

Landscape management for functional biodiversity

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PAST

- started in 2001
- Why? – focus a spatial scale in biocontrol / IPM
- Convenor: Rossing/Poehling (01-08), Holland/Gerowitt (08-17)
- Main topics:
 - Set-aside ups and downs,
 - CAP - agri-environment schemes
- Activities
 - Bi-annual workshops
 - 2003 Bologna (kick-off)
 - 2006 Zürich-Reckenholz
 - 2008 Bordeaux
 - 2010 Cambridge
 - 2012 Lleida
 - 2014 Poznan
 - 2017 Dundee

Between 50 and 80 participants, many are not IOBC members

PRESENT

Workshop in Poznan 2014: „History + Modern“
Wooden Hedgerows in Landscape Architecture
Greening of CAP, Ecological Focus Areas, Flower mixtures
Participants from Pesticide Industry
Discussion pros + cons of LMFB, weeds, insects

Participation in the Biocontrol meeting Paris 2016

Cancellation of the workshop in Rostock, September 2016!

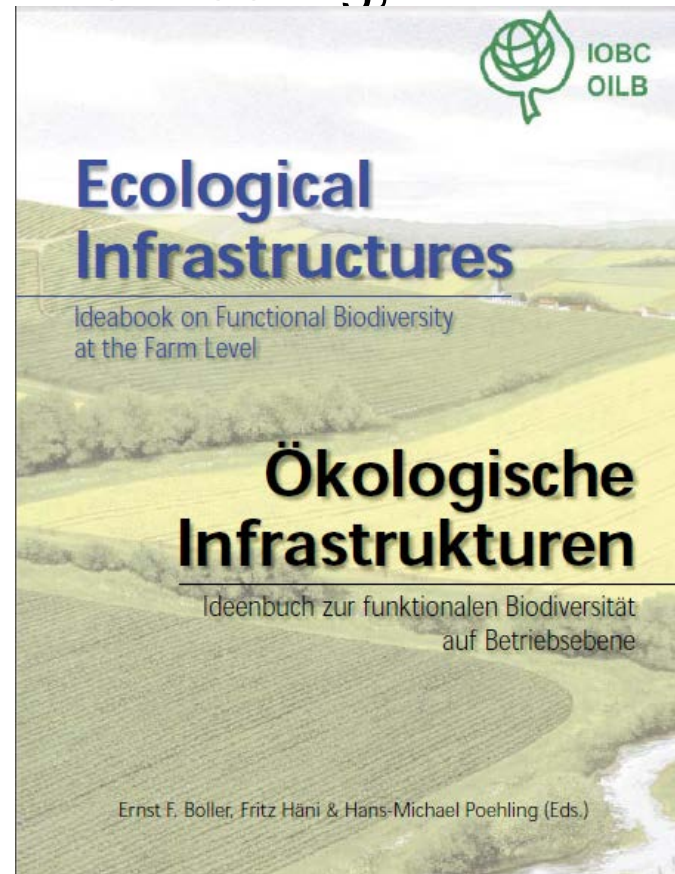
Workshop in Dundee 2017: „UK + Vertical Integration“
Debate about Scottish Agricultural and Environmental Policies
Biocontrol / IPM fruits, arable,
Participants from the Biocontrol Industry

FUTURE – activities

Next workshop 2019 in Wageningen / NL in **March!**
Felix Bianchi and team are Local Organizers
Papers and posters accepted (or rejected) by a
Scientific committee,
Proceedings in advance, ready at the meeting,
Delivered as PDF

Up-dating

Poehling,
Gerowitt,
and others



FUTURE – challenges

- Spatial aspects (landscape and smaller) matters for integrated control of weeds/pests/diseases
- Opportunities for enhancing ecosystem services in cropping and farming systems arise on spatial scales
- Interdisciplinary platform for exchange and discussion of research results
- Research across scales and across disciplines
- Involvement in political activities?



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