

- Animal welfare
- Relationships in production chains
- Monitoring the growth of plants and their parasites (guided agriculture)
- The affective, cognitive and relational aspects of digital farming
- Attitudes towards 'invasive' plants and animals
- Affection, wonder or detachment from semi-natural landscapes and ecosystems
- The weight of empathy in the different types of conservative, organic, integrated agriculture ...
- The network of relationships with stakeholders of multifunctional agriculture, eg. farmhouse
- Irrigation schemes, land reorganization, assignment to contractors.

One

avenue for conference participants would be to consider if agro-sylvo-pastoral empathy is more abundant and lively in inner areas, as it must compensate for the lower density and the lesser integration of semi-automatic expert systems. The opposite hypothesis may also apply, namely, that inner areas suffer from a deficit of empathy due to cultural dependence on urban centers and social-geographical isolation.

Concrete cases, field research, and illustrative experiences of empathy or its lack, can be brought to the conference. Further information can be found in the position paper and on the web page¹. Emblematic cases in Europe and beyond are welcome topics for presentations. The abstract (up to 500 words) must be sent by 31 December 2021 to g.osti@unipd.it and elena.lorenzoni.1@studenti.unipd.it, using the form below. The call is open to scholars, artists, administrators, public officials, grassroots operators, farmers, ecologists, and social and profit entrepreneurs. To the authors of the abstract accepted by the scientific committee, we will offer dinner on March 18 and a buffet on March 19, anti-covid measures permitting. Travel and accommodation expenses cannot be reimbursed, except in exceptional cases. Acceptance of the abstract will be communicated by January 31, 2022.

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