

Dear EUCARPIA Members,

This year, EUCARPIA celebrates its 70th anniversary. To mark this important milestone, we are pleased to bring together key stakeholders in plant breeding from across Europe and beyond.

Representatives from European Institutions, together with speakers from nonprofit organizations and industry, will contribute to the discussion during an online meeting on July 2, 2026, addressing the current state and future perspectives of the plant breeding sector.

Members are warmly invited to attend this celebration and to share their memories and reflections on the achievements of our association.

This occasion will also provide an opportunity to reaffirm and promote EUCARPIA's founding mission, to which we have remained committed since 1956.

Yours sincerely,

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EUCARPIA President