

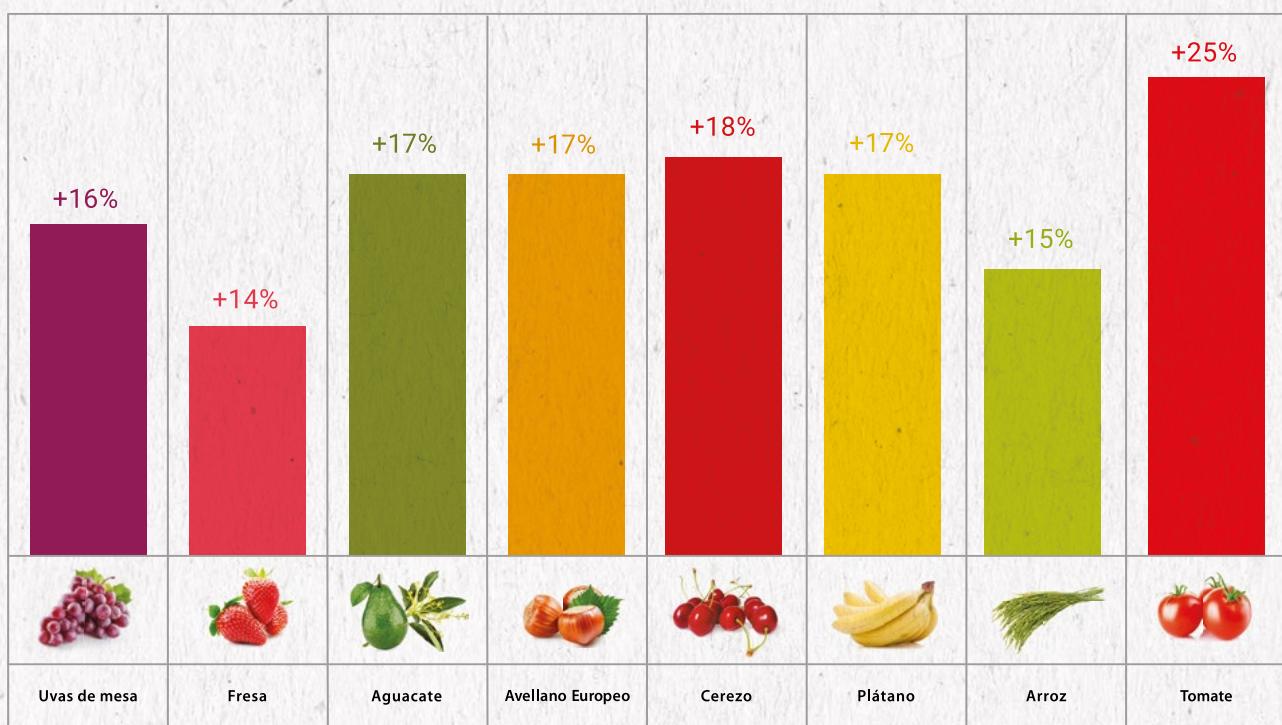
5º Biostimulants Latam & Redagrícola Biocontrol Congress

