



PROGRAM

Tuesday, October 5th, 2021

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09:30 Opening Ceremony

Introduction

Rashad Mabger, Secretary General, Arab-Hellenic Chamber, Greece

Welcome Addresses

- ✓ **Harris Geronikolas**, Chairman of the Board of Directors, Arab-Hellenic Chamber, Greece
- ✓ **Suheil Sabbagh**, Vice President, AHCCD & President, Group HR, CCC & President, Hassib Sabbagh Foundation

Guests of Honor

- ✓ **H.E. Humaid Mohamed Ali Ben Salem**, Representative of the President, Union of Arab Chambers, Lebanon, and Secretary General, UAE Chambers of Commerce, UAE
- ✓ **H.E. Dr. Kamal Hassan Ali**, Assistant Secretary General, Head of Economic Affairs, League of Arab States, Egypt
- ✓ **H.E. Eng. Abdulrahman Abdulmoshen A. Al-Fadhly**, Minister of Environment, Water & Agriculture, Saudi Arabia (tbc)
- ✓ **H.E. Spilios Livanos**, Minister of Rural Development & Food, Greece

10:15 Short Break

10:30 Session I: Investment Opportunities in Agriculture & Infrastructure in Greece and the Arab World

Speakers:

- ✓ **Dr. Wagdi Mirghani Mahgoub**, Director General, Mahgoub Sons Group (MSG), Sudan
- ✓ **George Filiopoulos**, CEO, Enterprise Greece, Greece
- ✓ **Eng. Muhammad Abbass Al-Obaidi**, Managing Director, Iraqi Khairat Company (Livestock, Agricultural Investments, Food Industries and Research), Iraq
- ✓ **Khalid Alrashidi Al Bassyouni**, Vice chairman & Managing Director, Elbostan for Reconstruction and Agricultural Development, Egypt
- ✓ **Hussain Shraim**, President, Zarqa Chamber, Representative of Jordan Chamber, Jordan

Moderator:

Nicholas Vlachakis, Board Member, AHCCD & Managing Director, Neokem S.A., Greece



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11:45 **Session II: Irrigation Technology, Sustainable Agriculture & Food Processing Industries (Greek Know How and Reviving of Small & Medium-Sized Food Industries in the Arab World)**

Speakers:

- ✓ **Annie Michailides**, Managing Director, EVYP LLP - Greek Industry of Hydrolyzed Plant Protein, Greece
- ✓ **Mohamed Bin Ahmed Al Obaidly**, Managing Director, OITC Group & Secretary General, Council of Food Security and Environment & BD Member, Qatar Chamber of Commerce & Industry, Qatar
- ✓ **Fathi A. Hayel Saeed**, Chairman of Yemeni Businessmen Club, Yemen and Managing Director - East Africa, Hayel Saeed Anam (HSA Group), UAE
- ✓ **Michalis Tsolakis**, Business Intelligence Manager, Eurodrip S.A., Greece
- ✓ **Ioannis Smarnakis**, Factory and R&D Manager, Lavdas S.A. & President, Hellenic Association of Food Scientists & Technologies, Greece

Moderator:

Nectarios Notis, Journalist & Communication Advisor, FnBDaily, Greece

13:00 Short Break

13:15 **Session III: Impact of Climate Change on Water Resources and Desertification – Challenges and Solutions**

Speakers:

- ✓ **Dr. Abdulmajeed Al Awadhi**, CEO, Bahrain Pharmacy and General Store, Bahrain & frm. CEO, Bahrain Electricity and Water Authority, Bahrain
- ✓ **Prof. Helen Briassoulis**, President, Greek National Committee for Combating Desertification & Professor, Dept. of Geography, University of the Aegean, Greece
- ✓ **Ghassan Ejeh**, Senior Vice-President, BESIX Group & BESIX SANOTEC S.A. and international expert in water management issues & Vice President, Arab-Belgium-Luxemburg Chamber of Commerce, Belgium
- ✓ **Fahad Ali Shehail**, Group Chief Operating Officer, Bee'ah (Environmental Management Company), UAE
- ✓ **Dr. Hassan Ibrahim Ali Mofadel**, Research & Development Manager, Kenana Sugar Company (KSC), Department of Strategic Planning, Sudan
- ✓ **Dimitris Peirounakis**, President, Environmental Scientists of Greece

Moderator:

Prof. Konstantinos Aravossis, Secretary General, Natural Environment & Water, Ministry of Environment & Energy, Greece

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10:00 Session IV: Sea Resources, Fish Farming & Aquaculture
(Greek Know How & Transfer of Technology)

Speakers:

- ✓ **Lara Barazi-Geroulanou**, CEO, Kefalonia Fisheries. Member of the Board of HAPO (Hellenic Aquaculture Producer's Organization). President of the FEAP (Federation of European Aquaculture Producers).
- ✓ **Dawood Al-Wahaibi**, CEO, Al Wusta Fisheries Industries (AWF) & Board Chairman, Natural shrimp Aquaculture Company & Committee Member of Food Security, Oman Chamber of Commerce & Industry, Oman
- ✓ **Kyriakos Stamatiou**, Managing Director, Stamatiou Aquaculture, Greece
- ✓ **Dr. Sidi Daha Khalifa**, Chief of the Representation, National Office of Health Inspection of Fishing Products & Fish Farming, Mauritania

Moderator:

Rashad Mabger, Secretary General, Arab-Hellenic Chamber, Greece

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11:30 Session V: Food Packaging Technology, Logistics & Halal Food Specifications

Speakers:

- ✓ **Dionisis Giannatos**, CEO, MGPack S.A., Greece
- ✓ **Dr. Khaled El Omari**, Head of Quality Control Center Laboratories, Research and Agribusiness, Representative of Chamber of Commerce Industry & Agriculture of Tripoli & North Lebanon, Lebanon
- ✓ **Dr. Tarig Elsheikh Mahmoud Elfaki**, Secretary General, Gum Arabic Board & Prof. of Agricultural Economics & Environmental Institute, University of Kordofan, Sudan
- ✓ **Emmanuel Kafouros**, CEO, Medhealth Food Exports P.C., Greece
- ✓ **George Margaritopoulos**, Operation Manager, HALAL Quality Control, Greece SMPC, Greece

Moderator:

Prof. Dr. Khaled Hanafy, Secretary General, Union of Arab Chambers, Lebanon

12:45 Short Break for platform navigation and networking



13:00 **Session VI: Trends & Demands on the increasing Organic Products & Natural Ingredients (Highlight on Entrepreneurs' Experience in this Sector)**

Speakers:

- ✓ **Amine Boutalbi**, President, Arab-African Center of Investment & Development (CAAID), Algeria
- ✓ **Yiannis Karypidis**, Founder & CEO, Stayia Farm, Greece
- ✓ **Eyad Anis Mohamad**, Chief of the Central Committee for Exhibitions and Conferences, Federation of Chambers of Agriculture, Syria
- ✓ **Mohammed Al-Qawasmi**, Partner and Vice Chairman, Ayadi for Agricultural Marketing & Vice President, PAL Chamber for Exports, Palestine
- ✓ **Thomas Douzis**, Managing Director, Ergon Food, Greece
- ✓ **Basel Al Madhoun**, Business Associate, Qima Coffee, UK & Yemen

Moderator:

Ioulia Drossinou, Head, Department of International Affairs, Directorate of Agricultural Policy, Documentation & International Affairs, Ministry of Rural Development & Food, Greece

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