

# **“Digital opportunities for the future of the agri-food, forestry and environment”**

## **Contributions of the DIVA project and next steps**

**March 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

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### **1/ Plenary session**

- **9:00 CET / Welcome:**
  - Marek Przeor, DG GROW, European Commission
- **9:10 Presentation of the main results of the EU Project DIVA:**
  - Key figures of the project DIVA:
  - Official launch of the project summary video:
    - DIVA Consortium
- **9:50 Presentation about EU cascade fundings and other programs for SMEs:**
  - Virginie Perron, EU project Officer at EASME, Belgium
- **10:00 Digital solutions for Agrifood and Forestry:**  
**Selection of DIVA funded projects - session #1**
- **10:20 Inspirational speaker: the future of the Smart Agro / Farming / Forest sector in Europe:**
  - Véronique Bellon-Maurel, Deputy Head of Numm Department at INRAE, France
  - Niels Gøtke, Head of Division at Danish Agency for Science, Technology and Innovation, Denmark
- **11:00 Digital solutions for Agrifood and Forestry:**  
**Selection of DIVA funded projects - session #2**
- **11:20 Our experts' voice:** DIVA Advisory Board Members' feedbacks
  - Dimitrios Argyropoulos, UNIVERSITY COLLEGE DUBLIN, Ireland
  - Mike Lynch, ICBF, UNIVERSITY COLLEGE CORK, Ireland
  - Maria Linaza, VICOMTECH, Spain,
- **11:50 Conclusion of the session**
  - Nicolas Nguyen The, Agri Sud-Ouest Innovation, Coordinator of the DIVA project

### **2/ EU Project DIVA Awards ceremony**

**12:00 -12:30: Vote session for the best DIVA projects**

### **3/ Workshops & Matchmaking session**

- **14:00 CET: EU funding opportunities for SMEs,**
- **15:00 CET: Operational facilities, the necessary step to demonstrate digital innovations**
  - CRPV, Italy
- **16:00 CET: Feedbacks and recommendations to the EC, -**  
Interclustering session with invited projects: NEFERTITI, KATANA, TRACK, Smart Sensors 4 Agri Food Partnership
- **14:00 – 17:00: B2B meetings**

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- **14:00 CET – 16:00 B2B sessions**