PROGRAM OVERVIEW

4 – 5 November 2025 I Hotel Central (Sofia, Bulgaria)

4 November 2025, Hotel Central (in-person)	
12:30 – 13:30	**Arrival & Registration**
13:30 – 14:00	**Opening and welcome speeches** **Speakers:** Igor Hrovatič (CAFS/SEASN), prof. dr. Mladen Mladenov (NAAS), Dr. Lozana Vasileva (Deputy Minister of Agriculture and Food of Bulgaria), Marko Vešligaj (Croatian representative in the European Parliament)
14:00 – 15:30	**SEASN 10 Years from beginning to today and future** **Speakers:** dr. Snežana Janković (IPN), Milan Husnjak (SEASN), prof. Mladen Mladenov (NAAS), Gaborne Jakab Agnes (NAK), Igor Hrovatič (CAFS/SEASN)
15:30 – 16:00	**Coffee break + poster session**
16:00 – 16:15	**What value can advisory organizations and network derive from AKIS** **Speakers:** Elena Teodora Miron, Florian Herzog (LK Österreich)
16:15 – 16:30	**EU AKIS in the field of climate change – development perspective and good practices such as carbon credits** **Speakers:** Dr. Dimitar Vanev (NAAS), Chavdar Marinov (Carbonsafe)
16:30 – 16:45	**Vision of advisory services in next CAP period also focused on advisory services in pre-accession countries** **Speakers:** Joanna Kiszko (European Commision)
16:45 – 17:00	**Closing remarks** **Speakers:** Igor Hrovatič (CAFS/SEASN), Sladjan Stanković (IPN)
19:00	**Social evening**

SEASN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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5 November 2025, NAAS offices (hybrid)

9:00 – 10:00	**Welcoming & Yearly Reports**
	Speakers: Igor Hrovatič (SEASN)
	Agnes Jakab Gaborne (SEASN Supervisory board)
	Domagoj Gorup (SEASN)
	Urban Hrovatič (SEASN)
10:00 – 10:30	**Electional procedure**
	Speakers: Igor Hrovatič (SEASN), Domagoj Gorup (SEASN)
10:30 – 10:45	**Welcoming the new SEASN President and his vision for SEASN's future**
	Speakers: Igor Hrovatič (SEASN), new SEASN president
10:45 – 11:00	**Coffee break**
11:00 – 11:10	**New project initiative and invitation**
	Speakers: Ana-Marija Špicnagel (IPS Konzalting)
11:10 – 12:00	**SEASN LiveNet Activities Workshop**
	Speakers: Urban Hrovatič (SEASN)

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12:00	**LiveNet project good practice presentation – field visit**
	Visit is optional

A brief description of the farm field visit – November 5, 2025

- Farm name: Agriva Farm
- Location: near the town of Breznik, Pernik region - https://maps.app.goo.gl/sA83Rz7ytiRRwFNQ6
- Sector: Cows are mainly raised for milk. The animals are raised in cowsheds and under intensive livestock farming practices. The farm cultivated 300 ha of agricultural land, on which crops used for animal feed are grown (mainly wheat and corn). The farm also has its own workshop for processing part of the raw milk into dairy products (mainly cheese, yellow cheese, and butter). The workshop capacity is a maximum of 2000 liters per hour. The farm also has a shop for selling the produce.
- Information about the animals: 450 animals (cows, heifers, and calves). Only the Holstein-Friesian cattle breed (American Holstein) is raised. There are about 250 cows. The average daily milk yield is about 35 liters per day, but individual animals reach 60-70 liters per day. The fertility rate is over 90%.
- Other information: The manure is utilized on the farm, and once it is ready, it is spread on the field. The farm has two large cowsheds. There is a veterinary technician on the farm.
- Innovation: Digital animal monitoring, through a special digital application. All animals are fitted with transponders. These are small electronic devices that are placed under the animal's skin, usually in the ear or other parts of the body. This device contains a unique identification number and additional information such as date of birth, breed, health status, and other data about the animal. Transponders are used on the farm for automatic identification, tracking, and management of livestock, to facilitate the processes of registration, health control, feeding perimeter management, as well as for constant monitoring of their condition.