

***A European Biodiversity Partnership (Biodiversa+)***

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## Preliminary meeting agenda and schedule

Tuesday, 14 February	
<b>10:45</b>	<b><i>OPENING OF MEETING DAY 1</i></b>
10:45	Welcome and opening of the meeting (NRC (prof. Sigitas Podėnas) and SYKE (prof. Kari K. Lehtonen), incl. housekeeping issues)
10:50	<i>Tour-de-table</i>
11:00	Review and accepting the meeting agenda
11:05	<b>Item 1:</b> Reviewing the goals, structure and expected outcomes
<b>12:00</b>	<b><i>LUNCH BREAK</i></b>
13:15	<b>Item 2:</b> Planning and scheduling the work in the WPs <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• WP1: management (Lead: SYKE)</li><li>• WP2: Data mining (Lead: TalTech)</li><li>• WP3: Field studies and laboratory analyses (Co-Leads: GU and SU)</li><li>• WP4: Data integration, multivariate analyses, and modelling (Co-Leads: Syke and UNIVPM)</li><li>• WP5: Dissemination of results and stakeholder involvement (Lead: IOPAN)</li></ul>
<b>15:30</b>	<b><i>HEALTH/ COFFEE BREAK</i></b>
16:00	<b>Item 2</b> (continued)
<b>18:00</b>	<b><i>END OF MEETING DAY 1</i></b>
<b>19:00</b>	<b><i>DINNER IN THE CITY</i></b>
Wednesday, 15 February	
<b>9:00</b>	<b><i>OPENING OF MEETING DAY 2</i></b>
9:05	A review of the work accomplished on Day 1
9:10	<b>Item 2</b> (continued)
<b>10:30</b>	<b><i>HEALTH/COFFEE BREAK</i></b>
11:00	<b>Item 2</b> (continued)
<b>12:00</b>	<b><i>LUNCH BREAK</i></b>
13:30	<b>Item 3:</b> Linkages to other related activities
14:30	<b>Item 4:</b> AOB
<b>15:00</b>	<b><i>CLOSING OF THE MEETING &amp; FAREWELLS</i></b>