

EUROPEAN HEALTHY SOILS

CONFERENCE SERIES

1ST EDITION: SOIL FERTILITY

Sept. 13-15, 2023 | Muttenz, Switzerland



Preliminary Program

September 13, 2023

10.00	Exhibitor set-up
12.30	Registration
13.30	Welcome to the FHNW: Falko Schlottig
13.40	Opening keynote: Peter Schad , TU München
Soil diversity Chaired by Reto Meuli , Agroscope	
14.25	Keynote: Sebastian Dötterl , ETHZ
15.10	Talk
15.30	Coffee break
Chemistry and microbiology in agronomical soils for sustainable crop cultivation Chaired by Sebastian Wendeborn , FHNW	
16.00	Plenary: Katie Field , University of Sheffield
16.30	Talk: Franz Bender , Agroscope
16.50	Talk
Poster Session	
17.10	Sponsor introduction
17.20	Flash poster presentations (8 x 5 min)
18.10	Apéro – 12th floor

September 14, 2023 AM

8.00	Registration
8.30	Welcome Day 2
Chemistry and microbiology in agronomical soils for sustainable crop cultivation Chaired by Sebastian Wendeborn , FHNW	
8.45	Plenary: Effects of multiple threats on soil processes and biodiversity Matthias Rillig , Institut für Biologie, Freie Universität Berlin
9.20	Talk
9.40	Talk
10.00	Coffee break
Today's challenges to soil health Chaired by Fabio Fava , FHNW	
10.30	Plenary: Catia Bastioli , Novamont
11.00	Plenary: Niels Halberg , Danish Centre for Food and Agriculture and CSA PREPSOIL/NAtions in support of Horizon EU Soil Health Mission
11.30	Talk
11.50	Talk: Jens Leifeld , Agroscope
12.10	Lunch

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13.15	Plenary: Lucrezia Caon , Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) – International Perspective (tbc)
13.45	Talk
14.05	Talk
14.25	Talk
14.45	Coffee break
Workshop: Soil sampling, storage and use Chaired by Alexander Wissemeier	
Workshop: Zero Pollution Chaired by Bundesamt für Umwelt (Federal Office for the Environment)	
15.15	Input
15.30	Input
15.45	Podium discussion
Poster Session	
16.30	Sponsor introduction
16.40	Flash poster presentations (12 x 5 min)
17.40	Posters and beer
19.30	Dinner in Basel (additional fee applies)

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8.30	Registration
9.00	Welcome Day 3
Soil and climate change: interaction of soil with water and atmosphere Chaired by Thomas Gross, Agroscope	
9.10	Keynote: Axel Don , Thünen Institut
9.50	Talk
10.10	Coffee break
10.40	Talk
11.00	Talk
Conclusion	
11.20	Closing plenary
12.00	Poster award and announcement of next conference
12.30	End of the event

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