

# Final conference

**Date/time: 20th April 2023 / 09:00 – 17:30 CET**

(Can extent to 18:00 if we see that some posts need more time)

**Venue: CIHEAM Bari**

## Project background

The FutureEUAqua project is a project funded by European's Horizon 2020 research and innovation (R&I) program (2018-2023), whose overall objective is to effectively promote the sustainable growth of climate-change resilient, environmentally-friendly organic and conventional aquaculture of major fish species and low trophic level organisms in Europe, to meet future challenges with respect to the growing consumer demand for high quality, nutritious and responsibly produced food.

## Final Conference Objective

The final conference aims to summarize the results and outcomes achieved during the project four-year life, highlighting the challenges faced and accomplish issues and tasks. Moreover, it will be a discussion and debate platform for policy-makers and other regional and international stakeholders in order to pave the way for future collaborative project proposals and new initiatives for the aquaculture sector.

## When and Where

**Date:** April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2023

**Timing:** AM from 9:00 to 12:30 CETS and PM 14:00 to 18:00.

**Venue:** CIHEAM Bari "Cosimo Lacirignola's Campus - Valenzano - Italy

## Meeting and Conference Structure

**Day 0: 19 April 2023:** Arrival / **Evening: Social dinner and Networking**

**Day 1: 20 April 2023: Final Conference**



## Agenda

TIME	ACTIVITIES	PLACE
09:00 – 09:20	<p>Welcome speech</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Biagio Di Terlizzi</b>, CIHEAM Bari Deputy Director</li> <li>• <b>Åsa Maria Espmark</b>, FutureEUAqua Project Coordinator</li> </ul> <p>Project animation movie</p>	Great Hall
09:20 – 10:40	<p>Aquaculture 4.0 sister projects present:</p> <p>Chairperson: <b>Åsa Maria Espmark</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) <b>iFishienci</b> – <b>Tamàs Bardócz</b>, AquaBioTech Group, Malta -20 min</li> <li>2) <b>AquaIMPACT</b> <b>Antti Kause</b>, Natural Resources Institute Finland– 20 min</li> <li>3) <b>NewTechAqua</b> <b>Alessio Bonaldo</b>, Alma Mater Studiorum University of Bologna– 20 min</li> </ol> <p>Discussions - 20 minutes</p>	
<p><i>Coffee break</i> (20 minutes)</p>		
11:00 – 12:30	<p>FutureEUAqua short presentations:</p> <p>Chairperson: <b>Antti Kause</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Sustainable breeding of important European aquaculture species – 10 min, <b>Anne Helena Kettunen (Nofima)</b></li> <li>2) Sustainable and resilient feed and feeding strategies – 10 min, <b>Elena Mente (AUTH)</b></li> <li>3) Consumer and regulatory activities – 10 min, <b>Pirjo Honkanen (Nofima)</b></li> <li>4) Sustainable and resilient production systems – 10 min, <b>Wout Abbink (WUR)</b></li> <li>5) Internet of Things for healthy fish and environment – 10 min, <b>Giuseppe Lembo (COISPA)</b></li> <li>6) Quality and safety of aquaculture products – 10 min, <b>Francesco Capozzi (UNIBO)</b></li> <li>7) Training for increased Capacity: Online course and Webinars – 10 min, <b>Noureddin Driouech (CIHEAM Bari) &amp; Stefan Holler (Naturland)</b></li> </ol> <p>Discussions: 20 minutes</p>	Great Hall



<i>Lunch</i> (12:30 – 14:00)		
14:00 – 15:00	<p>Focus groups facilitated by FutureEUAqua WP leaders (in parallel in three different rooms):</p> <p><b>FOCUS GROUP 1: From a science support to policy perspective.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Marine spatial planning &amp; allocation of space to aquaculture (<b>Ingrid Kvalvik, Nofima</b>)</li> <li>• Organic aquaculture and the new EU-Regulation (<b>Stefan Holler, Naturland</b>)</li> <li>• Animal welfare (<b>Giuseppe Lembo, COISPA</b>)</li> </ul>	Great Hall
	<p><b>FOCUS GROUP 2: From a science support to market/consumer perspective.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sustainability &amp; Ecolabels: consumer and market perspective (<b>Pirjo Honkanen, Nofima</b>)</li> <li>• Food safety and technology &amp; seafood chains (<b>Francesco Capozzi, University of Bologna</b>)</li> </ul>	Documentation centre
	<p><b>FOCUS GROUP 3: From a science support to practical implementation perspective.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Genetics, genomics &amp; breeding (<b>Anne Kettunen, Nofima</b>)</li> <li>• Feed &amp; fish nutrition and welfare (<b>Elena Mente, University of Thessaly</b>)</li> <li>• Production systems (<b>Wout Abbink, Wageningen University and Research</b>)</li> </ul>	Room 3
15:00 – 15:30	Results of the focus groups reported in a plenary session	Back to the Great Hall
<i>Coffee break</i> (15:30 – 15:50)		
15:50 – 17:00	<p>Roundtable for Policy makers: “How aquaculture can meet future challenges of high quality, nutritious and responsibly produced food?”</p> <p>Moderator: <b>Giuseppe Lembo, President, COISPA</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Patrizia Pitton, European Commission, DG AGRI</b></li> </ul>	Great Hall



