

# SOIL- CON.

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SPOJKA EVENTS  
PRAGUE

## CONFERENCE AGENDA

The **Technology Agency of the Czech Republic** in cooperation with the **Technology Centre Prague** and the **Research Council of Norway** invite you to the conference

**“SOILCON - Ground for future cooperation in Europe”**  
on EEA & Norway Grants synergies with the EU Mission “A Soil Deal for Europe”

under the auspices of **Helena Langšádlová, the Czech Minister for Science and Research,**  
and **Victor Conrad Rønneberg, the Ambassador of Norway in Prague**

18th September 2023

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Pernerova 697/35, Prague 8

*Moderator: Adéla Hradilová, Chief Strategy Officer, Moravian-Silesian Innovation Centre*

8:00-9:00 **Registrations**

9:00-9:20 **Welcome**

- I. Helena Langšádlová, Czech Minister for Science and Research*
  - II. Victor C. Rønneberg, Ambassador of Norway in Prague*
  - III. Matúš Šůcha, Member of the Board, Technology Agency of the Czech Republic*
- Nad'a Koničková, Head of National Information Centre for European Research, Technology Centre Prague*  
*Gudrun Langthaler, NCP for the Soil Mission in Norway, Research Council of Norway*

**Morning programme - MISSIONS, TRANSFORMATION and SYNERGIES**

**Part I/ "Mission-Oriented Policies: Addressing Societal Challenges and Driving Positive Change"**

9:20-9:45 **Keynote speaker**  
Orsolya Frizon, Deputy Head of the Unit DG AGRI, European Commission

9:45-10:45 **Panel discussion**  
Orsolya Frizon, Deputy Head of the Unit DG AGRI, European Commission  
Jan Kříž, Chief Director of the Section of Environmental Economics, Czech Ministry of Environment  
Michal Miedzinski, Economic and policy researcher at Joint Research Centre, European Commission

	<p><i>TRAMI project TBD</i>  <u>Daniel Všeťečka</u>, RIS manager, Czech Ministry of Industry and Trade</p> <p><i>Rapporteur: Eva Brožová, Deputy Director for Strategic Development, Technology Agency of the Czech Republic</i></p>
<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>	
<b>Part II/ "Transformation towards healthy soil - Synergies between EU Missions and EEA and Norway Grants and other instruments"</b>	
11:00-11:25	<p><b>Keynote speaker</b>                  Anna Krzywoszynska, University of Oulu, member of the EU Mission A Soil Deal for Europe Mission Board</p>
11:25-12:25	<p><b>Panel discussion</b>  <u>Anna Krzywoszynska</u>, University of Oulu, member of the EU Mission A Soil Deal for Europe Mission Board  <i>NAT100NS project, European Network of Living Labs TBD</i>  <u>Aleksandra W. Haugstad</u>, Special Advisor, Research Council of Norway  <u>Emil Cienciala</u>, Head of Science and Research, IFER - Institute of Forest Ecosystem Research, former member of the Soil Mission Board  <u>Per Stålnacke</u>, Director of Research, NIBIO</p> <p><i>Rapporteur: Ásdís Jónsdóttir, Sector Officer - Research and Education, Financial Mechanism Office</i></p>
<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>	
<b>Afternoon programme - PROJECTS AND NEXT STEPS</b>	
13:30-14:00	<p><b>EC funding opportunities</b>  <u>Nada Koníčková</u>, Czech NCP for the Soil Mission, Technology Centre Prague  <u>Gudrun Langthaler</u>, Norwegian NCP for the Soil Mission, Research Council of Norway</p>
14:00-14:30	<p><b>Project MetalRem and other inspirational examples</b>  <u>Michael Komárek</u>, Vice-Dean for Science and Research, Czech University of Life Sciences Prague  <u>Tomáš Cajthaml</u>, Deputy Director, Institute for Environmental Science, Charles University in Prague  <u>Ondřej Lhotský</u>, DEKONTA a.s.</p>



<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>	
14:45-15:45	<p><b>“Working together for a healthy Soil, Water and Forests”</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Presentations of projects (elevator pitch or pecha kucha)</li> <li>- Moderated discussion</li> </ul> <p><i>Rapporteurs:</i>  <i>Nad'a Koníčková, Czech NCP for the Soil Mission, Technology Centre Prague</i>  <i>Jana Čejková, Czech NCP for the Soil Mission, Technology Centre Prague</i>  <i>Gudrun Langthaler, Norwegian NCP for the Soil Mission, Research Council of Norway</i></p>
15:45-16:00	<p><b>Plenary session with rapporteurs</b></p> <p><u>Eva Brožová</u>, Deputy Director for Strategic Development, Technology Agency of the Czech Republic  <u>Ásdís Jónsdóttir</u>, Sector Officer - Research and Education, Financial Mechanism Office  <u>Nad'a Koníčková</u>, Czech NCP for the Soil Mission, Head of National Information Centre for European Research, Technology Centre Prague  <u>Jana Čejková</u>, Czech NCP for the Soil Mission, Technology Centre Prague  <u>Gudrun Langthaler</u>, Norwegian NCP for the Soil Mission, Research Council of Norway</p>
16:00	<b>Closing statement</b>
<b>Side programme</b>	
9:00-18:00	<p><b>“Find your SOILmate”</b></p> <p>Networking / matchmaking one-to-one sessions throughout the conference.</p>
<b>Evening programme</b>	
17:00 TBD	<b>Welcome drink</b>
18:00 TBD	<b>Dinner</b>