



Hello network!

We are happy to welcome both old and new readers to our quarterly newsletter! The purpose of this letter is to keep you updated on what is happening across the network and to share relevant topics. Don't hesitate to contact us with any input or ideas on what to highlight here!

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Virtual meeting: organising a testbed, Nov 18th, 10–12 CET

What alternatives for financing are there and how can we work with partnerships and networks complementing the testbed? These are some of the questions that we will approach at the **meeting**. Looking at the members of the Nordic Testbed Network clearly illustrates that there are many different ways of organising a testbed. At this virtual meeting you will get the chance to learn from others, as well as sharing your experiences on this topic.



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Autonomous forestry – see it in action!

In October, an autonomous forestry machine, for the first time, managed the full sequence on its own: from detecting certain logs to picking them up. The test was carried out in north of Sweden as part of the work of **Arctic Off-Road Robotics Lab (AORO)**. AORO is a co-operation between **Luleå University of Technology**, **Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences** and the **Cluster of Forest Technology**. Research and development for the future's autonomous forestry is an important part

of AORO's work, paving the way for a more sustainable forestry sector.

[View the movie](#)

Healthy, sustainable and local food – can technology be the answer?

This question is at the centre of **AgTech 2021**. AgTech is a Swedish-Norwegian collaboration aiming to enhance the cooperation between the two countries in the area of agricultural technology. This year, the conference takes place November 11th 9–12 CET.

[Register for the conference](#)



Join the Agri-D 2021 Convention November 12th

With live talks, panel discussions and demonstrations, the **convention** provides a gateway for the agriculture and food industry to explore and learn about blockchain and distributed ledger technology (DLT). The day starts off at 8 in the morning, and ends 12 hours later.

We have picked out some agenda points that might catch your interest:

- Blockchain: Revolutionising the Agriculture Industry
- Digital Innovation & Development in Rural Systems
- Transforming the Food System Narrative

[Check out the agenda](#)

We are welcoming three new testbeds to the network

We are happy to introduce you to **DigiFoods**, **AquaVIP** and the **Latvian i-Garden**. Three testbeds active in the intersection between digitalisation and bioeconomy, with DigiFoods developing smart sensor solutions for food quality assessment, AquaVIP focusing on creating an innovative aquaculture sector in the South Baltic region, and the Latvian i-Garden using machine learning and other artificial intelligence solutions to make horticulture management decisions.



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You are always welcome to contact us with any questions and to share your news with us!

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