



Christmas Newsflash



Dear ICT-AGRI-FOOD Community,

As we approach the season of Christmas and the dawn of the New Year, the entire project coordinating team wishes you all a Christmas full of warmth, love and cherished moments with family and friends.

At the end of January, our partner NCBR Poland, will welcome us to Warsaw and celebrate the conclusion of 19 successful projects of the 2019 Joint Call and the start of 7 projects of the 2022 Joint Call. During this event, we will highlight the latest progress and achievements of the projects of the 2019 Joint Call. At the same time, we will introduce and highlight the seven innovative projects launched through the 2022 Joint Call. This seminar is an essential opportunity to explore the triumphs, valuable insights and success stories shared. Let us move forward together in our ambition to embrace modern technologies and work together to create a more sustainable and inclusive

food system. Our active engagement in this collaborative effort remains critical to the success we strive for together.

ICT-AGRI-FOOD is preparing for the upcoming 2024 Joint Call, in which we aim to further strengthen our commitment to advancing digital technologies for sustainable, equitable and resilient agri-food systems. We recognise that there are still significant hurdles to overcome, especially in interoperability of farming technology and also in advancing digital technologies tailored for post-industrial agriculture.

May you be inspired by innovation and technology in agriculture, paving the way for ground-breaking discoveries and transformative developments. Thank you for being an integral part of our vibrant community. Your dedication and contributions make the ICT-AGRI-FOOD network truly exceptional. We look forward to continuing our journey together in 2024 and working towards a more sustainable and prosperous future for the agri-food sector.

Warmest regards,

Your Project Coordinating Team

ICT-AGRI-FOOD ERA-NET Seminar



We are excited to start the new year with the ICT-AGRI-FOOD ERA-NET Final Seminar of Funded Projects 2019 Cofunded Call and Kick-off Seminar of the Funded Projects 2022 Joint Call, hosted by the [National Centre for Research and Development \(NCBR\)](#) in Warsaw, Poland.

During the Seminar, participants will be able to engage in inspiring sessions and connect with a vibrant community. We want to highlight the latest progress and achievements of projects emerging from the 2019 Joint Call. At the same time, we will unveil and highlight the seven pioneering projects started through the 2022 Joint Call.

In addition to these presentations, we have organized sessions such as "Discovering Future Opportunities" or "Scaling up ICT-AGRI-FOOD Innovations. These sessions will facilitate the exchange of experiences, lessons learned, success stories and insights into challenges and the solutions developed during the innovation journey.

In addition, we will pay special attention to the ICT-AGRI-FOOD Knowledge Incubator, a fertile breeding ground for agri-food innovation, where minds connect and ideas flourish.

This exclusive opportunity provides an in-depth look at the advances, success stories and innovative efforts driving the evolution of agri-food technology and sustainability.

[More information](#)

New Call for European Research Projects



The partnership AGROECOLOGY, pre-announcement upcoming call on "Fostering agroecology at farm and landscape levels"

The partnership AGROECOLOGY ("European partnership on accelerating farming systems transition –agroecology living labs and research infrastructures") is pre-announcing an upcoming call for joint European research projects on the preliminary working topic "Fostering agroecology at farm and landscape levels" starting January 2024.

[More information](#)

The Green ERA-Hub Breakfast Club



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GEH Breakfast Club
For Postdocs & PhDs

Wednesday, January 10th - 2024; 10:00 am CET

Prof. Tim Bugg
Professor of Biological Chemistry, The University of Warwick
Title: Microbial conversion of lignin to monomers for bio-based plastics using synthetic biology

Dr. Jose Jimenez
Reader at Imperial College London, Department of Life Sciences
Title: Microbial integration of plastics in the circular economy

REGISTER

Imperial College London

Thursday, January 25th - 2024; 10:00 am CET

Prof. Frank Delvigne
Professor in Microbial Biotechnology, Université de Liège
Title: To be announced

Dr. Alan Goddard
Reader at Aston University, School of Life and Health Sciences
Title: Biotechnology at the cell MemBRane

Aston University

Discover the Green ERA-Hub's latest series of Breakfast Club sessions, especially for postdoctoral researchers and PhD students who want to broaden their expertise and network with leading experts! For the upcoming trimester (January - March 2024), we are focusing our spotlight on biotechnology as a catalyst for advancing sustainable solutions in the field of the bioeconomy. We look forward to your participation in this exclusive series!

🕒 All sessions start at 10 am CET – a perfect time to nourish your mind and ignite your intellectual curiosity.

Join the upcoming Breakfast Club 6 on Wednesday, January 10th!

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[Registration to the first Breakfast Club](#)



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