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PROGRAMME (draft version)

**'A Greener Agriculture for a Bluer Baltic Sea'**

Agriculture – production and consumption contributing to the Eutrophication of the Baltic Sea

Ozeaneum, Stralsund, Germany

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5-6 November 2015

The theme of this year's conference is 'Agriculture – production and consumption contributing to the Eutrophication of the Baltic Sea', featuring the role and responsibility throughout the chain from the farm to the plate in reducing the eutrophication of the Baltic Sea.

Moderation: Sonja van Renssen

<b>Programme Day 1: Thursday, 5 November 2015</b>	
12:30-13:00	Registration and sandwiches
<b>Theme: Production and consumption of agricultural goods in the Baltic region</b>	
13:00 – 13.10	Opening address and welcome by WWF
13:10 – 13:35	“Phocoena phocoena – The Baltic harbour porpoise by Frollein Brehm’s Life of Animal” (Barbara Geiger)
13:35 – 13:55	Environment Protection Agency (UBA) – Germany, Dr. Lilian Busse, <i>National perspective on the production and consumption of agricultural goods –.</i>
13:55 – 14:15	Ministry of Agriculture Mecklenburg-Vorpommern, State Secretary Dr. Peter Sanftleben <i>Agriculture policy for a greener Baltic Sea - successes and challenges from North Germany</i>
14:15-14.45	Prof. Dr. Helena Kahiluoto (Natural Resources Institute Finland) <i>Nutrient management in planetary boundaries: Global to local</i>
14:45-15:30	Q & A round with the speakers
15.30 – 16:00	<i>Coffee Break</i>

<b>Theme: How to foster sustainable resource management?</b>	
16:00– 16:15	Presentation of Baltic Sea Farmer of the Year Award (film clip)
16:15 – 17:45	<p>How to find solutions on taking action to change the trends and reduce the effects to the Baltic Sea.</p> <p>How consumers can actively promote biodiversity? - A pioneer project for biodiversity in cooperation with farmers, retailers and consumers presented by: Dr. Karin Stein-Bachinger, Leibniz-Centre for Agricultural Landscape Research (ZALF) e.V.</p> <p><i>Panel discussion with the following</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Markus Eerola – Finnish national winner of the Baltic Farmer</li> <li>- Marta Szkaradkiewicz - Agriculture Supported by the Community (ASC), Poland</li> <li>- Dr. Karin Stein-Bachinger, Leibniz-Centre for Agricultural Landscape Research (ZALF) e.V. )</li> <li>- Dr. Reinhold Stauß, (State Agency for Agriculture, Environment and Rural Areas of the German Federal State Schleswig-Holstein)</li> <li>- Catarina Heilborn, Diet Strategist for Haninge Municipality, Sweden</li> </ul>
17:45 – 18:00	Wrap up of first day and outlook for the workshops next day
18:00 – 19:00	Mingle Session
19:00 – 01:00	WWF Baltic Sea Farmer of the Year 2015 Ceremony
<b>Day 2: Friday, 6 November 2015</b>	
9.00 – 9.10	<p><b>Introduction to theme: What needs to be put in place to deliver Baltic friendly production and consumption?</b></p> <p><i>Introduction of the workshops</i></p>
9:15-10:50	<p><b>Workshop Breakout sessions :</b></p> <p>Three parallel workshops address : What are the necessary steps and tasks for households, consumers, producers, farming and policy makers</p>

	<p>a) Eating for the Baltic (moderation: Otilia Thoreson, WWF Baltic Ecoregion Programme )</p>
	<p>b) Production with reduced impact and nutrient losses (moderation: Lennart Gladh, WWF Sweden)</p>
	<p>c) Policy driven tools (moderation: Dietrich Schulz, UBA Germany)</p>
10:50-11:20	<i>Coffee Break (with snacks) in the main conference room</i>
11:20-12:30	<p>Plenary: Report back from workshops by rapporteurs and moderators</p> <p>Discussion</p>
12:30 – 13:00	<p>What next? – Summary and Action to be taken</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Anders Alm – Ministry of Environment &amp; Energy, Sweden</li> <li>• Paula Biveson – Project Director, Baltic Sea Action Group</li> <li>• Ari Kultunen– Expert, International Projects at ProAgria</li> <li>• Staffan Lund - Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences</li> <li>• Kaspars Zurins – Latvian Rural Advisory &amp; Training Centre</li> </ul>
13:00 – 13:10	<p>Closing words – Dietrich Schulz (Umweltbundesamt)</p>
13:15 (latest)	<i>End of conference</i>
<p>Information: All participants of the conference have the possibility to visit the Ozeaneum <a href="http://www.deutsches-meeresmuseum.de/en/ozeaneum/besucherinformationen/">http://www.deutsches-meeresmuseum.de/en/ozeaneum/besucherinformationen/</a> with reduced entrance fee of 8.- EUR (instead of 16.- EUR)</p>	