



5th Fair Trade International Symposium

29-31 May 2015

Politecnico di Milano

DETAILED PROGRAM

Friday, 29 May

Conference Location: Politecnico di Milano, Durando Campus, 10 Durando Street, Milano

9.00 – 10.00: Registration

10.00 – 11.00: Opening session – Auditorium De Carli

10.00 – 10.15: Giovanni Azzone, *Dean of Politecnico di Milano*

10.15 – 10.30: Maria Luisa Collina, *Delegate for Expo, Politecnico di Milano*

10.30 – 11.00: Presentation of the conference, *Steering Committee*

Christine Gent, *WFTO Asia*

Ronan Le Velly, *Montpellier SupAgro*

11.00 – 13.00: Plenary session – Auditorium De Carli

11.00 – 12.00 "Fair Trade Research and Practice: Past, Present, and Future",

Laura Reynolds, *Colorado State University*

12.00 – 13.00 "Fair Trade and toys: the benefits and challenges of the Fair Trade in Sri Lanka"

Selyna Peiris

13.00 – 14.00: Lunch

14.00 – 15.30: Parallel sessions

Track 1, "*Critical Perspectives on Fair Trade Governance and Certification Approaches*", CT 3, Building B2, ground floor

Track 2, "*What Changes Do Fair Trade Practices Bring About in Production and Trade?*", CT 11, Building B2, ground floor

Track 3, "*What is the Relationship between Consumers and Fair Trade Practices*", CT 12, Building B2, ground floor

Track 4, "*Fair Trade Business, Networks, Organizations and Places*", CT 30, Building B2, first floor

Track 5, "*Cross Cutting Theme: Methodological Innovations and Approaches*", CT 32, Building B2, first floor

15.30 – 16.00: Coffee breaks

16.00 – 17.30: Workshops

"Fair trade labels and guarantee systems: major trends & main differences with other sustainable development labels", organized by the French Fair Trade Platform (PFCE)" - CT 12 Building B2, ground floor

Saturday, 30 May

Conference Location: Politecnico di Milano, Durando Campus, 10 Durando Street, Milano

10.00 – 11.15: Parallel session

Track 1 *"Critical Perspectives on Fair Trade Governance and Certification Approaches"* – Classrooms CT 42, Building B8 (first floor)

Track 2 *"What Changes Do Fair Trade Practices Bring About in Production and Trade?"* – Classrooms CT 43, Building B8 (first floor)

Track 3 *"What is the Relationship between Consumers and Fair Trade Practices"* – Classrooms CT 44, Building B8 (first floor)

Track 4 *"Fair Trade Business, Networks, Organizations and Places"* – Classrooms CT 48, Building B8 (first floor)

Track 5 *"Cross Cutting Theme: Methodological Innovations and Approaches"* – Classrooms CT 50, Building B8 (first floor)

11.15 – 11.30: Coffee break

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Track 5 “*Cross Cutting Theme: Methodological Innovations and Approaches*” – Classrooms CT 50, Building B8 (first floor)

15.30 – 17.00: Academics and producers session

“*Fair Trade International Symposium Practitioners Session: the people who do Fair Trade meet the researchers*” – CT 50, Building B8 (first floor)

17.00 – 18.30:

Poster presentation – Classrooms CT 42, Building B8 (first floor)

“*Fair Trade and public policies: cooperation between academics and Fair Trade practitioners*”, organized by Fair Trade Advocacy Office – Classrooms CT 48, Building B8 (first floor)

Sunday, 31 May

Conference Location: Expo Milano 2015, EU pavillon, 1 st floor. Train stop: Milano Expo 2015.

11.00 – 12.00: Wrapping-up and looking forward- Round Table with panel chairs. Round Table with panel chairs

Ronan Le Velly, *Montpellier SupAgro*

Elizabeth Bennett, *Lewis & Clark college*

Anne Tallontire, *University of Leeds*

Christine Gent, *WFTO Asia*

Giorgio dal Fiume, *Agices and WFTO Europe*

Chair session: Bob Doherty, University of York

12.00 – 13.30: Concluding keynote speeches

Rudi Dalvai, *WFTO*

Ian Bretman, *Fairtrade international*

Chair session: Christine Gent, *WFTO Asia*