

Newsflash 2024, December



EAAE CONGRESS INFORMATION

Don't miss the XVIII Congress of the EAAE - *Food System Transformation in Challenging Times!* **Submission deadline is approaching (31 January 2025).**

Join us from 26th to 29th August 2025 in the beautiful city of Bonn, home to the United Nations, for an inspiring dialogue shaping the future of food systems.

Submit your contributed papers, posters, and/or organized sessions via ConfTool before 31st January 2025: <https://www.conftool.org/eaae2025/>

Details about the Call for Contributions are available here:
<https://www.ilr1.uni-bonn.de/eaaecongress2025/en/callforpapers>

We look forward to welcoming you to Bonn for what promises to be an extraordinary event!
[Website](#); [LinkedIn](#)

EAAE 50TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Call for pictures or material illustrating our history!

EAAE will celebrate its 50th anniversary in 2025! We will do this with a special session on Friday, 29th of August at the occasion of 19th congress of EAAE in Bonn that will take place from August 26th to 29th 2025. The special session will both be about looking back as looking forward with testimonials and panel discussions on how it started, how EAAE contributed to some major evolutions in agriculture, and which role agricultural economists can play in the future. The session will be followed by a special anniversary diner during which we want to pay tribute to those who have shaped our association.

In order to illustrate and document these past 50 years, we ask everybody who still has pictures, documents or other relevant historic material on congresses, seminars or other past events of EAAE to drop them at the following dropbox "[EAAE 50th anniversary photo upload](#)". Short videos with interviews of former members who speak about former events are also welcome here.

Please indicate very clearly the year, name and place of the event so that we can trace it back. Please extend this invitation also to former organizers of events who are maybe not receiving this newsflash!

50 years EAAE: Early Career Spotlight Contest

Besides evocating the past, we also want to look into the future. Therefore the EAAE, in collaboration with [AgEconMeet](#), is launching a video contest for early career EAAE members (maximum 6 years after obtaining your PhD). Record a video explaining the importance of your research for science and society in the years to come, and you might end up presenting your work plenary in Bonn during a special plenary ceremonial session. In addition, one final winner will be selected and awarded in that session by the Congress audience. For further details, see the [contest document](#) on the EAAE website. You can upload your video before June 1st using in this Dropbox link: "[EAAE Video contest upload](#)". We hope to receive many creative videos!

EAAE INFORMATION: CONGRESS BIDS

The Board of the EAAE invites bids to organise the 51st or 52nd EAAE Congress, scheduled for 2027 and 2029, respectively.

The congresses will continue the tradition of previous events held in Parma (2017), Prague (2021), Rennes (2023), and Bonn (2025). They should follow a similar format, including the time of the year. However, there are two important changes: the duration of the congress will now be from Tuesday lunchtime until Friday lunchtime, and there will be no excursions. Innovative ideas for the organisation and administration of the Congress are welcome and will be considered during the bidding process.

The organisation of a congress is a collaborative effort between the EAAE Board, the Local Organising Committee (which will be established as part of the bid), and the Programme Committee. A formal contract will outline the respective responsibilities and obligations between the EAAE Board and the successful bidder.

All proposals will be evaluated based on the following criteria:

- Overall costs to participants (40%)
- Expertise and involvement of the Local Organising Committee (20%)
- Attractiveness of the region/location, congress site, and social program (20%)

- Sustainability issues (20%)

More detailed information about the bidding process, evaluation criteria, and a budget template can be obtained from the Secretary-General (secretariat@eaae.org).

Submissions should consist of a Congress bid book and a completed budget template. These must be sent via email (secretariat@eaae.org) to the Secretary-General of the EAAE by **January 31, 2025**. A final decision will be made before **June 30, 2025**, and the selected bid will be announced at the Congress in Bonn.

EAAE Members information

Change to two-year membership period.

The EAAE Board decided in its November meeting to establish a two-year membership period. Starting on 1 January 2025 with the new structure, the membership fee will be €100 for two years, compared to the current €150 for three years. This change aims to align the membership period with the newly adopted two-year conference cycle.

In case your membership ends by 31-12-2024 and you wish to extend your membership, please feel welcome to do so via the [website](#).

EAAE WEBINARS, SEMINARS, AND WORKSHOPS

EAAE webinars

The presentations of the past webinars and seminars are made available on the [website](#).

191th EAAE Seminar ‘System Dynamics and Innovation in Food Networks’ („Iglis-Forum“), 10-14 February 2025

The seminar will be held in Garmisch-Partenkirchen. The official conference hotel is the “Bio-hotel Garmischer Hof” which is close to the conference venue. Garmisch-Partenkirchen can easily be reached by train from Munich, Innsbruck or the respective airports. Abstract submission deadline is October 11, 2024. Abstract submission and pre-registration of participants without presentation interest is through an informal e-mail to fooddynamics@uni-bonn.de For more information, visit: <http://www.fooddynamics.org/>

ERAЕ information

Review articles

The European Review of Agricultural Economics welcomes proposals for review articles from EAAE members. Review articles should provide a comprehensive and scholarly account of a topic that has direct relevance to agricultural economics (methodological or applied) and that has not recently been covered in the literature. A pre-submission enquiry is required. If you are interested in writing a review article for ERAE, please send an abstract, outline, and key references to erae.editorialoffice@oup.com

Vacancies

[PhD Position](#)

At: Georg-August-Universität Göttingen. Closing date 1/2/2025

[Postdoc Researcher](#)

At: Georg-August-Universität Göttingen. Closing date 1/2/2025

[W2-Professorship \(Tenure\)](#)

At: Kiel University (CAU). Closing date 13-1-2025

[Head of Socioeconomics](#)

At: Research Institute of Organic Agriculture (FiBL). Closing date 15-1-2025

[PhD Position](#)

At: Technical University of Munich. Closing date 31-1-2025

[Postdoc Job](#)

At: INRAE, PSAE. Closing date 28-2-2025

Members information

EAAE members can access their registration card through the EAAE login on the homepage of the EAAE using their email address and personal password. You can login [here](#). If you forget your password, you can retrieve or modify it. Upon login, you will also find the link for free access of EuroChoices online!

As a member, you can post [vacancies](#) and [non-EAAE events](#) on our website. Simply [login](#), go to 'Post events (congress, seminars, courses, PhD activities) and Jobs', select 'New', and your information will be visible on the website after the approval of the secretariat.