

## STOA WORKSHOP

### THE IMPACT OF ORGANIC FOOD ON HUMAN HEALTH

18 November 2015, 14.30-17:00

Room ASP 1E201, European Parliament, Brussels

**Chair:** Momchil Nekov, MEP

**Moderator:** Daniele Del Rio, University of Parma, Italy

**14.30 Welcome and introductory remarks**

Momchil Nekov, MEP

**14.35 The new EU regulation on organic production and labelling of organic products**

João Onofre, Organics Unit, DG AGRI, European Commission

**14.45 Organic food and human health: is there a connection?**

Axel Mie, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences and also Karolinska Institutet, Sweden

**15.05 Contribution of the organic food system to sustainable and healthy diets**

Johannes Kahl, Food Quality & Health Association, The Netherlands

**15.25 Public health effects of organic production and consumption**

Bernhard Watzl, Max Rubner-Institut, Karlsruhe, Germany

**15.45 Q&A session**

**16.00 Motivation to buy organic food vs motivation to produce organic food: the case of Bulgaria**

Stoilko Apostolov, Foundation for Organic Agriculture Bioselena, Bulgaria

**16.15 Nutrient composition of organic and conventional crops: health effects in vitro and animal studies**

Ewa Rembiałkowska, Warsaw University of Life Sciences, Warsaw, Poland

**16.30 Public health effects of pesticide exposure in the EU**

Philippe Grandjean, University of Southern Denmark, Odense, Denmark

**16.45 Q&A session**

**16.55 Closing remarks**

Momchil Nekov, MEP

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