

Co-operatives: Empowering people for Sustainable Development and Zero Hunger

Milan, 12 - 14 July 2015 - Preliminary Programme

Day 1 (12 July) Palazzo delle Stelline Congress Centre

14.00 – 14.30	Opening Session	
14.30 – 15.00	Keynote speech:	Feeding 9 billion people while ensuring sustainability
15.00 – 17.30	Round-Table 1:	Agricultural cooperatives: supporting family farming and rural communities to enhance agricultural production and diversity
18.00	Visit	Visit of the “Last Supper” painting (tbc)
19.00	Cocktail Dinner	Cocktail Dinner with traditional Japanese agricultural products

Day 2 (13 July) Expo2015, Auditorium of Cascina Triulza

Morning	Visit to Expo site (free)	
14.00 - 15.00	Meet-up at Confcooperative Institutional Space and visit to Cascina Triulza - Pavillion of Civil Society	
15.00 – 16.20	Round-Table 2:	Ensuring environmental sustainability in agriculture and food retail
16.40 – 18.00	Round-Table 3:	Sustainable production and consumption: avoiding food losses and food waste in the supply chain
18.30 – 21.30		Cocktail Dinner

DAY 3 (14 July) Expo2015, Auditorium of Cascina Triulza

10.15 – 11.30	Round-Table 4:	Ensuring an appropriate policy environment: trade agreements and the post-2015 development agenda
11.50 – 13.00	Round-Table 5:	Securing the food supply chain: innovative practices to link producers and consumers
13.00 – 13.30	Closing Session:	
Afternoon	Visit to Italian Co-operatives (tbc)	