11th RedBioLAC MEETING ORGANIZED BY THE RedBioLAC BIODIGESTERS NETWORK IN CUBA

The 11th edition of the <u>RedBioLAC</u> <u>Meeting</u>. <u>Biodigesters</u>: <u>an agroecological</u> <u>option</u> in <u>rural contexts</u> will be held from 14th to 18st October 2019 in Cuba.

The Meeting is organized by the RedBioLAC Biodigesters Network for Latin America and the Caribbean in collaboration with the Estación Experimental de Pastos y Forrajes Indio Hatuey, an entity for science,

technology and innovation of the Ministry of Higher Education of the Cuban Government.

The purpose of the Meeting is to carry out an exchange of knowledge enriched by the perspectives of users, professionals who install digesters, experts who carry out research and all the actors related to the management of this technology.

The first activities of the Meeting will be held in the premises of the *Estación Experimental* in the city of Matanzas and the Congress will be held in the Varadero city of Cuba.

The Meeting includes the following events:

- Small Scale Biodigesters Course. The two days course
 provides basic knowledge on anaerobic digestion and its
 products, biogas and biol. The training course is led by
 experienced professionals, with vast theoretical and
 practical knowledge in biodigesters of domestic scale in
 LAC. The course will take place in the Experimental
 Station Indio Hatuey, city of Matanzas.
- Field technical visits that offer the opportunity to meet users and implementers of biodigesters in the rural area of the Matanzas city, to learn the technology and how to implement successful, sustainable and high impact projects.
- The International Congress of RedBioLAC. The event offers participants an arena to present results of research, implementation and development of biodigesters throughout the Latin American and Caribbean region. It allows an extensive exchange of knowledge and experiences on the different aspects related to biodigesters, biogas and biol, and an opportunity to establish contacts for joint projects.

The event is one of the initiatives of RedBioLAC to promote biodigesters as an excellent technological alternative for waste treatment in urban and rural areas. As the biodigesters provide energy and fertilizers, RedBioLAC emphasizes their contribution to the fight against climate change. RedBioLAC is









a network that brings together institutions related to applied research and dissemination of anaerobic biodigestion, to stimulate the integral treatment and management of organic waste, as strategies to improve the well-being of the population of Latin America and the Caribbean.

In 2018, 166 technicians and experts from Brazil, Germany, Argentina, Bolivia, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, United States, Honduras, Mexico, Paraguay, Peru and Uruguay participated in the 10th RedBioLAC Meeting held in Brazil.

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