



# The University of Padova meets the University of Georgia May, 30<sup>th</sup> – June 1<sup>st</sup> 2017

#### **University of Georgia Delegation:**

- Suzanne Barbour, Full Professor, Dean of Graduate School
- Amrit Bart, Full Professor, Assistant Dean and Director of Office of Global Programs
- Timothy Grey, Full Professor, Crop and Soil Sciences Department
- Scott Jackson, Full Professor, Crop and Soil Sciences Department
- Peggy Ozias-Akins, Full Professor, Horticulture Department
- George Vellidis, Full Professor, Crop and Soil Sciences Department
- Dorcas Franklin, Associate Professor, Crop and Soil Sciences Department
- Mussie Habteselassie; Associate Professor, Crop and Soil Sciences Department
- Michael Toews, Associate Professor, Entomology Department

### Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> May

Venue: University of Padova Campus at AGRIPOLIS, Legnaro

#### **University of Padova Participants:**

- Prof. Giuseppe Radaelli, Full Professor, Dean of School of Agriculture and Veterinary Medicine
- Prof. Maurizio Borin, Full Professor, Head of Department of Agronomy, Food, Natural Resources, Animals and Environment - DAFNAE
- Prof. Raffaele Cavalli, Full Professor, Head of Department of Land, Environment, Agriculture and Forestry TESAF
- Prof. Serena Varotto, Associate Professor, Responsible for International activities at Department of Agronomy, Food, Natural Resources, Animals and Environment - DAFNAE

09.30 – 10.30: meeting at the School of Agriculture and Veterinary Medicine, Sala Riunioni, Ca' Gialla (the entire UGA delegation participates to this meeting)

10.30 - 11.15: presentation of Department of Animal Medicine, Production and Health – MAPS, Sala Riunioni, Ca' Gialla

**meeting with:** Prof. Stefano Romagnoli, Full Professor, Responsible for International activities at Department of Animal Medicine, Production and Health – MAPS

11.15 – 12.00: presentation of Department of Comparative Biomedicine and Food Science – BCA, Sala Riunioni, Ca' Gialla

**meeting with:** Prof. Lucia Bailoni, Full Professor, Head of Department of Comparative Biomedicine and Food Science – BCA

12.00 - 14.00: lunch at the canteen

Venue: University of Padova, Department of Geosciences, Padova

14.30 – 16.00: visit to the Department of Geosciences

meeting with: Dr Lara Maritan, Researcher, Responsible for International activities at Department

of Geosciences

16.00 – 16.40: visit to the Museum of Geology and Paleontology

Venue: University of Padova Campus at AGRIPOLIS, Legnaro

17:00 – 18.30: visit to the Agripolis Farm (the entire UGA delegation participates to this visit)

19.00: barbecue at the Agripolis Farm with University of Padova faculty and students (accompanying persons are invited to participate)

## Wednesday 31st May

Venue: International Relations Office, University of Padova, Padova

#### **University of Georgia Participants:**

- Suzanne Barbour, Full Professor, Dean of Graduate School
- Amrit Bart, Full Professor, Assistant Dean and Director of Office of Global Programs
- George Vellidis, Full Professor, Crop and Soil Sciences Department

#### **University of Padova Participants:**

- Prof. Serena Varotto, Associate Professor, Responsible for International activities at Department of Agronomy, Food, Natural Resources, Animals and Environment - DAFNAE
- Ms Alessandra Gallerano, Administrative Staff, International Relations Office
- Ms Silvia Rettore, Administrative Staff, School of Agriculture and Veterinary Medicine
- Ms Raffaella Cattarinussi, Administrative Staff, Department of Agronomy, Food, Natural Resources, Animals and Environment DAFNAE

08.30 – 09.15: discussion about the Erasmus+ program and the Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degree proposal

Venue: University of Padova, Palazzo Bo, Padova

#### **University of Padova Participants**

- Prof. Alessandro Paccagnella, Full Professor, Vice Rector for International Relations
- Prof. Giuseppe Radaelli, Full Professor, Dean of School of Agriculture and Veterinary Medicine
- Prof. Maurizio Borin, Full Professor, Head of Department of Agronomy, Food, Natural Resources, Animals and Environment - DAFNAE
- Prof. Serena Varotto, Associate Professor, Responsible for International activities at Department of Agronomy, Food, Natural Resources, Animals and Environment DAFNAE

09.20 – 10.00: Palazzo Bo Guided Tour. Meeting point: New Courtyard (accompanying persons are invited to participate)

10.00 – 12.00: the University of Padova meets a delegation from the University of Georgia to strengthen and enhance cooperation actions, *Sala da Pranzo*, *Palazzo Bo* (the entire UGA delegation participates to this meeting).

