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Day 1 • Wednesday 28th August 2019

11:00 *Delegate Registration and Exhibition Opens*

Salao Monumental 7

13:00 **Official Opening of the International Conference**

Welcoming remarks by:

Luke Hutson, Chief Editor, **New Ag International**

Jennifer Lewis, Executive Director, **IBMA, (Belgium)**

OPENING KEYNOTE PRESENTATIONS

Chaired by Luke Hutson, Chief Editor, New Ag International

13:20 **Diseases, Pests, Nematodes, Weeds – Innovations and Trends in Biocontrol**

Dr. Marcelo Morandi, Head at **EMBRAPA Meio Ambiente (Brazil)**

13:50 **Biocontrol Market in Brazil**

Mr. Marcelo Claudino, Business Intelligence Director, **IEG IFNP (Brazil)**

14:20 **KEYNOTE: Feedback from the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply**

14:50 *Tea & Coffee Break*

SESSION 1:

BIOCONTROL AND IPM IN LATAM

15:50 **Biological Control as Part of the Integrated Strategy for Crop Pest Management in Latin America and the Caribbean**

Dr. Yelitza Colmenarez, Director, **CABI Americas (Brazil)**

16:20 **Farmer to Fork: Customized Co-Development of Biological Solutions in a Tropical Cropping System**

Dr. Lieselot Van der Veken, Business Development Manager, **Biobest Group (Belgium)**

16:50 **Effect of CPST (Crop Protection Support Technology) Products as Biopesticides and as Enhancers of Traditional Chemistries**

Dr. Michael Canady, Technical Support Director, **Cytozyme Laboratories (USA)**

17:20 **MIB – Manejo Inteligente Biopotente**

Mr. Robson Luz Costa, Manager, Market Development, **Laboratorio Farroupilha/Lallemand (Brazil)**

17:50 **Bioprotection Challenges and Contributions to Achieve the United Nations 2030 Sustainable Development Goals**

Mr. Nicolas Cock Duque, President, Bioprotection Global and External Affairs Manager, **Ecoflora, A Gowan Group Company (Colombia)**

18:30 *Opening Evening Reception*

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08:00 *Biocontrol LatAm Registration Open and Poster Presentations Open*

SESSION 2:

BIOCONTROL RESEARCH & NEW TECHNOLOGY

Chaired by Vitor Raposo, Rotam

09:00 **START-UP SHOWCASE: Using Technology to Revolutionize Decision Making and Enhance Sustainability**

Mr. Andrei Grespan, CEO, **Tarvos (Brazil)**

09:30 **1901SC (Saccharomyces cerevisiae LAS 117 Yeast Cell Wall) – an Innovative Systemic Resistance Inducer Against Asian Soybean Rust**

Mr. Eduardo Elias Oriani, Fungicides R&D Consultant, **IHARA (Brazil)**

09:50 **Technical Benefits of Plant Extracts for Crop Disease Management: EcoSwing, an Example of Botanicals Technology Integration**

Mr. Raul Ruiz, Ecoflora, a Gowan Group Company **(Colombia)**

10:10 **Zika Mosquito Management Using Botanicals**

Mr. Ketan Mehta, Founder & CEO, **Ecosense Labs**

10:30 *Networking Break*

11:00 **Use of Bacillus amyloliquefaciens in the Control of Nematodes**

Mr. Artur Soares, Researcher, **Simbiose (Brazil)**

11:20 **Biostimulant Effect of Biological Alternatives in the Yield of Pineapple**

Mr. Luis Diego D. Araya, Universidad Nacional de Costa Rica **(Costa Rica)**

11:40 **Sclerotinia sclerotiorum Sclerotia Viability Reduction Potential by Bacillus methylothrophicus**

Dr. Edilaine Gelinski Grabicoski, Professor, **State University Maringa (Brazil)**

12:00 **Julietta® a Biofungicide Against Botrytis cinerea and Monilia spp**

Mr. Frederic Lievens, Biocontrol Product Manager, **Agrauxine Lesaffre Plant Care (France)**

12:20 *Lunch in the Exhibition Hall*

SESSION 3:

PRODUCTION & FORMULATIONS OF BIOCONTROLS

Chaired by Manel Cervera, 2BMonthly & DunhamTrimmer

13:30 **KEYNOTE: Evaluation of Potential of Nanostructured Systems for Pest Control in Agriculture.**

Professor Leonardo Fraceto, Institute of Science and Technology of Sorocaba, **USP (Brazil)**

13:50 **Stability Studies in the Design of Biological Control Agent Formulations**

Dr. Martha Gomez, BioProducts Department Manager, **AGROSAVIA (Colombia)**

14:10 **Smart Bacillus Based Formulations: Successful Solutions Against Fungal Diseases Affecting Row and Cash Crops**