August 27th and 28th | 2025
Monticello - Santiago de Chile

Schedule

Conferencias
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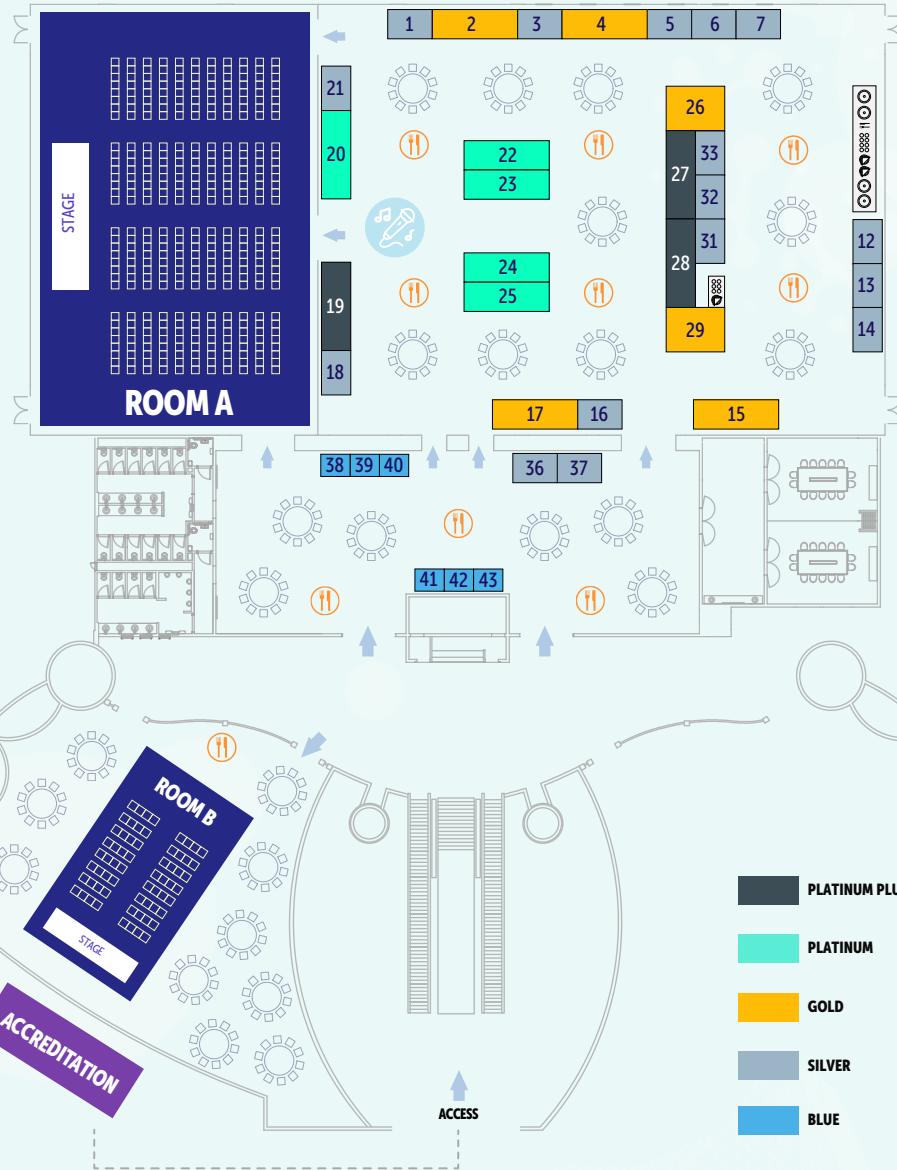
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Location map



*The locations of lunch/coffee break stations and conversation tables are for reference only.



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Eficiencia funcional y
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Room A

