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## OT4D 2021 Online Training – New Organic EU Regulations

**Date:** November 17, 2021 // 10:00 – 16:00 (CET)  
**Trainer:** Tom Nizet (Authent)  
**Moderator:** Toralf Richter (FiBL)  
**Target groups:** Inspectors, quality managers of export companies, local consultants, staff from local associations, ministries and authorities)

The online training will introduce to the general requirements in regard to the new EU Organic Regulation, which will come in force from 01.01.2022 while a transition period will end by 31.12.2024. Participants will first be informed about the most important changes, applicable to all type of organic activities and about the new inspection / certification procedures. During the second part, the focus on the new production rules for different organic activities (primary production, preparation, storage and export) which will apply under the new system of compliance. During the third part, the focus will be on the requirements for certification bodies during the transition phase and afterwards.

Day / Time	Topic	Responsible
10:00 – 10:15	Reception, welcome and introduction	T. Richter, FiBL
10:15 – 12:00	From equivalence to compliance: the main challenges for operators, certification bodies and competent authorities in third countries.	T. Nizet, Authent
12:00 – 13:00	<b>Lunch break</b>	<b>ALL</b>
13:00 – 14:30	Introduction to the new production rules under the compliance regime	T. Nizet, Authent
14:30 – 14:40	<b>Tea/Coffee Break</b>	<b>ALL</b>
14:40 – 15:50	Introduction to the new requirements for controls and certification during the transition phase and afterwards.	T. Nizet, Authent
15:50 – 16:00	Wrap up and closure	T. Richter, FiBL

### How to register

Please scan the QR code and complete the registration form by 15 November 2021



### About the trainer and moderator



Tom is expert in organic standards and certification. He worked over many years for the Belgium certification body Certisys, before he has started his career as trainer and consultant for organic standard and certification issues with Authent in 2021.



Toralf works for FiBL, the Swiss Research Institute for Organic Agriculture, the global organic competence center combining research, trainings and consultancies all over the world. He works as senior consultant in international organic market development projects and has vast organic project experiences in Ukraine and Balkan countries since 2014.