



ACCADEMIA DEI GEORGOFILI

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The lines of activity of Georgofili Academy in the context of the CAP were presented by the President during the opening ceremony in April 2017

At the presence of the Commissioner Hogan starting from the Cork declaration and concerning the following points:

- 1) Increase the prosperity of rural areas through the increase of the commodities as cereals, milk, meat, etc. of which the country is not self-sufficient even recovering the lands that are abandoned;
- 2) Supporting the chain of value from the primary agriculture production of commodities through the agro-industry transformation, the great organized distribution up to the private and commercial restoration putting in value the Italian tradition of food and strengthening the cooperation within the single areas;
- 3) Increasing the revenue of farmers studying models that allow to face the risks related to the markets fluctuations and climate fluctuations starting from the various types of farms and solving some infrastructural weakness.  
As the logistics costs, the energy cost, i.e. and through the innovation and the quality of products related to the traditional varieties;
- 4) putting in value the rural environment mainly in the hills and mountain areas increasing the animal breeding and the forestry activity
- 5) Managing the environment through new agronomic techniques environmentally friendly and increasing the agriculture activities related to the Circular economy in the field of wastes, energy, natural fibers, green chemistry

6) Reducing the impact of agriculture on climate change both through new agronomic techniques and enhancing the production in agriculture of renewable energies solar, wind, biomass, biofuel

7) Increasing and improving the technical training, spreading the technical information among the farmers and increasing the cooperation among the representative associations

8) Improving the governance through the technical information on innovation areas and supporting scientific research through the action of universities, agriculture schools, Academies, professional associations and the representative association

9) Studying the way to move with less bureaucracy helping the farmers through simple and fast procedure both at national level and at European level

10) studying models of assessment and evaluation of agriculture policies  
In terms of cost / benefit to maximize the effect of financial support to agriculture

For each point Academy established a Commission preparing a policy document that is presented during a public meeting in the Academy