agroecology high on the European agenda of sustainable development of farming and food systems. It intends to foster interactions between actors in science, practice and social movements, by facilitating knowledge sharing and action.

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Red de Ciudades por la Agroecología

It is an association formed by local entities of the Spanish state. Its aim is to generate a dynamic between local entities in order to build local, environmentally friendly, sustainable, inclusive, resilient, safe and diversified food systems that ensure healthy, sustainable and accessible food for the whole population, and that promote local employment, in line with the perspectives of agroecology and food sovereignty.

www.ciudadesagroecologicas.eu



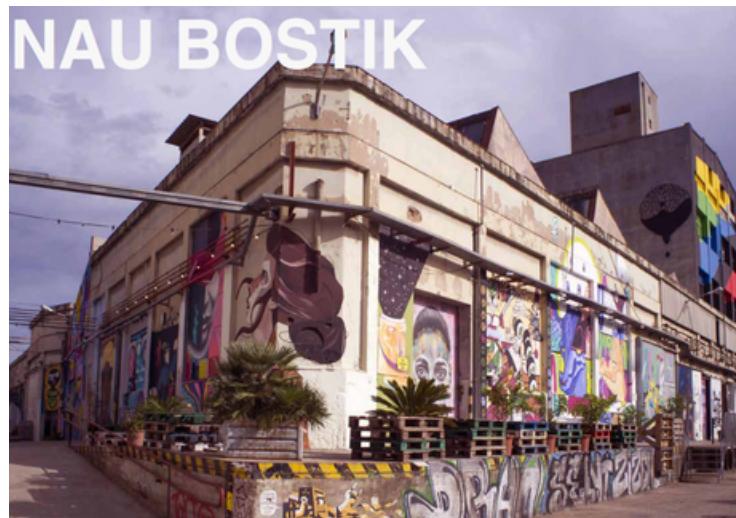
VENUE

NAU BOSTIK

Carrer de Ferran Turné 1-11, 08027 Barcelona

Our Forum will be held at Nau Bostik, a former glue factory, which is a reference point of cultural activities taking place in the neighbourhood of La Sagrera.

With the intention of covering the need for social and cultural dynamization in the neighbourhood, Nau Bostik aims to be a platform for the dissemination of information and knowledge, with diversity and sustainability as its guiding principles.



ORGANISING COMMITTEE



MEDIA COOPERATION

REVOLVE

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