



Czech Liaison Office for R&D in Brussels  
has the pleasure to invite you to a half-day conference

## CZECH CONTRIBUTION TO SUSTAINABLE BIOECONOMY

**31 May 2012, 14.00 – 18.00**

Permanent Representation of the Czech Republic to the EU  
15 Rue Caroly, 1050 Brussels

All participants are kindly requested to register in advance by completing  
the Registration Form at <http://geform.tc.cz/susbioeconomy/>  
before 27 May 2012.



In February 2012, the European Commission has adopted a new strategy for sustainable bioeconomy in Europe. The conference will provide a view on this strategy from different actors and introduce the potential of the Czech Republic in the area of sustainable bioeconomy.

**Come to hear what is new in the sector!**  
**Come to find Czech partners for European research projects!**  
**Come to discover Czech successful achievements  
in the area of bioeconomy!**

### PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME:

13.30 Registration

14.00 Opening

### INTRODUCTION

14.05 Welcome Address

Permanent Representation of the Czech Republic to the EU

14.15 Czech position on European strategy for bioeconomy

Jiří Mach, Deputy of Minister, Ministry of Agriculture of the Czech Republic

### TOWARDS EUROPEAN BIOECONOMY

14.30 Strategy for European bioeconomy

Maive Rute, Director of Directorate E "Biotechnologies, Agriculture, Food",  
European Commission

14.50 SCAR position on European bioeconomy

Niels Gøtke, representative of the Danish delegation to the Standing  
Committee on Agricultural Research (SCAR), on behalf of Danish Presidency

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15.10 Jana Hajšlová, Institute of Chemical Technology, Prague

15.30 František Sehnal, Biology Centre AS CR, České Budějovice

15.50 Michal Marek, Global Change Research Centre AS CR (CzechGlobe), Brno

16.10 Bořivoj Šarapatka, Czech Technology Platform for Organic Farming

16.30 Zlataše Novotná, Central European Institute of Technology, Brno

16.50 Tomáš Šubrt, Czech University of Life Sciences, Prague

17.10 Questions & Answers

17.30 Closure

The programme is followed by a networking buffet dinner.