



**United States Department** of Agriculture

Foreign Agricultural Service

Office of Agricultural Affairs

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## Dear Sir/Madam:

The Department of State and the United States Department of Agriculture's Foreign Agricultural Service at the U.S. Embassy in Rome are pleased to invite you to attend a virtual workshop entitled: "Innovative Biotechnologies and Regulatory Approaches."

The virtual workshop will take place on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 8-9, 2021, from 2:00 PM to 5:30 PM, Rome Time on Zoom. This virtual workshop is specifically designed to highlight the importance of advanced agricultural technology and research as well as the role innovative biotechnologies such as genome editing can play in boosting production, sustainability, and reducing pesticide application. Experts from the U.S.A., Italy, Greece, Serbia, Croatia, Bosnia, and North Macedonia will join the workshop.

The workshop will be conducted in English. Simultaneous interpretation in Italian, Greek, Serbian, Croatian, Bosnian, and North Macedonian will facilitate the discussion. We look forward to you joining us.

You are invited to a Zoom workshop.

When: Jun 8, 2021 14:00 CEST and Jun 9, 2021 14:00 CEST

Please download and import the following iCalendar (.ics) files to your calendar

system: **Zoom Calendar file** 

Please click the link below to register and join the workshop: https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\_fTvkKTbfR8G8GjbHxmyK5A

Passcode: 948637

Please register to the workshop by June 4, 2021. Please find the event agenda attached.

Respectfully,

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