

INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP

Xylella fastidiosa (Xf) in the Mediterranean region: spread, socio-economic impacts, actions, and measures adopted to avoid or counteract its entry, establishment, and dissemination

CIHEAM Bari, 27 – 31 March 2022

Agenda

March 27, Sunday	Morning/ Afternoon	Arrival at Bari Airport, transfer to CIHEAM Bari, and accommodation
	20.30	Dinner at CIHEAM Bari's cafeteria

PLENARY SESSION

March 28, Monday	9.00 – 9.30	Welcome addresses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maurizio RAELI, <i>Director of CIHEAM Bari</i> • Teodoro MIANO, <i>Italian Delegate and Vice President of CIHEAM Governing Board</i> • Piero RICCI, <i>President of the Journalists' Professional Association of Puglia</i> • AbdulHakim ELWAER, <i>Assistant Director-General, Regional Representative for Near East and North Africa, FAO</i> • Donato PENTASSUGLIA, <i>Councilor of Agriculture, Puglia Region</i>
	9.30 – 9.45	State of the art of Xylella fastidiosa in the Mediterranean area <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Donato BOSCIA, <i>Institute for Sustainable Plant Protection, National Research Council, Italy</i>
	9.45 – 10.00	European and National actions to counter Xylella fastidiosa <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bruno Caio FARAGLIA and Carlo Francesco CESARONI, <i>National plant health and vegetable productions unit, MiPAAF</i>

Moderator:

**Michele
PERAGINE**

*President
of Puglia
Agri-Food
Journalists
Association*

10.00 – 10.15	Puglia Region strategies for the regeneration of areas devastated by <i>Xylella fastidiosa</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gianluca NARDONE, <i>Department for Agriculture, Rural and Environmental Development, Puglia Region</i>
10.15 – 10.30	<i>Xylella fastidiosa</i> in Puglia Region: Action Plan implementation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Salvatore INFANTINO, <i>Plant Protection Unit, Puglia Region</i>
10.30 – 10.45	<i>Xylella fastidiosa</i> in NENA Region: context and actions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thaer YASEEN, <i>FAO-RNE</i>
10.45 – 11.00	<i>Socio-economic impacts of Xylella fastidiosa in the Mediterranean region</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gianluigi CARDONE, <i>CIHEAM Bari</i>
END OF THE PLENARY SESSION	
11.00	Coffee break
11.20 – 12.05	<i>Insights from Mediterranean countries</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Delegations of <i>Albania, Algeria, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, KSA, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Oman, Palestine, Syria</i> and <i>Tunisia</i>
12.05	<i>Open discussion</i>
12.40	<i>Conclusions</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CIHEAM Bari MiPAAF Puglia Region
13.00	<i>Lunch at CIHEAM Bari's cafeteria</i>
14.30	Technical visit to the Conservation and production centre of “Pre-basic” material of grapevine, citrus, olive and stone fruits, “Martucci farm” of the University of Bari in Valenzano
16.30	Technical visit to “Fortunato Nursery”, producer of “certified” olive and stone fruit plants (Sammichele di Bari), with Luigi CATALANO - CIVI-Italia

	20.00	<i>Dinner at CIHEAM Bari's cafeteria</i>
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March 29, Tuesday	8.30	Departure to Lecce province (south Puglia)
	10.30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Technical visit to olive-growing areas infected by <i>Xylella fastidiosa</i> • Light lunch • Technical visit to a grapevine nursery in Otranto • Franco VALENTINI and Michele DIGIARO - <i>CIHEAM Bari</i> • Angelo DELLEDONNE, Cosimo CAVALLO and Anna PERCOCO – <i>Plant Protection Service, Puglia Region</i>
	20.00	<i>Dinner at CIHEAM Bari's cafeteria</i>

March 30, Wednesday	8.30	Technical visit to Plant health laboratory in CIHEAM Bari Michele DIGIARO – <i>CIHEAM Bari</i>
	9.30	Surveillance systems for the Mediterranean region Annamaria D'ONGHIA – <i>CIHEAM Bari</i>
	10.00	Summing up by CIHEAM Bari, Puglia Region, Ministerial delegations
	12.00	Conclusions by CIHEAM Bari and Puglia Region
	13.00	<i>Lunch at CIHEAM Bari's cafeteria</i>
	Afternoon	Free time – Visit to the old town of Bari
	20.00	<i>Dinner at CIHEAM Bari's cafeteria</i>

March 31, Thursday	Morning	Departure to Bari Airport
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P.S.: Translation will be provided from Italian into English and vice versa