

## **Quarterly Newsletter**

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## Euragri – who are we?



Euragri is a not-for-profit organisation run by its members. It offers a unique platform in Europe's knowledge transfer continuum for independent and robust discussions on emerging challenges and science-based solutions to a unified and equitable transition of the farming, food, forestry, and coastal sectors.

In Euragri, our members have a proactive mindset and are always ready to complement the myriad of national, European, and international activities in natural resource management. Our size and operational ethos give us the flexibility and agility to respond quickly and effectively. Message from our President, Professor (retired) Uno Svedin



EURAGRI is built on the strength of its members — 15 leading institutions from across Europe who bring together research excellence, policy insight, and practical experience in agriculture, food, forestry, and natural resource management.

In the second quarter of 2025, EURAGRI in conjunction with one of our members and our network have hosted two important virtual events following up on the successful Portuguese meeting hosted by our member, MED, in March (ref).

The April 25 workshop "**The European Commission's Strategic Dialogue** and Vision for Agriculture and Food, Stakeholders Perspectives on Achieving the Vison" hosted by Euragri in collaboration with our member organisation, the Austrian Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, Regions and Water Management, explored the recommendations of the Strategic Dialogue and the Commission's 2025 vision for sector and how these can be translated into actions (more details below).

The May 7 virtual seminar "**The Soybean Through World History, Protein Challenges for European Sustainable Agri-Food Systems**" developed together with our broader network reflected on the critical role of soybeans to global food security but also their contribution to agri-food system fragility. Dr Lisa Deutsch, co-author of The Soybean through World History, explored their complex global legacy and lessons for the future. Dr Ewen Mullins highlighted Europe's reliance on soybean imports and introduced the Horizon Europe Valpro Path project's work on sustainable plant protein solutions (more details below).

Wishing you all the best and kind wishes for your summer holidays.

## Joint Workshop April 25, 2025 - Speakers





**Prof Peter Strohschneider** 

**Catherine Geslain-Lanéelle** 







Prof Marianne Penker

Thomas Neudorfer



Prof Gianluca Brunori

Please use this link to access the workshop summary, presentations, and videos.

https://www.euragri.org/workshops/the-european-commissions-strategic-dialogue-andvision-for-agriculture-and-food/





 Federal Ministry Agriculture and Forestry, Climate and Environmental Protection, Regions and Water Management Republic of Austria

EURAGRI and the Austrian Federal Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Water Management (BMLUK AT)

Joint Workshop

The European Commission's Strategic Dialogue and Vision for Agriculture and Food

Stakeholder Perspectives on Achieving the Vision

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### Virtual Seminar The Soybean Through World History Protein Challenges for European Sustainable Agri-Food Systems



## May 7, 2025





**Dr Lisa Deutch** 

**Dr Ewen Mullins** 

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https://www.euragri.org/workshops/the-soybean-throughworld-history/

# Ideas for Virtual Workshop(s)/Seminar(s)?

Euragri, in keeping with its mission, is inviting you as a reader, to suggest ideas for online events that explore the real-world challenges and innovative research shaping the future of agriculture, food, forestry, and natural resources.

- Whether you're tackling the complexities of climate adaptation, food security, just transition, biodiversity, or circular bioeconomy, we want to hear from you.
- Do you have an emerging research, policy or knowledge transfer solution/challenge worth sharing or requiring exploration? Please see lists of our conferences and workshops (<u>https://www.euragri.org/euragriconferences/</u> & workshops (<u>https://www.euragri.org/euragri-workshops/</u>)
- Let's see if we can develop your idea together with others into a Euragri webinar or seminar to inform, inspire, and connect across Europe.

Submit your idea(s) to the Secretary General (<u>owen.carton@gmail.com</u>) and let's start the conversation.

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Please share the link below, which will provide you and your colleagues with an overview of how the FarmBook platform operates in relation to knowledge flows from the production of practice-oriented material to implementation.

https://welcome.eufarmbook.eu/knowledgeflow/

#### EU-FarmBook Knowledge Flows

The EU-FarmBook Platform operates based on the principles of the Knowledge Flows.







## Euragri Conference Back Catalogue



2011 THE XXV EURAGRI CONFERENCE

Prague, Czech Republic, September 2011

https://www.euragri.org/conference-new/2011the-xxv-euragri-conference/



#### 2010 THE XXIV EURAGRI CONFERENCE

Helsinki, Finland, September 2010





#### 2009 THE XXIII EURAGRI CONFERENCE

Madrid, Spain, September, 2009

https://www.euragri.org/conference-new/2009-the-xxiiieuragri-conference/



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