

OrAqua – Program for the First Stakeholder Event

11th – 12th October 2014

Yeditepe University, Istanbul, Turkey

Saturday 11th October (Day 1)

LUNCH: 12.00-12.45 at the Yeditepe University, at the Social Activities Building's restaurant

1. Opening (0.75h) 12.45-13.30

Welcome address (Speaker: Matthew Holmes, IFOAM World Board): 12.45-13.00

Introducing the OrAqua project and aims of this event (Speaker: Ingrid Olesen): 13.00-13.20

Process design and the role of stakeholders in OrAqua (Facilitators: Nadarajah Sriskandarajah & Magnus Ljung): 13.20-13.30

2. Stakeholder views on current regulatory framework (1h) 13.30-14.30

Implications of basic organic farming principles on aquaculture (Speaker: Giuseppe Lembo): 13.30-13.45

Current challenges from the perspective of the stakeholders (Speaker: Stefan Bergleiter): 13.45-14.00

Open comments/reflections from the auditorium: 14.00 -14.30

BREAK 14.30-14.45

3. Identified challenges for the organic aquaculture (1.25h) 14.45-16.00

Presentation of the synthesis of the scientific review process (Speaker: Alfred Jokumsen): 14.45-15.45

Introducing the group discussion, its objectives, clarifications on questions, and format (Facilitators: Sri & Magnus): 15.45-16.00

4. Improvements of the EU regulatory framework on organic aquaculture (2.25) 16.00 – 18.15

Round table discussions: What challenges have come out of the review process and what improvements are needed?: 16.00-17.30

Presentations and shared reflections in a plenary session: 17.30-18.15

At 18.30 we break for the evening. Transportation to the hotel and dinner

Sunday 12th October (Day 2)

Buses leave at 08.00 from the hotel. Buses arrive latest at 08.45 at the university

CONFERENCE STARTS SHARP AT 09.00

4. Continuing the discussion on improvements of the EU regulatory framework on organic aquaculture (2h) 09.00-11.00

Feedback from day 1 (summarized by the facilitators Sri & Magnus): 09.00-09.15

Dialogues in café format summing up the participants suggestions of improvements and other inputs to OrAqua: 09.15-10.15

SHORT BREAK: 10.15-10.30

Plenary presentations of the most important conclusions: 10.30-11.00

5. Participation, outreach and feedback from the OrAqua team (1h) 11.00-12.00

Forthcoming stakeholder involvement, incl. introducing Stakeholder Event no. 2 (Facilitators Sri & Magnus) and in addition introducing MCDA (Speaker: Giuseppe Lembo): 11.00-11.20

Communication of results, further contacts and the participants platform (Introduced by Jean-Paul Blancheton): 11.20-11.40

An opportunity to give some general conclusions and responses to stakeholders' input from the OrAqua-team: 11.40-12.00

6. Closure 12.00-12.15 (0.25h)

Concluding remarks and presenting how inputs will be integrated in OrAqua: 12.00-12.15

Evaluation of the event.

LUNCH: 12.15-13.00 at the Yeditepe University, at the Social Activities Building's restaurant