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**TUESDAY, 24 JUNE**

16:00 – 18:00 Registration

**WEDNESDAY, 25 JUNE**

7:30 – 9:00 Registration

**9:00 – 9:30 Opening/Welcome (Main hall)**

Thomas Glauben, Director of IAMO
Rudolf Wendt, Federal Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Consumer Protection in Germany

**9:30 – 11:30 Plenary session 1: Quality (Main hall)**

Chair: Stephan von Cramon-Taubadel, University of Göttingen, Germany

Globalization of food systems: Implications for small holder agriculture in developing countries
Keith Wiebe, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), Italy
Public and private incentives to adopt enhanced food safety controls
Spencer J. Henson, University of Guelph, Canada
Global perspectives for agriculture and the role of Europe
Cees P. Veerman, Wageningen University and Research Centre, The Netherlands

11:30 – 12:00 Coffee Break

**12:00 – 13:00 Poster Session 1 (Exhibition hall)**

Organised session including short presentations

12:00 - 12:25: Poster Groups 1a – 5a
12:30 - 13:00: Poster Groups 1b – 5b

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch Buffet
SESSION 1: CHINA SESSION (CONFERENCE ROOM 1)

Chair: Jack Hou, Chinese Economists Society

Introduction: The Challenges facing China agri-business, Jack Hou

- Strategy and management path of food safety in China
  Li Hongfei, Li Ning, Zhang Wennuan
- How does Biotech Food Labeling Affect Consumers' Purchasing Preference and Market Share in Supermarket? A Case Study of Vegetable Oil in Urban China
  Funing Zhong, Xi Chen
- Increase in Protein Sources for China's Livestock Sector and their Impacts on the World Agricultural Trade
  Wei Sun, Beatrice Knerr, Michael Kuhn

SESSION 2: COMPLIANCE AND STANDARDIZATION (CONFERENCE ROOM 2)

Chair: Konrad Kellermann, IAMO

- Economics of Compliance: A Review of Theories and an Application to Agriculture
  Thomas Herzfeld, Roel Jongeneel
- An analytical framework for the study of deviant behaviour in production
  Norbert Hirschauer, Gaetano Martino
- Future Impact of New Technologies upon Food Quality and Health in Central Eastern European countries
  Lajos Zoltán Bakucs, Imre Fertő, Attila Havas
- Netchain innovation for sustainable pork supply chains in an EU context
  Rannia Nijhoff-Savvaki, Jacques Trienekens, Onno Omta

SESSION 3: SECTOR COMPETITION (CONFERENCE ROOM 3)

Chair: Inna Levkovych, IAMO

- Food industry in new Member states - A comparative view on structure, Conduct and performance and a view ahead on macro-policies
  Henning Harre, Frauke Pirscher
- Influence of changes in the market structure on the efficiency of agro-food complex enterprises
  Olga Yermolova, Irina Ivanenko
- Competitiveness of cotton and wheat production and processing in Central Asia
  Inna Levkovych, Heinrich Hockmann, Oleksandr Perekhozhuk

15:45 – 16:15 Coffee Break

16:15 – 17:30 Parallel sessions 4, 5, 6

SESSION 4: INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION (CONFERENCE ROOM 1)
Chair: Ildiko Lajtos, IAMO

Degree and pattern of agro-food trade integration of South-Eastern European countries with the European Union
Stefan Bojnec, Imre Fertő
Development of Agri-food Trade Composition of the New EU Member States
Dusan Drabik, Lubica Bartova
A Note on Measuring and Comparing the Competitiveness of Heterogeneous Production Systems in Agriculture
Oleg Nivievskyi, Stephan von Cramon-Taubadel

SESSION 5: PRICING BEHAVIOR AND MARKET STRUCTURE (CONFERENCE ROOM 2)

Chair: Linde Götz, IAMO

Tacit collusion in the Hungarian market for raw milk
Heinrich Hockmann, Éva Vöneki
Scientific Assistance in Grain Marketing Decisions
Jens-Peter Loy
Accounting for Threshold Cointegration in a vector error correction model: An application to the German apple market
Linde Goetz, Stephan von Cramon-Taubadel

