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***CIHEAM launches the enrolment campaign
for the new
Network of CIHEAM Alumni (NCA)***

**Message from Cosimo Lacirignola, Secretary General of the CIHEAM
Paris, France, 9 June 2016**



Dear colleagues, Dear friends,

You have graduated from or followed a specialized training sequence in one of our CIHEAM Institutes (Bari, Chania, Montpellier and Zaragoza) and I sincerely hope that this has been fruitful and useful in building up your professional career.

Building up and reinforcing links with Alumni is a priority for CIHEAM as we strongly believe that you are one of our main assets in improving the content and scope of the capacity building, support to research and cooperation activities that we deploy in order to achieve our main goal of strengthening cooperation in the Mediterranean region.

Reciprocally, I trust that maintaining a lively link with our Institution could provide you an open window on priority holding agricultural and food issues of the region as well as updated information on our Center's activities and opportunities it provides.

That is why CIHEAM is launching an initiative aiming at building up an overarching Network of CIHEAM Alumni (NCA) to vertebrate and improve synergy between already existing Alumni associations.

In order to consolidate a relation that we consider essential to CIHEAM's future positioning, let me strongly encourage you to enroll by fulfilling the form that you can reach by following the link

www.surveymonkey.com/r/CiheamAlumniNCA2016

Hoping you will be receptive to my suggestion and reinforce the links with our institution,

With best regards

The Secretary General
Cosimo Lacirignola





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Created in 1962, the CIHEAM is a Mediterranean organization which works for improving sustainable agriculture and fisheries, for ensuring food and nutrition security and for developing rural and coastal territories.

The organization gathers 13 Member States from both shores of the Mediterranean (Albania, Algeria, Egypt, France, Greece, Italy, Lebanon, Malta, Morocco, Portugal, Spain, Tunisia and Turkey) and works with several international and regional institutions.

CIHEAM's actions rely on a bottom-up collaboration and are problem-solving oriented, connected to the peculiar needs of the countries. With our Member States, public and private partners and academics we strive to meet the 4 following challenges:



Struggling against "triple waste" (Knowledge-Natural Resources-Food)



Boosting Sustainable Agriculture and Food



Investing in new generations and fragile territories



Preventing risks and managing tensions

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