



Green education: Development Partnerships and Contribution to Circular Agriculture



Thursday 31 October 2019, 13.30 - 17.30
Romexpo / Indagra, Pavilion B3, Madgearu Hall
Moderator: Arie Veldhuizen, Embassy of the Kingdom of the Netherlands

Programme

12.30 - 13.30 Registration, light lunch and networking

13.30 - 14.00 **Welcome**

Opening

Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development of Romania

Ministry of Agriculture, Nature and Food Quality of The Netherlands

Ms. Floor Boselie-Abbenhuis, Dep. Director of the Department of Knowledge

Block 1: Partnership in Agricultural Education Development

14.00 - 15.00 **Presentations**

General introduction of the agricultural sector in Romania and Romanian ambitions in agricultural education development

Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development

Mr. Gheorghe Lacatusu, Head of the Office for Agricultural High School Education, Vocational Training and Agri Consultancy

General introduction of the agricultural sector in the Netherlands

Video

The Dutch agricultural education chain

Borderless Network – Romanian Table,

Ms. Nellie van der Pasch, Coordinator

A day in the life of a Dutch teacher and student

TVET Teacher: Mr. Jan Steverink, Zone.College + Student - tbc

Examples of the Romanian agricultural education

Interaction with the audience

Conclusions: What can unite us?

moderator

15.00 - 15.15 **Partnership launching ceremony**

- Partnership Agreement on Agricultural Education (Protocol)
- The Dutch Romanian Action Plan on Agricultural Education
- Dutch Agri Webportal for Romania

Coffee break

Block 2: Circular Agriculture and Education

15.30 - 16.45 Intro by short movie (LNV)

Presentations

Romania Sustainable Development Strategy, with a view to circular agriculture and the role of education

Mr. Mihaita Toader, Department for Sustainable Development

The Dutch view on circular agriculture and the role of education

Mr. Wim Zaalmink, WUR

Best Practices within this topic (practical cases):

1. Coalition for a Circular Economy, Romania
Mr. Horia Bardeanu, Genesis BioPartner, member of CCE
2. Holland Circular Hotspot, The Netherlands
Mr. Hans van Ek, Advisor management team HCH
3. Cooperation business-education: World Horti Center
Mr. Dick Verwey, Van der Knaap

Panel discussion with audience

16.45 - 17.15 **The Circular Agricultural Challenge**

Explanation of the Challenge
Introduction of the Selection Commission
Ms. Florentina Nanu

Interactive session with students, private sector and other stakeholders
moderator

17.15 - 17.30 Conclusions and closure

End of programme

18.00 - 20.00 Large network event hosted by the Embassy
Opening by H.E. Roelof van Ees, Ambassador
Venue: Pullman Hotel, Brasserie (5-minute walking distance from the fair)