SESSION 6: AGRICULTURAL FACTOR MARKETS (CONFERENCE ROOM 3)

Chair: Christoph Sahrbacher, IAMO

Determinants of agricultural cash rents: empirical insights from farms in Lower Saxony
Gunnar Breustedt, Hendrik Habermann
Determinants of technical Efficiency of Organic Grassland Farming in Germany
Sebastian Lakner, Bernhard Brümmer
Lack of finance or soft budget constraints? Empirical evidence from Ukrainian agriculture
Nataliya Zinych, Martin Odening

19:00 Welcome Dinner on a Saale River Cruise Ship

THURSDAY, 26 JUNE

7:30 – 9:00 Registration

9:00 – 9:30 Opening/Welcome (Main hall)

Thomas Glauben, Director of IAMO
Valentin Gramlich, Ministry of Education and Cultural Affairs of the Federal State Saxony-Anhalt, Germany

9:30 – 11:30 Plenary session 2: Bioenergy (Main hall)
The European Union en route to sustainable renewable Bio-Energy - Policies and Perspectives for Research
Christian Patermann, former Director for Agriculture, Food, Biotech, Forestry and Fisheries in DG Research of the European Commission, Brussels, Belgium

Bioenergy in Germany
Torsten Gabriel, Agency for Renewable Resources (FNR), Germany

Rivalry between Food and Bioenergy – what are the Policy Recommendations?
Alois Heißenhuber, Technische Universität München, Germany

11:30 – 12:00 Coffee Break

12:00 – 13:00 Poster Session 2 (Exhibition hall)

12:15 – 13:00 Invited Special Session on Agroholdings (Conference Room 1)

Chair: Heinrich Hockmann, IAMO

Introduction: Agroholdings - An emerging pattern in agriculture, Heinrich Hockmann, IAMO

Agroholdings and "still" Russian farm land control revolution
Dmitri Rylko, Institute of Agricultural Market Studies (IKAR), Moscow, Russia

Agroholdings or Clusters in Kazakhstan’s Agri-Food Sector?
Jürgen Wandel, German – Kazakhs – University, Almaty, Kazakhstan

Vertical integrated structures in Ukrainian agribusiness: A modern answer for world market challenges
Alexej Lissitsa, Andriy Tovstopyat, Ukrainian Agribusiness Club, Kiev, Ukraine

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch Buffet

14:00 – 15:45 Parallel sessions 7, 8, 9

SESSION 7: BIOENERGY SESSION (CONFERENCE ROOM 1)

Chair: Alexander Maximov, National Bioenergy Agency, Russia

Introduction: New developments of bio-energy market and policy in the Russian Federation
Alexander Maximov

Is the EU able to compete in biofuels' production on the global market?
Paulina Krystosiak, Barbara Chamot

Farmers' reasons for engaging in bioenergy utilisation and their institutional context: A case study from Germany
Melf-Hinrich Ehlers

The effect of bioenergy production for the agricultural outputs in Hungary
Miklós Palkovics, Gábor Pintér
SESSION 8: STANDARDIZATION AND CERTIFICATION (CONFERENCE ROOM 2)

Chair: Taras Gagalyuk, IAMO

The political economy of nutrition and health standards in food markets
Johan F.M. Swinnen, Thijs Vandemoorte
Spread of retailer food quality standards: A Transition Countries Perspective
Larissa S. Drescher, Carola Grebitus, Thomas Herzfeld
Certification Schemes in the European agrifood sector: Overview and opportunities for central and eastern europe
Jana-Christina Gawron, Ludwig Theuvsen
The effective traceability in the supply chain as a guarantee of food safety on the example of poland
Agnieszka Bezat, Sebastian Jarzębowski

SESSION 9: VERTICALIZATION AND MARKETING (CONFERENCE ROOM 3)

