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NEWS

▶ Did you know that the ENRD website is now available in 14 languages? [Bulgarian is the latest language](#) to be added...!

▶ We want to hear from you! The 2014-2020 programming period is fast approaching. [Share with us now](#) what are the topics related to future rural development policy which are important for you. The floor is yours...



▶ The Directorate-General for Agriculture and Rural Development is announcing the 2013 Communication Award. More information will follow closer to the official launch of the competition on the dedicated website on EUROPA.

▶ Read the latest news from the European Evaluation Network [Rural Development](#).



▶ Stay informed about Community-Led Local Development (CLLD) related policy & guidance, events and other thematic initiatives at the national level. Consult the [CLLD thematic page](#) on the ENRD website.

▶ Did you know that 2014 will be the [International Year of Family Farming](#)? This worldwide celebration aims to stimulate active policies for sustainable development of agricultural system-based farmer families, communal units, indigenous groups, cooperatives and fishing families.



NEW ONLINE

▶ The publication on [Success factors for the new Rural Development Programme](#) is available in 22 languages on the ENRD website.

▶ The Communicating Rural Development (CRD) Gateway is looking for your contribution! Watch [our video tutorial](#) to learn more about how

to share your communication materials and expand your impact.
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- ▶ Watch the [latest ENRD video](#) to discover the positive benefits flowing from agri-environment funding support in Scotland.
- ▶ Check out the [new ENRD summary info-sheets](#) of the progress of RDPs at the EU scale based on the RDPs monitoring data made available by the Commission.
- ▶ The [latest issue of the EU Rural Review](#) provides a snapshot of the innovation journey so far and a glimpse into future challenges and opportunities. The aim is to share insight and to help advance the integration of knowledge exchange and innovation into future rural development policy.



EVENTS

- ▶ 22 September 2013: [Landelijk Brussel - Bruxelles ChampÅtre](#) is the day Brussels celebrates the car-free day at the "Place des Palais" which will be transformed into a picturesque countryside landscape right in the heart of the city. Come and check out the DG AGRI stand!
- ▶ 9 - 13 October 2013: The [4th Scientific Conference on Organic Agriculture](#) in Central and Eastern Europe will be held in Hungary. The theme for ICOAS 2013 is "Targeting Global Sustainability - Food Security, Biodiversity and Climate Change".
- ▶ 22 - 23 October 2013: The [International Youth Entrepreneurship Conference](#), organised by the Latvian NRN, will take place in Jurmula, Latvia. It will be followed by the Nordic-Baltic Network meeting on 24 October. For further information on the agenda and registrations forms, contact Viktorija.Reine@llkc.lv.
- ▶ 25 October 2013: Youth and Young Farmers workshop will take place in Eindhoven, the Netherlands. For additional information, check the [ENRD website](#) or contact Mara.Lai@enrd.eu.
- ▶ 11 - 12 November 2013: ENRD LEADER subcommittee meeting & LSC workshop on "Financing of Local Development Strategies" in Brussels. More information will follow on the [ENRD website](#).
- ▶ 13 November 2013: The meeting "[Cooperation around the Baltic Sea: European Union Strategy for the Baltic Sea and Rural Development](#)" will take place in Vilnius, Lithuania.

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