

**Slovak Union of Vegetables and Potatoes Growers  
Fruit Growers Union of the Slovak Republic**

## **Harmonization of the Fruit and Vegetables**

### **Quality Assessment**

**Mojmírovce, Slovak Republic**

**11th -13th September 2018**

We are pleased to invite you to the international training course Harmonization of the Fruit and Vegetables Quality Assessment, which will take place from 11th to 13th September 2018. Based on the interest of the professional public from Slovakia and abroad, we decided to renew the tradition of training organized in Slovakia since in 1995. The Slovak Union of Vegetables and Potatoes Growers and Fruit Growers Union of the Slovak Republic, as new organizers of the event, prepared the topics that are among the most up-to-date in the fruit and vegetable sector in cooperation with Slovak and foreign experts. Training continues to be conducted under the auspices of the OECD Scheme for the Application of International Quality Standards for Fruit and Vegetables.

The program is focused on:

- Interpretation of quality standards for garlic (HU), root vegetables (SK) and apples (AT)
- Private standards and their application in horticultural practice - DE, NL
- Quality standards for fruit and vegetables and food waste - HU, SK
- Application of tolerances in quality standards - NL
- Position of producer organizations in horticultural sector - BE
- Climate change and its impact on fruit and vegetable production – SK

Part of the program is a technical visit to a member of the  
Slovak Union of Vegetables and Potatoes Growers.

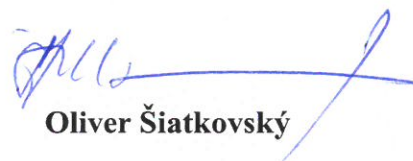
The detailed program, application form as well as other details  
will be sent to you by 25th August 2018.



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