

**Global Experience in Valencia on Mediterranean Foods
Know-How in the Agri-Food Industry
A day per day in the life of agri-food affairs
5th to 22nd of May, 2024**

1. DRAFT PROGRAM

Sunday 5th

Arrive to Valencia
Navette lift to RESA Patacona Student Dorm

Monday 6th

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Navette lift to Student Dorm
Coordinators kick-off Meeting & dinner

Tuesday 7th

Welcome Meeting: Course Introduction by Prof. Dr. Vicente Castell. Room 3P 1.03
Lecture: *Why do we eat what we eat?*
By Dr. Edgar Pérez. Room 3P 1.03
Central Market visit with Prof. Dr. Edgar Pérez.
<https://www.mercadocentralvalencia.es/>
Welcome Paella Lunch. Restaurante Casa César.

Wednesday 8th

Lecture: *Rice production in Spain & Drone Applications*. Room 3P 1.03
By Prof. Dr. José María Osca
Visit to a rice production area and a processing center with Prof. Dr. José María Osca
<http://www.ricetartana.com/>
Lunch on site followed by a discussion session

Thursday 9th

Lecture: *How to compete in a global and mature industry?*. Room 3P 1.03
By Prof. Dr. José Luis Aleixandre
Visit to a wine cellar with . Prof. Dr. José Luis Aleixandre
<https://www.chozascarrascal.es/>
Lunch on site followed by a discussion session

Friday 10th

Lecture: *(Past, Present & Future:) Citrus origin and production in the Mediterranean area.*

Room 3P 1.03

By Prof. Dr. Carlos Mesejo

Visit a citrus processor with Prof. Dr. Carlos Mesejo.

<http://www.martinavarro.es/>

Lunch on site followed by a discussion session

Saturday 11th

Excursion: *Calas de Moraira-Teulada and La Marina Alta county*

By Eng. Claudio Benavent

Full-day cultural and social immersion to the local community with Eng. Claudio Benavent

<http://www.teuladamoraira.com.es/>

Bus transportation and meals provided

Sunday 12th

Excursion: *Historical City of Xativa and Vall d'Albaida county*

By Eng. Claudio Benavent

Full-day cultural and social immersion to the local community with Eng. Claudio Benavent

<https://www.xativaturismo.com/>

Bus transportation and meals provided

Monday 13th

Lecture: *xxxxx*. Room 3P 1.03

Prof. Dr. Salvador López.

Visit to xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx Prof. Dr. Salvador López

[Link en cuestión](#)

Lunch on site followed by a discussion session

Tuesday 14th

Lecture: *Business potential of a typical Valencian crop: tigernut.* Room 3P 1.03

Prof. Dr. Vicente Castell

Visit to a tiger nut farm and Horchata tasting with Prof. Dr. Vicente Castell

<http://horchaterialobrador.com/>

Lunch on site followed by a discussion session

Wednesday 15th

Lecture: *Sustainability and local markets: the organic foods challenge*. Room 3P 1.03

By Prof. Dr. Lola Raigón.

Trip to an integrated production field with Prof. Dr. Lola Raigón.

<https://cabesan.eu/>

Lunch on site followed by a discussion session

Thursday 16th

Lecture: *Producing dairy products for the local market*. Room 3P 1.03

By Prof. Dr. Chelo González

Visit a cheese factory with Prof. Dr. Chelo González

<https://www.hoyadelaiglesia.com/>

Lunch on site followed by a discussion session

Friday 17th

Lecture: *Quality local olive oil: how to compete against massive producers*. Room 3P 1.03

Prof. Dr. Edgar Pérez

Visit to an olive oil production area and an olive oil mill with Prof. Dr. Edgar Pérez

<https://www.campoenguera.es/>

Lunch on site followed by a discussion session

Saturday 18th – Sunday 19th

Team-building Trip: Barcelona – Status just Proposal

By Eng. Claudio Benavent

Full-weekend cultural, social and recreational activities with Eng. Claudio Benavent.

<https://www.barcelonaturisme.com/wv3/en/>

Accommodation, transportation and meals provided

Monday 20th

Lecture: *The Spanish dried cured meat products local business*. Room 3P 1.03

By Prof. Dr. José Manuel Barat

Visit to a Embutidos Martínez with Prof. Dr. José Manuel Barat

<https://www.embutidosmartinez.es/>

Farewell lunch and Lunch and Award Ceremony at a restaurant on site.

Tuesday 21st

Day off for individual private issues.

Getting ready for the trip back home.

Wednesday 22nd

Depart from Valencia

Navette lift to the airport