



Scuola Superiore:
Sant'Anna

PROGRAM OF THE SEMINAR FOR SOIL HEALTH

SUNDAY 8TH OKTOBER 2017

Farm of Ecological Agriculture

Thermi Thessaloniki

Morning Program

10.00-10.15

Welcome notes : President of AEGILOPS Mr. M. Nathanalidou and the President of the Association of Organic Farmers of Northern Greece Mr. Chr. Skorditi

10.15 – 11.00

Introduction to soil fertility and its components

Vakali Christina, Aegilops – Network for Biodiversity and Ecology in Agriculture

11.00 - 11.45

Soil analysis and electronic instructions of fertilization for farmers

Dr. Papadopoulos Frantzis, ELGO –DIMITRA / Edaphology Institute of Thessaloniki

11.45 - 12.15

Coffee break

12.15 -13.15

Soil Biodiversity and its components

Dr. Katsalirou Irini, Soil Scientist, Technological Educational Institute of Ionian Islands

13.15 – 14.00

Η καλλιέργεια του εδάφους – Συστήματα μειωμένης εδαφοκατεργασίας

Dr. Gerakis Argyrios, Organic farming consultant

14.00 -15.00

Lunch break with light menu

AFTERNOON PROGRAM

15.00- 15.45

Functional Biodiversity and how it can be a tool for the organic farmer

Dr. Teresa Lazzaro, Scuola Sant Anna, University of Pisa, Ιταλία

15.45 – 16.30

Introduction to the spade test and its application

Dr. Teresa Lazzaro, Diego Guidotti, Scuola Sant Anna, University of Pisa, Ιταλία

16.30 – 18.00

Beatrice Winterstein, agronomist of organic farming: Tour on the farm and presentation of the practices for soil fertility conservation

Capsella Team: “on field” spade test and use of the spade test application

18.00 – 19.00

Discussion and conclusions, evaluation of the spade test application

19.30 -

Organic Dinner with good company, wine and talks about organic agriculture!



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