



## BIObec will approach the latest trends in European Bioeconomy in Vienna

- Corporación Tecnológica de Andalucía (CTA), and the University of Bologna will present the success cases and latest findings in bioeconomy and how can be linked to Education in European countries.
- The BIObec project is working with six different regions of Europe in the development of an innovative concept of Education in the Bioeconomy.
- This seminar will take place in the University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences, Vienna (BOKU) facilities on September 6 from 08:00 to 12:15 (CET), in a hybrid format.

*Madrid (Spain), 27 July 2023* – BIObec, a project funded by BBI JU under Horizon 2020, aiming at leveraging education to unlock the full potential of the European bioeconomy, is hosting an innovative seminar entitled “**Cross-Fertilization Seminar: the BIObec Project**”, where the latest trends in European Bioeconomy will be discussed among several experts from relevant Universities as well as organisations like Corporación Tecnológica de Andalucía (CTA), among other BIObec project’s partners.

This seminar aims to promote a peer-to-peer exchange of lessons learnt and best practices activity. It will be based on each BIObec Education Centre’s progress, perspectives, and practical approach, from the initial design to their feasibility validation and sustainability assessment. BIObec experts Davide Viaggi, the technical coordinator of the BIObec project and PhD from the University of Bologna (UNIBO), alongside Rafael Dueñas from Corporación Tecnológica de Andalucía (CTA) will be the main speakers of this event.

In the words of **Davide Viaggi, Technical Coordinator of the BIObec Project and PhD from the University of Bologna (UNIBO)** “*Bioeconomy has a brighter future in Europe, with many opportunities to structure and enhance the professional development of many industries related to this field. The BIObec project and its upcoming Education Centres will enhance the connections between Academy and Business sides*”.



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The event will also place a multi-stakeholder point of view, with working groups panels per each type of stakeholder, to share their experiences and needs, interests, barriers and opportunities related to the upcoming BIObec Education Centres for the future, including synergies with other related initiatives and partners from Bioeconomy.

More information and registrations on: <https://bit.ly/43sTsOa>

### About BIObec

BIObec is coordinated by the University of Bologna and formed by a multi-disciplinary consortium including:

- 11 educational institutions: the Universities of Bologna, Hohenheim, Eastern Finland, Autonomous of Barcelona, Wageningen, Trakia, Munster Technological, Natural Resources and Life Sciences in Vienna, and the National Institute Of Technology For Life, Food And Environmental Sciences – AgroParisTech, IHE Delft Institute for Water Education, and the Educational Research Institute (IBE);
- A national research body: Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche.
- Three industrial clusters from the bio-based industry: Corporación Tecnológica de Andalucía (CTA), Food and Cluster Bio Denmark, and Irish Bioeconomy Foundation.
- Two SMEs: FVA and Sustainable Innovations.
- A non-profit foundation for Education and Social Dialogue: Pro Civis.
- And a private research institute: Research Institute for Fodder Crops, Ltd. Troubsko.

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