Day 1: Wednesday, August 27th

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| Time | Lecture | Speaker |
|--------------|--|---|
| 7:00-8:50 | CHECK IN | |
| 8:50-9:00 | Opening | Patricio Trebilcock , Director of Redagrícola |
| 9:00 - 9:50 | Molecular mechanisms of plant perception and response to nutrients | Dr. Rodrigo Gutiérrez , Full Professor, Faculty of Biological Sciences, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile |
| 9:50-10:40 | Biostimulants: their role and effective use in modern agriculture | Dr. Patrick Brown , Professor at the University of California Davis, USA |
| 10:40-11:30 | COFFEE BREAK | |
| 11:30-12:15 | NGB: towards a New Generation of Bioinoculants | Dr. Pablo Cornejo , Researcher at CEAf and CTSyC, Universidad de Talca, Chile |
| 12:15-12:35 | Roots and the immune system: Impact on plant production | Mauricio Lignay Jara , International consultant |
| 12:35-13:15 | Role of mycorrhizae in the soil: An academic perspective integrated with the productive sector | Dr. Paula Aguilera , Founder of Myconativa, Chile |
| 13:15- 13:35 | The science behind <i>Ascophyllum nodosum</i> -based biostimulation | Dr. Holly Little , Global Research Director, Acadian Plant Health, Canada |
| 13:30-15:00 | LUNCH BREAK | |
| 15:00-15:50 | Maintaining a balanced soil microbiome: from improving crop performance to mitigating climate change | Dr. Michal Słota , Content Farmers, Poland |
| 16:50-16:10 | Soil revitalization through a blend of seaweed extracts and fulvic acids | Humberto Mendoza , Agricultural engineer at Anasac Chile, expert in plant nutrition and physiology |
| 16:10-17:00 | Single molecules: bioestimulantes de segunda generación para mitigar el estrés abiótico | Dr. Prometeo Sánchez , International consultant in nutrition and biostimulation of fruit and vegetable crops, Mexico |
| 17:10-19:00 | OPENING COCKTAIL | |

Room A

Day 2: Thursday, August 28th

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| Time | Lecture | Speaker |
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| 9:00-10:00 | The rhizosphere as a key tool for the management of productive systems | Dr. Fabricio Cassán , Microbiologist, Universidad Nacional de Río Cuarto, Argentina |
| 10:00-10:20 | Developing the future in biosolutions and AgTech technologies | Alex Helmlinger , Marketing Manager, Biosolutions Division, Summit Agro |
| 10:10-11:00 COFFEE BREAK | | |
| 11:00-11:45 | The mycorrhiza, a youngster of nearly 500 million years | Dr. Alberto Bago , Researcher at CSIC, Spain |
| 11:45-12:05 | Foliar application of Capxium and its effect on the physiology and productivity of cherry trees | Jaime Navarrete , Fruit Consultant, Chile |
| 12:05-12:45 | Latin America on the rise: key growth drivers and strategic challenges in the biostimulants market | Manel Cervera , Managing Partner at DunhammTrimmer, Spain |
| 12:45-13:05 | Effective residue-free biocontrol technologies | Eitán Martín , Marketing Manager at Daymsa, Spain |
| 13:05-13:40 NETWORKING ROUND TABLES | | |
| 13:30-15:00 LUNCH BREAK | | |
| 15:00-15:45 | The role of biostimulants in integrated soil and nutrition management programs in fruit trees | Dr. Rodrigo Ortega , International Consultant in Plant Nutrition, Microbiology, and Integrated Nutrition Management, Chile |
| 15:45-16:25 | Problems with soil testing and LandScan introduction | Dr. Patrick Brown , Professor at the University of California Davis, USA |
| 16:25-16:45 | Bioinputs and their impact on microbial functionality and productivity in pastures of southern Chile | Dr. Camila Morales , Deputy Technical Manager at Agroadvance, Chile |
| 17:00-17:30 COFFEE BREAK | | |
| 17:30-18:30 | PANEL DISCUSSION: Biostimulants, from the laboratory to agronomy | Dr. Rodrigo Ortega , International consultant Francisco Mena , International consultant Raimundo Cuevas , Consultant |

Field Day

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August 29th | 2025

CII - Viña Concha y Toro

Pencahue, Maule Region, Chile

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Room B

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Day 1: Wednesday, August 27th

