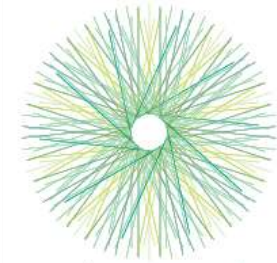


# EIP-AGRI Workshop 'New value chains from multifunctional forests'

10-11 November 2016 – Vienna, Austria



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## EIP-AGRI Workshop 'New value chains from multifunctional forests' Day 1: Thursday 10 November 2016

8:00 – 9:00 Registration

### Setting the scene

09:00 – 10:00 •

#### Welcome

*Antonella Zona, Directorate-General Agriculture and Rural Development, European Commission*

- Concept and objectives of the workshop  
*Robert Mavsar, European Forestry Institute*
- How are we going to work together?  
*Mark Redman, EIP-AGRI Service Point*

### Showcasing new value chains case studies

10:00 – 12:00 Exchange Platform (including coffee and networking time)

*Posters and discussions in small groups..*

12:00 – 13:15 Interactive discussion in World Cafe format about the innovative value chains presented at the exchange platform

*Discussion in groups*

13:15 – 14:30 Lunch

### Parallel break-out session I: Practical challenges and opportunities for new value chains

14:30 – 16:00 Break-out session

*Interactive group discussions on the challenges and opportunities to make the value chains a success.*

16:00 – 16:30 Coffee break

16:30 – 17:30 Feedback from the break-out sessions

*Rapporteurs from the breakout groups will present the main conclusions from the discussions to all the participants in a plenary session.*

20:00 Networking dinner



## EIP-AGRI Workshop 'New value chains from multifunctional forests' Day 2: Friday 11 November 2016

### Opening of Day 2

- 08:45 – 09:15
- Message from the host organisation  
*Gerhard Mannsberger, Head of the Forestry Division of the Austrian Federal Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, Environment and Water Management*
  - Summary of conclusions from Day 1  
*Robert Mavsar, European Forestry Institute*
  - Introduction to Day 2 programme  
*Mark Redman, EIP-AGRI Service Point*

### Introducing EIP-AGRI Operational Groups

- 09:15 – 10:45
- Opportunities offered by EIP-AGRI Operational Groups in connection with the EU Forest Strategy  
*Dan Burgar-Kuzelicki, DG-AGRI*
  - Practical experience of setting up and running an Operational Group  
*Ludger Linnemann, ENU-Wheat (DE)*  
*Christophe Chauvin-Droz, OUI-GEF (FR)*

### Parallel break-out session II: Inspiration for new forestry Operational Groups

- 10:45 – 12:15
- Break-out session  
*Interactive group discussions on how EIP-AGRI Operational Groups could help to support the establishment of new value chains from multifunctional forests.*
- 12:15 – 13:00
- Feedback from group discussions
  - Closing remarks
  - Evaluation of workshop
- 13:00
- Light lunch and goodbye

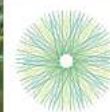
**Welcome**

**Antonella Zona**

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# EIP-AGRI in a nutshell

**Aim:** To foster a competitive and sustainable agriculture and forestry sector that "achieves more from less"

**Approach:** Closing the innovation gap between research and practice by:

- using the interactive innovation model
- linking actors via the EIP Network



# The interactive innovation model



# Means to implement the EIP-AGRI

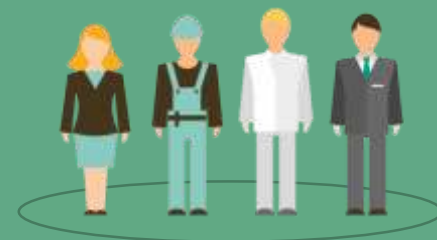
## Horizon 2020 (EU Research Policy)

- Multi-actor research projects involving the agricultural community
- Thematic networks, unlocking and exchanging knowledge across the EU

## Rural Development Programmes

- Operational Groups
- Project funding
- Innovation support services

## EIP-AGRI Network



# EIP-AGRI Network

Connecting people - Sharing knowledge - Tackling challenges

Include all stakeholders in the knowledge exchange process

Exchange of expertise and good practice

Dialogue between farmers and research community





# EIP-AGRI Focus Group

## "Sustainable mobilisation of forest biomass"



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**..Innovation in mobilising different types of forest biomass for all potential markets and better interlink supply/demand.**

***2<sup>nd</sup> meeting February 2017***  
***Conclusions by summer 2017***

# EIP-AGRI Focus Group

## "Agroforestry"



### 'Eco-intensification'

**Socio-economic impacts of establishing/reintroducing agroforestry practices**

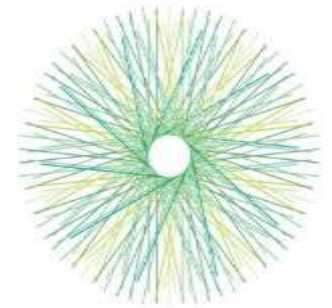
**Identify innovative approaches that combine formal and practical knowledge with modern technologies and management practices.**

***1st meeting November 2016***  
***Conclusions by end 2017***

**Consider relevant ongoing initiatives**

# Workshop

## New value chains from multifunctional forests



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And... possible new networking activity about innovation in forestry in 2017