Towards a Sustainable management and valorisation of wild edible mushrooms under global change.

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What is the EMI?

An European Grouping of Territorial Cooperation (EGTC) created in 2016. [https://portal.cor.europa.eu/egtc/CoRAActivities/Pages/emi.aspx](https://portal.cor.europa.eu/egtc/CoRAActivities/Pages/emi.aspx)

Comprised of forest rural areas well known by its mycological resources (wild edible mushrooms) and research institutions.

Devoted to link research with public and private stakeholders interested on developing the mycological sector.

Devoted to cooperate building international projects worldwide and exchanging good practices.
THE EMI ASSEMBLY
(Decision making)

Organizational structure

President (representative)
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International network on wild edible mushrooms forest management and valorization.
EMI

**ACTION PRIORITIES**

**Institutional development**
- New partners & associated partners
- Lobbying EU
- Alliances

**Sectorial integration**
- Mycological tables (stakeholders)
- Associations
- Private/public

**Research and innovation Projects**
- Regional
- National
- European

**Transfer of Knowledge**
- Training
- Service delivery
- Exchange of good practices
FOCUSES
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Forest management
(mycosilviculture & mushroom collecting)

Mycotourism
Collecting
Gastronomy
Cultural aspects

Agro-food
New products
Healthy food
Traceability

Myco-gastronomy
Training
Consumer education
Network of mycological restaurants
Rural development based on Sustainable management and valorisation of wild edible mushrooms under global change.
EMI strategy

CHARACTERIZE THE VALUE CHAINE
- Fungal production
- Fungal using (exploitation)
- Fungal services

DEVELOPING SUSTAINABLE MANAGEMENT TOOLS

ATENDING SOCIETY’S DEMANDS

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

ADAPTING TO GLOBAL CHANGE

COMBINING DISCIPLINES
- Ecology
- Sociology
- Economy
- Forest management

ADDING VALUE
Rural/Forest territories

Fungal production
Fungal using (exploitation)
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Why join us?

• Exchanging good practices.
• Diagnostic of mycological potentiality.
• Supporting mycological opportunities.
• Developing mycological parks network.
• Organizing mycological events (Trufforum, IWEMM, Semminars).
• Mycotourism development.

• Developing international projects.
• Exchange of mycological databases and research sites.
• Culinary Hubs International platform of exchange of knowledge.
• Organizing mycological scientific seminars and congresses.

• Developing R&D international projects.
• Marketing and sponsorship.
• Promoting use of wild edible mushrooms (products and services).
Trufforum is an educational event (market) created to be held in big cities aimed at promoting the responsible use of European truffles in homes and restaurants.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LYJ-dN0Ct0&t=7s

Zaragoza (2017)
Vic-Barcelona (2019)
Vic-Barcelona (2020)
Culinary hubs international network.

Some EMI activities
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Thank you and join us !!

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