Chair: Astrid Rewerts, IAMO

Are food industry companies interested in co-financing collective agricultural marketing?
Anikó Tóth, Csaba Forgács
Geographical Indications in transition countries: Governance, Vertical Integration and Territorial Impact. Illustration with case studies from Serbia
Marguerite Paus
Inclusion of Dairy Farms in Supply Chain in Bulgaria ? Modes, Efficiency, Perspectives
Hrabrin Bachev
Processing and marketing feasibility of underutilized fruit species of Rajasthan
Dheeraj Singh, Lobsang Wangshu, V.C.Prahalad

15:45 – 16:15 Coffee Break

16:15 – 17:45 Special Session in Honor of Professor Frohberg (Main hall)

Chair/Introduction: Peter Weingarten, von Thünen-Institut, Federal Research Institute for Rural Areas, Forestry and Fisheries, Germany

Competitiveness: Challenges for Central and Eastern European Farmers
Csaba Csáki, Corvinus University of Budapest, Hungary
Sustainability in Food Networks
Gerhard Schiefer, University of Bonn, Germany

17:45 – 18:00 Closing session & Prize Awards

20:00 Halle tour (optional)

FRIDAY, JUNE 27, CONFERENCE TOUR

9:00 – 18:00 Tour to Saale-Unstrut Region in Saxony-Anhalt
Visit to the agricultural cooperative and to biogas plant in Gleina near Freyburg (Unstrut)
Lunch in the restaurant "Edelacker" and discussion with the farm managers
Visit of the wine cooperative "Winzervereinigung Freyburg e.G" in the Saale-Unstrut region. Saale-Unstrut is a newly emerging wine growing region in Eastern Germany, providing premium quality wine. The trip includes wine tasting and a visit of the wine cellar and the vineyard.

Organisation: Klaus Reinsberg, IAMO.

POSTER EXHIBITION

Posters will be accessible during the entire conference in the exhibition hall, 2nd Floor (please note the Instructions for Poster Presenters).

Two poster sessions will be held. Poster Session 1 (June 25, 12:00-13:00), will include short presentations and discussions of each poster in parallel groups consisting of 4-5 posters. In the groups each poster will be presented for up to 5 minutes. The poster presenters are requested to be there at the time scheduled for the Poster Session 1:

12:00 - 12:25: Poster Groups 1a – 5a
12:30 - 13:00: Poster Groups 1b – 5b

During Poster Session 2 on the second conference day (June 26, 12:00-13:00) presenters are asked to be at their posters to individually discuss the posters with spectators.

Poster Group 1a (Chair: Patrick Zier, IAMO)

The influence of changes CAP and prospects of introduction into WTO on development of an agrarian policy of the Republic of Belarus
Svetlana Takun

The Possible Effects of the CAP Reform on Farm Employment in Hungary
Sándor Elek, Imre Fertő, Csaba Forgács

How do Bulgarian farmers spend money from direct payments – some evidences for future CAP design
Dimitre Nikolov, Sergio Gomez y Paloma, Davide Viaggi, Meri Raggi, Alice Gabaldo

Organizational restructuring and strategies of Bulgarian agricultural holdings for CAP adjustment (on the basis of Haskovo region)
Ivan Kanchev, Albena Miteva, Zornitza Stoianova

Poster Group 1b (Chair: Swetlana Renner, IAMO)

Influence of changes in the structure of effective demand by population on the Russian

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food market
Yelena Reshetnikova

Influence of the modern agricultural policy in Russia on agricultural enterprises
David Epstein

Innovations in financing agriculture as a push of its efficiency and further development
Mariia Iaremchuk

Ukrainian agricultural policy
Alina Lizunova

Crop Insurance in Ukraine: Challenges and perspectives
Nataliya Gerasymenko

Poster Group 2a (Chair: Maryna Mykhaylenko, IAMO)

Super-large farms in Ukraine and land market
Volodymyr Lapa, Alex Lissitsa, Andriy Tovstopyat

The efficiency of functioning and the tendency of development of the large agricultural organizations of Belarus
Anatoli Takun

Innovation decisions in managing the agro-food complex of Russia
Anna Anfinogentova