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Birgit Van Tongelen</b>, European Commission, <b>DG MARE</b> (Online)</li> <li>• <b>Eduardo Cuoco</b>, Director, <b>IFOAM</b></li> <li>• <b>Houssam Hamza</b>, Aquaculture Officer, General Fisheries Commission for the Mediterranean – <b>GFCM</b></li> <li>• <b>Andrea Fabris</b>, Director, Associazione Piscicoltori Italiani - <b>API</b></li> </ul>	
17:00 – 17:30	Wrap up by facilitator, way forwards, goodbye from coordinator	



## Information Note about the VENUE

### Future growth in sustainable, resilient and climate friendly organic and conventional European aquaculture “FutureEUAqua”

*Where? CIHEAM Bari, Italy [www.iamb.it](http://www.iamb.it)*

CIHEAM Bari is the Institute of the International Center for Advanced Mediterranean Agronomic Studies based in Italy and it is in Valenzano, a small town around 20 km far from Bari.

CIHEAM Bari campus (*Figure 1.*) covers an area of 150,000 square meters and includes five main buildings, experimental and collection plots, laboratories, greenhouses, a multi-sport game court, Great Hall, cafeteria, visiting professors and students guesthouses, library, Documentation Centre.

**Building A:** Director’s Office, main Secretariat and Administrative Department, classrooms, computer rooms, Great Hall.

**Building B1:** Students’ guesthouse, cafeteria, infirmary, common areas for students and guests.

**Building B3:** Visiting professors’ guesthouse.

**Building C3:** Land & Water Resources Management, Organic Agriculture, Sustainable Agriculture, Food and Rural Development and Cooperation Departments and offices.

**Building E:** Integrated Pest Management Department, bureau and laboratories.

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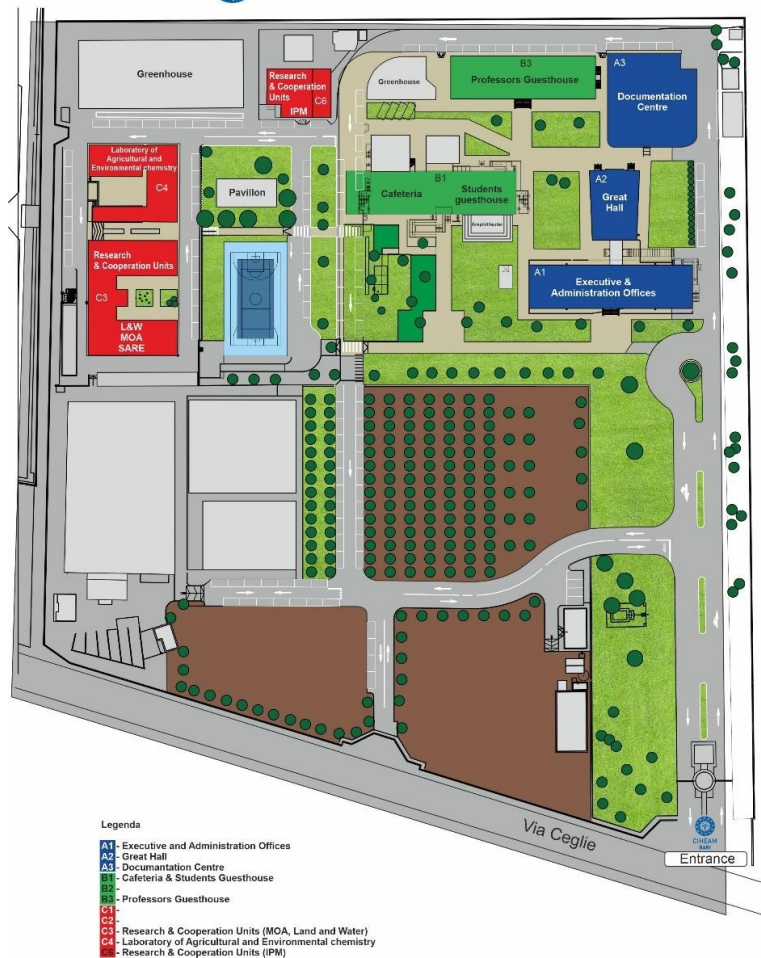
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Map of CIHEAM Bari Campus



*Figure 1. CIHEAM-Bari campus facilities*

## Wi-Fi Coverage

Free Wi-Fi service is available across the entire CIHEAM Bari campus. Password will be provided.

## Medical Service

Two doctors grant the medical service from Monday to Friday in the medical cabinet - Building B1 (Figure 1) as follows:

- Dr. Francesco Giotta

(Monday and Thursday from 05:0 to 07:00 p.m.)

- Dr. Giuseppe. Lonero

(Wednesday from 11:00 to 12:00 a.m. and Friday from 12:00 to 01:00 p.m.)

For any medical emergency, please note that an ambulance is always present at CIHEAM Bari. Moreover, you can always address the doorkeeper if you need help/assistance.

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