



Bee engaged!

virtual event



Wednesday, 20 May 2020 | 12:00-1:30 pm CET

PROGRAMME

Moderator: Jane O'Farrell

12.00-12.05

Opening remarks

Qu Dongyu, Director-General, FAO

12.05-12.10

World Bee Day video

12.10-12.35

Remarks from partners

- *Aleksandra Pivec, Minister of Agriculture, Forestry and Food, Republic of Slovenia*
- *Tang Huajun, President, Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences (CAAS)*
- *Jeff Pettis, President, International Federation of Beekeepers' Associations (Apimondia)*



12.35-12.40

Innovative solutions to support bees and beekeepers

World Bee Count



- *Max Rünzel, Project Coordinator, World Bee Count*
- *Joseph Cazier, Executive Director, Center for Analytics Research and Education, Appalachian State University*

12.40-13.10

Stories from the field

- *Africa: Nicola Bradbear, Director, Bees for Development and President, Scientific Commission for Rural Development, Apimondia*
- *India: Pradeep Mehta, Honorary Chairman and Founder Trustee, Central Himalayan Institute for Nature & Applied Research (CHINAR)*
- *Mexico: Carlos H. Vergara B., Senior Professor, Universidad de las Américas Puebla*



13.10 -13.25

Discussion

Questions and comments from the audience

13.25-13.30

Closing remarks

Maria Helena Semedo, Deputy Director-General, FAO

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