



## Anti Fraud Initiative: Conference “Improving Integrity of Organic Supply Chains”

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Thursday, 21.09.17
9:30 <span style="float: right;"><b>Introduction</b></span>
Welcome, review and objectives of conference
Ukraine’s organic agriculture policy <i>Olga Trofimtseva, Deputy Minister of Agrarian Policy and Food of Ukraine for European Integration (tbc)</i>
The State Service of Ukraine on Food Safety and Consumer Protection – the pathway to a national organic control system <i>NN, State Service of Ukraine on Food Safety and Consumer Protection</i>
Swiss government support to sustainable and reliable market development in Ukraine <i>Viktor Shutkevych, Swiss Cooperation Office in Ukraine, Deputy Director</i>
The European Commission’s approach to fight fraud <i>European Commission</i>
The US approach towards imports <i>US Agricultural Marketing Service – National Organic Program (tbc)</i>
Organic integrity and Organic 3.0: approaches of IFOAM to safeguard organic integrity in growing global markets <i>Peggy Myers, IFOAM World Board</i>
11:00 <span style="float: right;"><b>Coffee Break</b></span>
11:30 <span style="float: right;"><b>Recent market development: challenges and opportunities</b></span>
Organic Agriculture in Ukraine and Turkey - Facts and figures
Export development in Ukraine: Experiences with exports to Western Europe and the US <i>Trader/exporter from Ukraine</i>
Exports from Ukraine – experience with the actual control system <i>Wolfram Reichert (farmer and trader)</i>
Trends and experience with Ukrainian imports in Western Europe <i>Trader from Germany</i>
How imports influence the marketplace in North-America <i>John Bobbes, Organic Farmers' Agency for Relationship Marketing (OFARM)</i>
The market perspective: challenges and opportunities <i>Bo van Elzakker (Louis Bolk Institut/AgroEco) and Mariia Makhnovets (tbc)</i>
Discussion

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13:15	<b>Lunch</b> <b>Market place</b>
<b>14:15</b>	<b>Identification and mitigation of risks in the inspection and certification system</b>
	Irregularities with imports from Ukraine – results of an analysis of recent OFIS registrations and recommended measures for prevention <i>Toralf Richter (FiBL) and Ksenia Gladchenko (QueS)</i>
	The North America: How imports raise questions about organic integrity <i>Trading company from US</i>
	What have been the reasons for de-certification in Ukraine? <i>Bio.inspecta</i>
	Identification and mitigation of risks in high-risk countries – the EOCC approach <i>Sergiy Galashevskyy, Organic Standard and board member EOCC</i> <i>Jochen Neuendorff Board GfRS and board member EOCC</i>
	Discussion
15:40	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>16:00</b>	<b>Pathways to face actual challenges and safeguard organic integrity</b>
	Interactive session
17:30	<b>End of the program</b>
19:00	<b>Joint Dinner</b>
	<b>Friday, 22.09.17</b>
<b>9:30</b>	<b>Organic Integrity: How to achieve a better risk management?</b>
	Report from working groups
	Review of the EU-guidelines for imports from high-risk countries <i>Herman van Boxem, European Commission, DG AGRI</i>
	Review of US measures related to imports <i>US Agricultural Marketing Service – National Organic Program (tbc)</i>
	Reflection on future steps to be taken <i>Ministry of Agrarian Policy and Food of Ukraine for European Integration (tbc)</i>
	Discussion
11:15 – 11:45	<b>Coffee Break</b>
	How to further improve organic integrity in the region? Panel discussion
	Wrap up and conclusions/
13:00	<b>Lunch and closure</b>

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