

Study on the research, innovation and technology transfer capacities and on the recent agricultural policy developments in the context of the EU approximation process in the pre-accession countries (ARAPD)

Kick - off Meeting

28 - 29 November 2019

Krusevo, North Macedonia

Draft Program

28 November

Arrival of participants

19:00	Dinner
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29 November

09:00 – 09:15	Welcome address and introduction of the participants – SWG
09:15 – 09:30	Background and rationale for the project “Study on the research, innovation and technology transfer capacities and on the recent agricultural policy developments in the context of the EU approximation process in the pre-accession countries (ARAPD)” - SWG
09:30 – 10:00	Presentation of the project “Study on the research, innovation and technology transfer capacities and on the recent agricultural policy developments in the context of the EU approximation process in the pre-accession countries (ARAPD)” - SWG

10:00 – 10:30	Draft methodology for collecting information on agricultural policy developments and for providing a cross-country harmonised and consistent database of the individual policy instruments – Senior Researcher AAEM
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee break
11:00 – 11:30	Draft methodology for the development of country case studies and a comparative cross-country analysis of the agricultural policy developments and the EU accession process in WB countries and Turkey - Senior Researcher AAEM
11:30 – 12:00	Discussion
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch
13:00 – 13:30	Draft methodology for the assessment of research, innovation and technology transfer capacities in the agri-food sector in the WB countries - Senior Researcher Institute of Field and Vegetable Crops – Novi Sad
13:30 – 14:00	Discussion
14:00 – 14:30	Presentation of a detailed workplan - SWG
14:30 – 15:00	Conclusions and next steps - SWG
15:00 – 16:00	Dealing with administrative issues