# Seed Ambassadors
## Building an International Network to Advance Organic Seed Systems

**VENUE:**

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| Couvent des Jacobins  
20 place Sainte-Anne  
35000 Rennes, France | Organic Seed Commons platform & Zoom |

**DAY 1: 6th of September 2021**

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<th>Onsite Chavagne</th>
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<td>8:00-9:00</td>
<td>Departure (by bus from Couvent des Jacobins to the field locations)</td>
<td>Accessible at all times Virtual tour through field trials Video by INRAE &amp; ITAB Networking on Organic Seed Commons platform Parallel workshops: #1 How to increase the resilience of the agroecosystems with the use of seed diversity #2 Seed Commons – preserving farming rights to seed, addressing intellectual property restrictions</td>
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<td>9:00-15:00</td>
<td>Field tour &amp; culinary evaluations (lunch included) INRAE &amp; ITAB</td>
<td>11:00-13:00 Accessible at all times Virtual tour through field trials Video by INRAE &amp; ITAB Networking on Organic Seed Commons platform</td>
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<td>15:00-15:30</td>
<td>Meeting the organisers: Chav’Amap: Veronique Chable (INRAE); Micaela Colley (OSA); and Monika Messmer (ECO-PB)</td>
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<td>15:30-17:00</td>
<td>Workshop: Systems-based breeding Edwin Nuijten (De Beersche Hoeve) Meeting with GEVES on Organic Varieties and adjusted DUS (on invitation only)</td>
<td>15:30-17:00 Workshop: Systems-based breeding Edith Lammerts van Bueren (WUR)</td>
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<td>17:00-19:00</td>
<td>20th anniversary of ECO-PB Apéro with Monika Messmer (ECO-PB) and members of Chavagne</td>
<td>17:00-19:00 20th anniversary of ECO-PB Networking on Organic Seed Commons platform</td>
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DAY 2: 7th of September 2021

Onsite Couvent des Jacobins

9:00-9:30 Welcome & Contextualisation of the organic selection of Day 1
Veronique Chable (INRAE)

9:30-10:30 Projects on organic seed and plant breeding:
LIVESEED & ECO-PB (Monika Messmer); Organic Seed Alliance (Micaela Colley); ECOBREED (Vladimir Meglič); and BRESOV (Ferdinando Branca)

10:30-11:00 Coffee break

11:00-13:00 Parallel workshops:
#3 Strategies to support the growth and success of the next generation of organic plant breeders and seed ambassadors
#4 Resilient seed systems, community seed banks and networks, cultural diversity in seed systems
#5 How to increase the resilience of the agroecosystems with the use of seed diversity

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13:00-14:00 Lunch break

14:00-14:40 Sharing of workshop results of Day 1 & Day 2

14:40-16:00 Get involved in working groups & IFOAM Seeds Platform

16:00-16:30 Coffee break

16:30-17:00 Corn diversity exposition

16:00-17:00 Networking on Organic Seed Commons Platform

*Times are being displayed in CEST/UTC+2

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ECO-PB
LIVESEED
IFOAM SEEDS PLATFORM

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