

29th ISO SEMINAR – PROGRAMME

"Coronavirus and climate change: short and long term challenges"

Tuesday 24th - Wednesday 25th November 2020

DAY ONE

Tuesday, 24th November 2020

12:45 (UK) Logging in for participants

13:00 (UK) OPENING REMARKS

José Orive, Executive Director, ISO

Dr Fred Zeller, Chair, 2020 Seminar; Executive Director of South German Sugar Beet Growers Association (VSZ)

13:20-14:45 (UK)

SESSION 1 - COVID-19 - IMPACT ON SUGAR

THE MACRO VISION

Martin Todd, Managing Director, LMC International, Oxford

THE SPECIFICS

Tracey Allen, Agricultural Commodities Strategist, J.P. Morgan, London

THE VIEW FROM THE FARMING SECTOR

Joachim Rukwied, President, German Farmers' Association, DBV

15:00 - 15:10 (UK) Coffee Break

15:10 - 16:00 (UK)

SESSION 2 – COVID-19 - HOW CAN AND WILL THE SUGAR INDUSTRY REACT?

THE CANE SECTOR

Helder Gosling, CCO and Logistics Director, São Martinho, Brazil

THE BEET SECTOR

Paul Mesters, CEO, Cosun Beet Company, and President, European Association of Sugar Manufacturers (CEFS), Brussels

16:00 - 16:30 (UK)

SESSION 3 – CLIMATE CHANGE - THE LONG TERM CHALLENGE: WHAT DOES IT MEAN FOR THE SUGAR SECTOR?

Dr Alex Guerra, Director General, Institute for Climate Change Research (ICC), Guatemala

16:30 - 16:40 (UK) - First Day Closing Remarks

DAY TWO

Wednesday, 25th November 2020

12:45 (UK) - Logging in for participants

13:00 (UK) - Welcome back

Dr Fred Zeller, Chair, 2020 Seminar

13:10-14:10 (UK)

SESSION 4 - CLIMATE CHANGE - ENERGY SUPPLY & MOBILITY

ENERGY FOR THE EU

Klaus-Dieter Borchardt, Senior Energy Advisor, European Competition Law Practice, Baker McKenzie, Brussels

THE CONTRIBUTION OF THE BRAZILIAN AGRO SECTOR TO FUEL & POWER SUPPLY

Dr Plinio Nastari, President, DATAGRO, Brazil

14:20 -15:15 (UK)

SESSION 5 - CLIMATE CHANGE - THE TECHNICAL ANGLE

PLANT BREEDING IN BEET

Ian Munnery, General Manager, SESVANDERHAVE, UK

ROBOTS, DRONES AND MORE IN AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION

Prof. Anne-Katrin Mahlein, Head, German Sugar Beet Institute, IFZ Göttingen, Germany

15:25 - 15:35 (UK) Coffee Break

15:40 -16:20 (UK)

SESSION 6 - COVID-19 & CLIMATE CHANGE

IMPACT ON TRADE FLOWS & LOGISTICS

Julian Price, Director, Julian Price Ltd., UK

IMPACT ON SUGAR CONSUMPTION

Dr Courtney Gainé, President & CEO, The Sugar Association, USA

16:30 - 16:45 (UK) Closing remarks

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