



European Food Forum Event:

“European Food Safety Standards and pesticides”

Event Hosted by:

23 June 2020
11h00 - 13h00 | Webinar

MEP Brando Benifei
MEP Michele Rivasi
MEP Nicolae Ștefănuță
MEP Irene Tolleret

PROGRAMME

The debate will be moderated by **MEP Nicolae Ștefănuță**

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| 11:00 - 11:10 | Opening Remarks: MEP Brando Benifei |
| 11:10 – 11:20 | Crop protection products and control procedures - current situation:
- Christine Fuell FAO - Team leader of the Rotterdam Convention Secretariat |
| 11:20 – 11:30 | Impact of pesticides on health:
- Professor Charles Sultan Chief, Ped Endocrine Unit, Univ Hospital of Montpellier, France - Director National teaching program in Ped Adol Gynecol - Member, Task Force on Pesticides. |
| 11:30 – 11:50 | Farmers as testimonials (conventional and organic):
- Deborah Piovan (agronomist and farmer (administrator of Ca' Pisani agrobusiness), member of Confagricoltura and chairwoman of the National Committee of Oilseeds and Protein plants, and spokesperson for the <i>Cibo per la Mente</i> initiative.
- Paul François He's a conventional farmer who converted to organic farming. Author of “Un paysan contre Monsanto” to document his battle against Monsanto. TBC |
| 11:50 – 12:00 | Trade perspective of pesticides. Third Countries and international organization overview:
- Lynn Fortin Agriculture Counsellor / Conseillère Agriculture Mission of Canada to the European Union |
| 12:00 – 12:10 | Highly hazardous pesticides: a global health concern
- Laurent Gabrell , Agriculture, Biodiversity & Intellectual Property - Public Eye |
| 12:10 – 12:20 | Intervention of MEP Michèle Rivasi |
| 12:20 – 12:50 | Q&A |
| 12:50 – 13:00 | Conclusions by MEP Irene Tolleret |