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Proceedings of the 8th Organic Producers' Conference

The reports and presentations from the Organic Producers' Conference held at Aston University, Birmingham on 22-23rd January are now online. [More](#)
Also see photos from the conference [here](#)

ORC Nutrient Budgeting Workshop

Places are still available for this workshop on nutrient budgeting for farmers, growers, advisers, certification officers and researchers, to be held at Elm Farm on 19th February, but book soon! [More](#)

New ORC Workshops

ORC are also running workshops on [Agroforestry: How Trees Can Work on Your Farm](#) on 26 February, [Looking to the Future: Marketing and Business Potential of Organic Farming](#) on 26 March and a [Soil Management Seminar](#) on 31 March 2014.

Organic Farm Management Handbook

The publication of the new 2014 edition has been delayed, but will be back from the printers this week! Make sure you get yours! [More](#)

New Agroforestry project (AGFORWARD)

ORC is working with 26 partners from across 23 European countries to promote agroforestry practices in Europe that will advance sustainable rural development. [More...](#)

News

The Organic World Needs Organic Leaders!

IFOAM Organic Leadership Course [More...](#)

Farming 'organically' but not certified?

MSc student wants your views [More](#)

Applied methods in crop physiology:

Training school in Denmark May 2014 [More...](#)

New scheme to support organic farmers in Wales

Welsh government statement on future organic support [More...](#)

STOAS at BIOFACH

STOAS - Assessing sustainability in organic farming. Latest news. [More](#)

New EU Commission website on Organic Farming and Production

New content and look for EC 'organic' website [More](#)

Evaluation of the EU legislation on organic farming

EC publishes report [More](#)

Have your say on HGCA research

Organic farmers opinions requested! [More](#)

Cover crops for a sustainable future

Article on OSCAR project [More](#)

IOTA Training for Trainers workshop

Report on December workshop [More...](#)

Upcoming events

19 February 2014: [ORC Nutrient Budgeting Workshop](#)

Places still available!

24 February 2014: [Peat-free propagation](#)

Field lab and workshop at Tolhurst Organic Produce

26 February 2014: [AGROFORESTRY: How Trees Can Work on Your Farm](#)

Workshop for farmers, agricultural and forestry advisors and other land managers

26 March 2014: [Looking to the Future:](#)

Marketing and Business Potential of Organic Farming

31 March 2014: [Soil Management Seminar](#)

Workshop for growers and gardeners, those working on land, students and apprentices

7 July 2014: [SOLIBAM final congress](#)

Diversity strategies for organic and low input agricultures and their food systems

13 October 2014: [IFOAM World Congress 2014](#)

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