

Quality Network Biodiversity and Agriculture on the Balkan Peninsula (BioAgBal)

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Agenda of BioAgBal workshops in Prishtina and Tirana in September 2014

Workshop at University of Prishtina ‘Hasan Prishtina’, Faculty of Agriculture and Veterinary, September 15-21, 2014

Core topics: Plant plant breeding / -genetics, viticulture

Monday, 15.9.2014

- 11:45 Arrival at Prishtina International Airport; car trip to the hotel and small lunch
- 13:30-14:00 Welcome address given by the Dean of the Faculty, Prof. asoc. Bedri Dragusha
- 14:00-16:30 Meeting of the BioAgBal project group members to get know each other; members of the GIZ office in Prishtina will participate as guests
- 16:30 Visit of the city and joint Dinner

Tuesday, 16.9.2014

- 09:00 Car pick-up at the hotel
- 09:30-10:30 Meeting with the Rector (or Vice Rector for International Cooperation)
- 10:30-12:30 Visit of field experiments at the Fushe Kosovë Experimental Station
- 12:30-13:30 Lunch
- 13:30-14:30 Information about the Faculty of Agriculture and Veterinary
- 14:30-15:00 Discussion
- 15:00-15:30 Joint coffee
- 15:30 Car trip to the hotel, and to Albania for those participants who take part in the workshop in Tirana

Wednesday, 17.9.2014

- 09:00 Car pick-up at the hotel
- 09:30-10:00 Presentation of the Department of Vineyards and Orchards of Prishtina University
- 10:00-12:00 Visit of research and teaching units in the FAV

12:00-12:30	Snacks
12:30-13:30	Presentation of the Department of Plant Production of Prishtina University
13:30-14:30	Lunch
14:30-15:30	Presentation of the curriculum
15:30-16:00	Discussion
16:00	Car trip to the hotel

Thursday, 18.9.2014

09:00	Car pick-up at the hotel
09:30-10:3	Presentation and visit of the Bank Gen of Kosovo
10:30-11:00	Snacks
11:00-13:0	Discussion about research and teaching related to the core topics of the workshop
13:30-14:00	Lunch
14:00-15:30	Discussion about research and teaching related to the core topics of the workshop
15:30	Car trip to the hotel

Friday, 19.9.2014

09:00-17:00	Excursion to the Peja region (car trip from Prishtina to Peja and back to Prishtina; or overnight stay in Peja).
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Workshop at Agricultural University of Tirana, Faculty of Agriculture and Environment (FAE)

Core topics: Ecotoxicology, Environmental / Resources Economy

Tuesday, 16.9.2014

19:00	Arrival in Durres and joint dinner
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Wednesday, 17.9.2014

10:00	Welcome addresses given by the Prof. Ardian Maci, Dean of the Faculty of Agriculture and Environment, and project participants.
10:15-12:30	Meeting of the BioAgBal project group members to get know each other; students who took part in the DAAD summer school 2013 and interested people will participate as guests (Meeting room FAE 101)
	Greetings from Prof. Thanas Ruci, Head of the Department of Plant Protection

GIZ in Albania, Mr. Ismail Beka Vice, Deputy Country Director of GIZ in Albania
Presentation about Albania and Agricultural University of Tirana (Prof. As. Cara)

Joint coffee

Landscape and ecology in Albania (Albert Kopali)

PhD Students idea for cooperation with Giessen University

12:30-13:30

Lunch

13:30-13:50

Information and Presentation about the Department of Plant Protection and curricula of MSc. Studies in Plant Medicine (Prof. Ruci)

13:50-15:00

Discussion about the core topics of the workshop

15:00-16:30

Joint coffee and visit of the UKA farm near University (Prof. Uka) and visit of Tirana city center

Thursday, 18.9.2014

09:00

Car pick-up at the hotel

09:15-10:00

Visit of the Laboratory of Plant Protection in Durres.

10:00-13:30

Visit in of 'Fidal Zejmen Lezhe' – Vineyard field: Sanitary selection of local varieties

Visit of Kruja, the old bazaar and Kruja Castle and Skanderbeg National Museum*

Visit of Preze Castle**

14:00

Lunch in North part of Albania with traditional dishes

17:00-19.00

Visit of Durres

Friday, 19.9.2014

09:00-17:00

Excursion to the Vlora region (car trip from Durres to Vlora and back to Durres); visit of the 'Centre of Agricultural Technology Transfer (QTTB), Vlora

* <http://www.balkansgeotourism.travel/content/gjergj-kastrioti-skanderbeg-museum-of-kruj%C3%AB-albania/see7BCD502F3C44F1400>

