

Mid-term meeting CERES projects



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Thursday 29 October 2015 - 9.30 am-1.00 pm
Centro Congressi Fondazione Cariplo
Via Romagnosi, 8 - Milano

CERES is a joint initiative of Fondazione Cariplo and Agropolis Fondation aimed at supporting collaborative research in the agri-food sector, particularly on cereals. Funded projects are jointly carried out by researchers from France, Italy, as well as from emerging and developing countries and designed to contribute towards sustainable cereal production and consumption systems. CERES contributes to knowledge sharing and scientific capacity building and is expected to facilitate research uptake in this field.

Almost two years after launching the initiative, Fondazione Cariplo and Agropolis Fondation are pleased to host the **Mid-term meeting of the CERES projects** where current achievements and future plans will be presented.

PROGRAMME

9.30 am WELCOME

Fondazione Cariplo and Agropolis Fondation

10.00 am PRESENTATION OF THE CERES PROJECTS

BIOSORG, Laura Rossini (Fondazione Parco Tecnologico Padano) and Delphine Luquet (CIRAD)

FLORIMAIZE, Lucio Conti (Università degli Studi di Milano) and Claude Welcker (INRA)

MIC CERES, Marcella Bracale (Università degli Studi dell'Insubria) and Lionel Moulin (IRD)

NEWPEARL, Francesca Sparvoli (IBBA, CNR) and Laurent Laplaze (IRD)

12.20 am KEYNOTE SPEECH

How can scientific research contribute to making food systems more sustainable and secure?

Claudia Sorlini, President of the Scientific Committee for EXPO, Municipality of Milan, Italy
and Past Full Professor of Agricultural Microbiology, University of Milan

12.40 am Launching of a new initiative towards more sustainable food system

Agropolis Fondation, Fondation Daniel et Nina Carasso and Fondazione Cariplo

1.00 pm CLOSING

The working language of the event is English