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via Folco Portinari 5r – Florence, Italy
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Title of the conference open to the public:
“NOURISH AFRICA:
FUTURE OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE INNOVATION”

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM:
9.00-9.15 Welcome address: Marco Bellandi – Technology Transfer Vice-Rector of University of Florence and President of Florence University Incubator
10.00-10.20 Marco Bindi – Agriculture Dept. University of Florence: The role of climate change on the agricultural development of African countries: impacts and adaptation strategies”
10.20-10.40 Leonardo Cannizzaro – National Council of Research: "Advancing in blue-ocean innovation priorities in Africa"
11.00-11.20 Mario Tredici – Agriculture Dept. University of Florence: "Microalgae: a novel source of high-quality food ingredients to combat malnutrition in Africa"
11.40-12.00 David Alejandro Solano Grima, Fabrice Gouriveau – Forest Sciences Centre of Catalonia and National Institute for Agricultural and Food Research and Technology (Spain): “The contribution of sustainable forestry and agroforestry to food security”
12.00-12.20 R.C. Gatti, A. Bombelli – Impacts on Agriculture, Forestry and Natural Terrestrial Ecosystems DEpt. of Euro-Mediterranean Centre on Climate Change: “CMCC research activities in Africa”;
12.20-12.40 Mauro Perini – Water Right Foundation: "Towards expo 2015: knowing water to nourish the planet"
13.20-13.40 Leonardo Piccinetti – EFB (Belgium): “Europe for Business: our role in the project”

Languages of the conference: both Italian and English, without translation

The public conference is open and without any fee. Registration is required, please send an email to Paolo Manzelli (President of EGO-CreaNET) egocreanet2012@gmail.com