10.00 – 10.15	Opening and Welcome address: Prof. Alessandro Paccagnella, Vice Rector for International Relations, University of Padova
10.15 – 10.30	Overview and Opportunities in Graduate Education at UGA Prof. Suzanne Barbour, Full Professor, Dean of Graduate School, University of Georgia
10.30 – 10.45	One year of Dual Degree Prof. Serena Varotto, Associate Professor, Responsible for International activities at Department of Agronomy, Food, Natural Resources, Animals and Environment - DAFNAE
10.45 – 11.00	UGA's College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences globalization aspirations through sustained international partnerships Prof. Amrit Bart, Full Professor, Assistant Dean and Director of Office of Global Programs, University of Georgia
11.00 – 12.00	Round table

## 12.30 – 13.30: overview on research training and PhD Courses **meeting with:**

- Prof. Patrizia Burra, Vice Rector for Research training
- Prof. Paola Zanovello, Coordinator of Board of the PhD Courses
- Ms Maria Zanato, Administrative Staff, Head of the Research Training Office

13.30 - 14.15: lunch break

Venue: University of Padova, Department of Biology, Padova

14.15 – 15.30: visit to the Department of Biology

#### meeting with:

- Prof. Gerolamo Lanfranchi, Full Professor, Head of the Department of Biology
- Prof. Rodolfo Costa, Full Professor, Department of Biology
- Prof. Luigi Bubacco, Associate Professor, Department of Biology

Venue: University of Padova, Botanical Garden, Padova

16.00 – 18.00: visit to the Botanical Garden – the oldest university botanical garden in the world (the entire UGA delegation participates to this visit, accompanying persons are invited to participate)

18.30: cocktail at the Botanical Garden (accompanying persons are invited to participate)

## Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> June

Venue: University of Padova Conegliano Campus

**All University of Georgia Participants** (accompanying persons are invited to participate)

#### **University of Padova Participants:**

- Prof. Maurizio Borin, Full Professor, Head of Department of Agronomy, Food, Natural Resources, Animals and Environment DAFNAE
- Prof. Carlo Duso, Full Professor, Department of Agronomy, Food, Natural Resources, Animals and Environment DAFNAE
- Prof. Serena Varotto, Associate Professor, Responsible for International activities at Department of Agronomy, Food, Natural Resources, Animals and Environment DAFNAE
- Dott. Alberto Pozzebon, Researcher, Department of Agronomy, Food, Natural Resources, Animals and Environment DAFNAE
- Dott. Simone Vincenzi, Researcher, Department of Agronomy, Food, Natural Resources, Animals and Environment DAFNAE

08.30: departure for Conegliano (meeting point in Prato della Valle, Padova)

10.00: arrival to the "Scuola Enologica" and coffee break

10.30 - 11.00: visit to the Museo Manzoni

11.00 - 11.30: visit to the Campus

11.30 - 11.45: visit to the winery of "Scuola Enologica" and wine-tasting

11.45 – 12.15: trip to "Osteria Borgoluce", Susegana

12.15 - 14.00: lunch at "Osteria Borgoluce"

14.00 - 15.30: visit to Borgoluce farm

15.30 - 16.15: trip to Valdobbiadene

16.15 – 18.30: visit to the winery "Ca' Salina"

18.30: departure for Padova

20.00: arrival in Padova

## Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> June

Since several members of the UGA delegation have expressed interest in having time for individual activities, no meetings have been scheduled. A day trip to Verona has been organized for those interested. We will be traveling by train from Padova to Verona. In Verona we will visit the Roman arena which is still in used for cultural performances, the house of Juliet (as in Romeo and Juliet), and other attractions. Those who are not interested in participating are free to plan their own activities.

## Saturday, 3<sup>rd</sup> June

Travel from Padova to Venice by train. Guided tour of Venice.