Formation of corporate forms of agrarian business in Ukraine
Marina Radeva

Poster Group 2b (Chair: Diana Traikova, IAMO)

Structural Changes in Moldovan Agriculture: Problems and Perspectives
Dragos Cimpoies, Alexandr Muravschi, Anatol Racul

Formation of the regional rural labour market in the Republic of Belarus
Oksana Lodova

Multifunctional agriculture in Bulgaria – preconditions and attitudes of agricultural producers
Julia Doitchinova

Strategies for a Regional Innovative Knowledge Society: the Southeastern Anatolia Region and the Southeastern Anatolia Project of Turkey as a Case Study
Bulent Acma

Poster Group 3a (Chair: Timea Török, IAMO)

Approaches to the Ukrainian Wine Quality Improvement
Olga Shaposhnikova

Classification of Foods: Potential Contributions for Improved Inter-Organisational Data Exchange through Standardisation in Semantics
Johannes Otto, Matthias Frost, Reiner Doluschitz

Problems of the quality assurance of agricultural product and ways of their solution in Belarus
Petr V. Rastorgouev

New challenges for Romanian agriculture – organic farming
Dan Marius Voicilas

Poster Group 3b (Chair: Milada Kasarjyan, IAMO)

Assessment of competitiveness of the polish cereals sector
Agnieszka Judzińska

Contemporary external and internal factors affecting Slovakian corn market
Ivan Masar

Structural changes on inter-branch relations of the Russian Agroindustrial complex for 1995-2003
Evgeniya Zakharova

Assessment of Competitiveness of the Polish Dairy Sector
Monika Szczególaska, Piotr Szajner

Poster Group 4a (Chair: Vera Belaya, IAMO)

Contributions from economics towards the improvement of an under-utilized pulse in Nepal and India
Doreen Buergelt, Matthias von Oppen, Rolf A.E. Mueller

Changes in the governance structure of the French market for cut flowers: challenges and opportunities for foreign suppliers
Manoel Xavier Pedroza Filho

Dairy Supply Chain in Ukraine: Bottlenecks and Directions for Improvements
Oleg Nivievskyi, Inna Ilienko, Heinz Strubenhoff, Mariya Ryzhkova

Value Chain Approach to Rural Finance
Roman Kosodiy, Anna Bondarenko

Poster Group 4b (Chair: Yorbol Yahshilikov, IAMO)

Credit potential of agricultural enterprises in Ukraine: how much they need and how much they can accumulate
Olga Karasyk

Role of the cooperative banks in realization of agricultural and rural development policy objectives in Poland
Tomasz Siudek

Does the legal form determine the financial situation of farm enterprises?
Justyna Franc-Dąbrowska
Living on Land and Living with Land: The Conjunction of Agriculture and Social Security Policy in China
Xiujie Wu

Poster Group 5a (Chair: Florian Amersdorffer, IAMO)

Bioethanol: the new tool of surviving?
Tamás Mizik

Application of alternative kinds of fuel in the agriculture of Ukraine
Victoria Kolomiets

Opportunities for Environmentally Friendly Biofuel Production in Ukraine
Eugeniy Mishenin, Anna Bondarenko

Perspectives of biofuel market development in Ukraine
Stanislav Borysov

Poster Group 5b (Chair: Nadine Wettstein, IAMO)

Biogas production and its impact on regional material flow management, Lower Saxony, Germany
Sylvia Warnecke, Hans-Jörg Brauckmann, Gabriele Broll

Structural changes in the Hungarian cereals market - the challenge of biofuels
Attila Jambor

The Premises of Central and Eastern European Countries as a Potential Emerging Market in Agricultural Biotechnology
Artan Qineti, Miroslava Rajčaniová

Variants of acoustically induced artificial rains for agriculture
Tamara Tulaikova, Eugeny Dianov, Armin Krishnan, Svetlana Amirova

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English throughout
Simultaneous translation English-German in the main hall on the second conference day (Thursday)

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Sessions’ location at IAMO

Plenary sessions
Main hall
Parallel sessions
Internet café

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