

WFTO EUROPE newsletter

WE WISH YOU A BEAUTIFUL SUMMER!

MAIN ARTICLES

Follow up on the WFTO-Europe Communi-



Dear members,

During the European AGM in Milan, WFTO-Europe presented its Communi-

cation strategy for 2015-2017. Its main objectives are to define better who we are and what we do ... Read more

"Wear Your Ideas" - WFTO-Europe event in October 2015



We are delighted to announce that WFTO-Europe will be organizing an event during the Belgian Fair Trade Week in Brussels in October 2015. The event is a project financed by the Belgian ... Read more

Good examples on Public Policies in support of Fair Trade



Office (FTAO) together with Latin American and Caribbean Network
Fair Trade Small Produc-

The Fair Trade Advocacy

ers (CLAC), supported by WFTO Latin America and other partners published a report on good examples in public support for Fair Trade in Europe and Latin America. The main objective of the report "Public policies in support of fair and solidarity trade... Read more

WFTO Biennial Conference Report

We would like to remind you that the WFTO Biennial Conference Report is now officially published.





to visit the page, to check the photos from the Conference, the workshop presentations and to access the Conference videos via dedicated Youtube channels. ... Read more

SYSTEM Final Lesson: WFTO Fair Trade Accounta-

TRAINING SESSION ON THE GUARANTEE

bility Watch In order to make sure that all WFTO mem-DFAIR



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commit to Fair Trade and its princi ples, WFTO has put in place a Guarantee System based on a monitoring schedule, composed of Self-Assessment Reports, Monitoring Audits and Peer Visits. In order to make sure that all WFTO members commit to Fair Trade and ... Read more

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AGENDA

13-16 July: Financing for Development Meeting, Addis Abbaba, Ethiopia

18 July: Fair Trade Live 2015, Worldwide Event

28-30 August: 2015 Fair Trade & Friends Fair, Dortmund, Germany

7-9 September: Convergences World Forum, Paris, France 12 September: International

exhibition of organic and natural products, Bologna, Italy 20 September: 2015 Bio Süd

Fair, Augsburg, Germany

NEWS FROM THE OFFICE

We would like to say thank you to the interns Martina Spata and Natalia Grotova for their great job and wish them good luck in their future adventures. Please note that the next issue of our Newsletter will be published on 9 September 2015.

THE BOARD

The minutes of the last

NEWS FROM

Board meeting held on the 22 April 2015 via Skype are now website. available on the Login here in order to Access the Board minutes. The next meeting will take place on the 16 July 2015,

via Skype. FOLLOW US ...!

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news check ...







Bogdan Wenta, Poland

VOTE4FT: TESTIMONIALS



guarantees enforcement of sustainable legislative measures.

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Barcelona, Spain

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The European Parliament Elections are now passed but the Vote4FairTrade campaign goes on. In the following video MEP Bogdan Wenta explains how important it is that EU

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portunities for the most disadvantaged people. One person in three in the world lives in poverty. Oxfam is determined to change that world by mobilizing the power of people against poverty. Around the globe, Oxfam Works to find practical, innovative ways for people to lift themselves out of poverty. Read more

FT-RELATED NEWS, PUBLICATIONS & OTHER TOOLS

The FTAO's Internal Advocacy Bulletin for June 2015 (login required) includes articles on

Name:

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Year of foundation:

- policy issues (Special attention to Fair Trade in the Future EU Trade Strategy) FTAO news (Goodbye to Elba) and more!
- New report by IPES-Food sheds light on the power imbalances running through the food systems.
- Make Fruit Fair petition from FTAO got more than 7.500 signatures, you can still sign it!

An article from Common Cause on our perception of poverty.

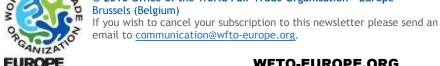
- Output document of Expo dei Popoli Milano 2015 'Food Sovereignty through Agroecology: Solutions to mend broken systems'



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