Dr. Noemi Herrero, R&D Manager, **Grupo Agrotecnología (Spain)**

14:30 **New Biological Carrier Platform**

Dr. Shalaka Shinde, Senior Scientist, **Oil-Dri Corporation of America (USA)**

- 14:50 **The Careful Selection of Yeast Extracts is Key to Promote Growth, Spores and Crystal Proteins Formation for *Bacillus thuringiensis* Commercial Manufacturing**
Dr. Alain Sourabié, Science, Technical & Innovation Director, Proceslys – Lesaffre Group (France)
- 15:10 *Networking Break in the Exhibition Hall*
- 16:00 **Adjustment of the Viral Propagation System of a Granulovirus of *Erinnyis ello* (VG010) at Pilot Plant Scale**
Dr. Paola Cuartas, Bioproducts Department Researcher, AGROSAVIA (Colombia)
- 16:20 **Production, Downstream Processing and Formulation of Microbial Biocontrol Agents and Nematodes**
Dr. Ralf-Udo Ehlers, Managing Director, e-nema GmbH, (Germany)
- 16:40 **The Complexity of Quality Assurance in Macro and Micro Biologicals Production**
Mr. Danilo Pedrazzoli, Industrial Director, Koppert Brasil (Brazil)

SESSION 3: REGULATORY LANDSCAPE

Chaired by Ms. Maria Luiza M.P. Castro, Co-Founder, CESIS

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- 17:00 **PANEL DISCUSSION: Emerging Regulatory Issues for Biopesticides in Latin America**
Moderator:
Ms. Maria Luiza M.P. Castro, Co-Founder, CESIS (Brazil)
Panel Members:
Mr. Norberto Arias, Director, Agrochem Consultores (Argentina)
Mr. Hideraldo Coelho, Program Coordinator & Federal Agricultural Inspector, MAPA (Brazil)
Ms. Blanca Sierra, Regulatory Affairs Director & Founder, GLP Estrategias Avanzadas (Mexico)
- 18:00 – 20:00 *Mid Conference Reception in the Exhibition Hall*

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SESSION 4: REGULATORY LANDSCAPE (continued)

Chaired by Gustavo Herrmann, Commercial Director, Koppert Brasil; Vice President, ABCBio

- 09:00 **KEYNOTE–PANEL DISCUSSION: Biological Products Labeling, Efficacy & Assessment in Brazil**
Moderator: Ms. Daniela Maia, Registration Manager, Vigna Brasil (Brazil)
Carlos Venâncio, General Coordinator, MAPA – Integrated Management and Efficiency
Jucemary Araújo, GHS Implementation and Microbiological Product Labels, ANVISA
Marisa Zerbetto, General Coordinator, IBAMA – Environmental assessment and how studies are used to classify biological products.

SESSION 5: INNOVATIVE APPLICATION TECHNOLOGY & PUBLIC HEALTH USES

Chaired by José Roberto Postali Parra, Professor, ESALQ/USP

- 10:00 **AMR (Antimethanogenic Reagents) Natural Product Pesticide Technology to Control Xylophages**
Michael Scalzi, Environmental Intellectual Properties
- 10:20 *5-minute buffer session to allow attendees from Info Ag track to join the session*
- 10:25 **KEYNOTE: Using Drones for Precision Aerial Application of Biopesticides: Global Impact**
Mr. Fernando Nicodemos, CEO & Founder, NCB Sistemas Embarcados (Brazil)
- 10:45 **Transitioning Biocontrol Strategies from Traditional to Precision Agriculture**
Amit Vasavada, Sr. Vice President of R&D and Chief Technology Officer, Marrone Bio Innovations

- 11:05 *Tea & Coffee Break*

SESSION 6: BIOCONTROL AGENTS & MASS TRAPPING

Chaired by Dr. Mark Trimmer, 2BMonthly & DunhamTrimmer

- 11:40 **Mass Trapping for the Control of the South American Fruit Fly in Table Grape Vineyards**
Dr. Marcos Botton, Engineer, EMBRAPA (Brazil)
- 12:10 **ABS in the Professional Biocontrol Industry**
Dr. Evert Hamblok, Manager Regulatory Affairs, Koppert Biological Systems (Netherlands)
- 12:30 **Augmentative Releases of Endogenous Parasitoids for Biological Control of Millet Insect Pests in the Sahel**
Dr. Malick Ba, Principal Entomologist, International Crops Research Institute for the Semi-Arid Tropics
- 12:50 **CLOSING KEYNOTE: Sustainable Cotton Production and Biological Control – Application and Expectations**
Dr. Jacob Crosariol Netto, Ph.D., Entomologist, IMA/ABRAPA (Brazil)
- 13:10 **Summary Q&A**
- 13:30 **End of Conference and Closing Remarks**

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