| Time | Lecture | Speaker |
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| 11:30-12:15 | Keys to successful artisanal production of fungi for biological control | Dr. Andrés France , Plant Pathologist, International Consultant, Chile |
| 12:15-12:35 | Use of orthosilicic acid against plant stress | Ignacio Rojas Eugui , Asfertglobal, Portugal |
| 12:35-13:35 | Role of water relations in plant-bacteria interaction: responses of fruit agroecosystems to beneficial microbiota | Dr. Arturo Calderón , Universidad de Concepción, Chile; Dr. Macarena Gerdin , Universidad de Concepción, Chile |
| 13:35-15:00 | LUNCH BREAK | |
| 15:00-15:30 | Microbes that transform vineyards: Biological strategies for sustainable viticulture at Viña Concha y Toro | Dr. Felipe Gainza Cortés , Viña Concha y Toro Innovation and Research Center, Chile |
| 15:30-15:55 | Extreme microorganisms for extreme agricultural challenges | José Manuel Pérez-Donoso , Pewman Innovation, Chile |
| 15:55-16:25 | Biotechnological innovation: use of bacteriocins for sustainable agriculture | Dr. Sonia Fischer , Independent Researcher, CONICET, Argentina |
| 16:25-17:10 | ROUNDTABLE: Regulations on Biostimulants and Biopesticides in Chile | Rodrigo Díaz, Romina Almasia and Paul Foix , Red Chilena de Bioinsumos |
| 17:10-19:00 | COCKTAIL DE INAUGURACIÓN | |

Room B

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| 9:00-9:30 | Signal molecules: a new generation of biostimulants | Valentina Bisconti , Latam account representative for Fytako, Belgium |
| 9:30-10:00 | Understanding the mechanisms of infection and susceptibility to biocontrol in <i>Botrytis cinerea</i> | Dr. Paulo Canessa , Millennium Institute for Integrative Biology (iBio), Andrés Bello University, Chile |
| 10:00-10:20 | New technologies for next-generation biosolutions | Dr. Andres Leiva , Technical Manager at Rovensa Next Chile |
| 10:20-11:00 COFFEE BREAK | | |
| 11:00-11:40 | Soil successional strategy for regenerative agriculture | Dr. Eduardo Donoso , R&D Director at Bio Insumos Nativia, Chile |
| 11:40-12:00 | The effect of silicon on crops. Irrefutable evidence | Andrés Arguedas , CA&C Area Manager at Manvert |
| 12:00-12:45 | Evolution and reinvention: the turbulent path of biological pesticides | Dr. Karina Buzzetti , Director of AgriDevelopment, Chile |
| 12:45-13:05 | Beyond soil: the power of microorganisms in plants | Ignacio Horche , Green Universe, Spain |
| 13:05-13:40 NETWORKING ROUND TABLES | | |
| 13:40-15:00 LUNCH BREAK | | |
| 15:00-15:45 | Stomatal Conductance (gs): management under critical environmental conditions | Fernando Diez , International Consultant, Chile |
| 15:45-16:15 | Innovation Across Borders: Greencorp® Technology for Global Markets | Dr. José Ontiveros , GreenCorp Mexico |
| 16:15-17:00 | Deciphering the mode of action of <i>Bacillus velezensis</i> RC218, a biocontrol agent against <i>Fusarium graminearum</i> | Dr. Juan Palazzini , Independent researcher at CONICET at the Institute for Research in Mycology and Mycotoxicology (IMICO), Argentina |
| 17:00-17:30 COFFEE BREAK | | |

Networking Round Tables

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| 9 | Innovations for sustainable agriculture | Dr. Juan Palazzini and Dr. Sonia Fisher , researchers from CONICET, Argentina |
| 10 | Role of mycorrhizae in soil: A view from academia integrated into the productive sector | Dr. Paula Aguilera , Founder of Myconativa, Chile |

Speakers

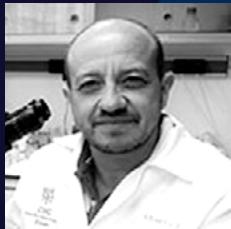
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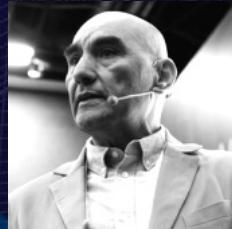
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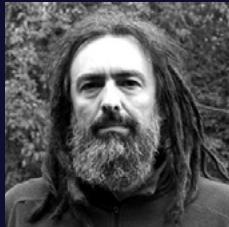
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