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## **The First Sustainable Agriculture Degree Ceremony at University of Padova**

**July, 19<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> 2018 Agenda**

### **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> July**

Venue: University of Padova, Palazzo Bo

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

Suzanne Barbour, Professor, Dean of Graduate School

Brian Watkins, Director of International Partnerships, Office of International Education

Paul Klute, Director of the Office of Institutional Research

Miguel Cabrera, Professor and Graduate Coordinator, Crop and Soil Sciences Department

Gerald Henry, Professor, Crop and Soil Sciences Department

Dory Franklin, Professor, Crop and Soil Sciences Department

Jennifer Klute, Program Coordinator for Graduate Studies, Crop and Soil Sciences

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

Giancarlo Dalla Fontana, Professor Deputy Rector

Patrizia Burra, Professor, Vice Rector for Research training

Barbara Gatto, Professor, Chief Advisor for USA and Canada, International Relations

Maurizio Borin, Professor, Head of the Department of Agronomy Food Natural Resources Animals and Environment (DAFNAE)

Raffaele Cavalli, Professor, Head of the Department of Land, Environment, Agriculture and Forestry

Gerolamo Lanfranchi, Professor, Head of the Department of Biology

Fabrizio Nestola, Professor, Head of the Department of Geoscience

Andrea Battisti, Professor, Vice Head of Teaching Department of Agronomy, Food, Natural Resources, Animals and Environment

Prof. Francesco Morari, Professor, Responsible for Dual Degree in Sustainable Agriculture

Prof. Serena Varotto, Professor, Responsible for International activities at DAFNAE

- 09.20 – 10.00 Palazzo Bo Guided Tour  
Meeting point: New Courtyard
- 10.00 – 12.00: Venue Sala da Pranzo, Palazzo Bo  
The University of Padova Authorities meet a delegation from the University of Georgia to strengthen and enhance cooperation actions.

Speakers:

- Suzanne Barbour, Professor, Dean of Graduate School  
*10-15min*
- Brian Watkins, Director of International Partnerships, Office of International Education  
*10-15min*
- Barbara Gatto, Professor, Chief Advisor for USA and Canada, International Relations  
***“International Relations of UNIPD”*** *10-15min*
- Patrizia Burra, Professor, Vice Rector for Research training  
***“Research training activities at UNIPD”*** *10-15min*
- Andrea Battisti, Professor, Vice Head of Teaching Department of Agronomy, Food, Natural Resources, Animals and Environment  
***“The School of Agriculture and Veterinary Medicine”*** *10-15min*
- Open discussion between UNIPD and UGA Delegations

- 12.30 – 13.45 Lunch
- 14.00 – 15.30 Venue Sala di Medicina, Palazzo Bo  
**Degree Ceremony**
- 16.00 – 18.00 Visit to the Botanical Garden
- 20.00 Dinner

## Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July

Venue: University Campus of AGRIPOLIS, University of Padova “Aula 10 Pentagono”, Legnaro

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Food, Natural Resources, Animals and Environment

- 9-12 Workshop: **Sustainable Agriculture: Bridging Research and Education**

*Greetings from the Rector of UNIPD*

- Sabine Zikeli, Professor University of Hohenheim  
***“Sustainable Agriculture in Europe - Sustainable Development Goals and the need for change”***
  - Marco Bindi, Professor University of Firenze  
***“New sustainable agricultural strategies to cope with climate change. An European perspective”***
  - Dory Franklin, Professor UGA  
***“Sustainable Agriculture from the US perspective”***
  - Suzanne Barbour, Professor, Dean of Graduate School UGA  
***“A Snapshot of Graduate Education at the University of Georgia”***
  - Brian Watkins, Director of International Partnerships, Office of International Education  
***“Facilitating Strategic International Collaboration: Case Study and Discussion”***
  - Prof. Maurizio Borin, Head of DAFNAE  
***“DAFNAE Excellence Project CASA”***
  - Francesco Morari, Professor, Responsible for Dual Degree in Sustainable Agriculture  
***“Two years of Dual Degree in Sustainable Agriculture at UNIPD”***
  - A student’s experience: Logan Moore from UGA
  - A student’s experience: Stefano Gobbo from UNIPD
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- 13.00 – 14.00 Lunch
  - 17.00 – 19.30 Visit to an Organic Vineyard and Winery (La Capuccina) and dinner.
  - 20.30 Arena of Verona: Opera “Nabucco” by Giuseppe Verdi