

INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP
"Agroecology, the road to a prosperous and sustainable agriculture"

Main Workshop leaders: PhD. Nilda Pérez Consuegra and PhD. Luís Vázquez Moreno

Objective: Share the focus and experiences of Cuba in the construction of sustainable agro-food systems

For more than 50 years now, Cuban agriculture has faced the challenge of achieving Food Security within everyone's reach in the midst of an US blockade, its former main source of food imports, and the subsequent loss of commercial relations with the old European socialist block. This challenge was assumed during half of that time with a productive model of monoculture and very high inputs, going from the early 90's on to low input alternatives and sustainable management on agroecological bases. This contrast of approaches and ways of doing has allowed Cuban academics, technicians and peasants accumulate an invaluable experience from an experiment that with greater or lesser success covered the whole country, achieving a gradual growth in the levels of local self-sufficiency. This workshop aims to share the theoretical learning and practical experiences of this interesting experience.

Teachers

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Thematic content

Theoretical fundaments Theme 1. Sustainability Topic 2. Biodiversity Topic 3. Resilience and climate change Unit 4. Agroecological innovation and reconversion Topic 5. Appropriate biotechnologies Topic 6. Agriculture and nutrition	Cuban experiences from Programs and projects Pest Management Sustainable Soil Management Peasant to Peasant Agroecological Movement Urban, Suburban and Family Agriculture
Final learning recovery	

Registration fee: 150.00cuc (does not include food or lodging)

Date: May 29-31, 2018

Place: Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Center Ave. 53 No. 9609 between 96 and 98. Marianao. Havana.

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