** http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Prezë_Castle

Joint excursion

Saturday, 20.9.2014

- 08:00 / 09:00 Travel to the Rahovec region
- 11:00-12:00 Visiting the company 'Stone Castle'
- 12:15-13:15 Visiting the company 'Ekowine', which is BioAgBal partner project
- 13:30-14:30 Lunch
- 14:45-15:45 Visiting the 'Fruit and Vegetable Collection Center', which is partner project
- 15:45 Car trip to the Prizren city
- 18:00 Visit of the city and joint Dinner

Sunday, 21.6.2014

- 09:00-12:00 Visiting the Sharri Mountain
- 12:00-14:00 Traveling from Sharri Mountain to the Airport
- 15:55 Flight back home from Prishtina International Airport

List of the Workshop Participants

- 1 Monday / Tuesday in Prishtina; Tuesday to Friday in Tirana; Saturday / Sunday excursion
- 2 Monday to Friday in Prishtina; Saturday / Sunday excursion

Agricultural University Tirana:

- 1 Prof. Ardian Maci
- 1 Prof. Jordan Merkuri
- 1 Prof.As. Magdalena Cara
- 1 Prof. Thanas Ruci
- 1 Prof.As. Albert Kopali
- 1 Several students who participated in the DAAD summer school in Giessen in 2013

Agricultural Faculty of Prishtina University ,Hasan Prishtina':

- 2 Prof. asoc. Bedri Dragusha
- 2 Prof.dr. Syle Sylanaj
- 2 Prof.dr.Shukri Fetahu
- 2 Prof.dr. Enver Sherifi
- 2 Prof.asoc. Sali Aliu
- 2 Prof.ass. Fadl Musa
- 2 Prof.ass.Arben Mehmeti

- 2 PhD Vahid Avdiu
- 2 Albina Kika
- 2. Fisnik Shaqiri
- 2 Valmri Dili
- 2 Genta Kadriu
- 2 Rozafa Fetahaj
- 2 Gentiana Berisha
- 1 Safte Mazreku
- 1 Fitore Sahiti

Justus Liebig University Giessen:

- 1 Prof. Dr. Ernst-August Nuppenau
- 1 Prof. Dr. Rolf-Alexander Düring
- 1 Prof. Dr. Rainer Waldhardt
- 1 Dimitri Militschenko
- 2 Dr. Christian Obermeier
- 2 Franziska Huber
- 2 Carmen Breitstadt



Opening at the Agricultural Faculty of Prishtina University 'Hasan Prishtina'



Visit of an experimental field of the Agricultural Faculty of Prishtina University



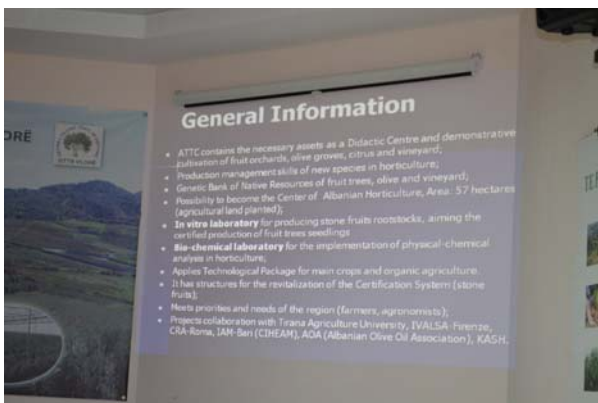
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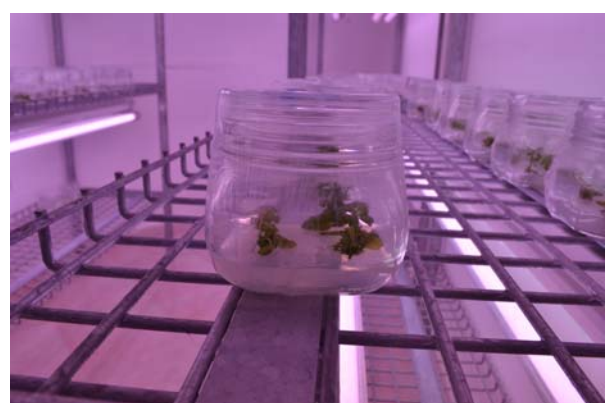
Visit of labs of the Agricultural University Tirana



Experiments with grape varieties



Visit of the Centre of Agricultural Technology Transfer (QTTB), Vlora





Visiting 'Stone Castle'



Visiting „N.T.P. Muja“ in Rahovec



Prizren and the Sharr Mountains

