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VALUATION AND REPORTING OF INTANGIBLE HERITAGE ASSETS RELATED TO FOOD AND AGRICULTURE FOR THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT OF TERRITORIES

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Oral knowledge concerning, for example, traditional recipes and old harvesting techniques, is very diffused in small rural areas, in bio-districts and in local communities. This kind of knowledge, if well recognised and documented, can contribute to the development of territories in which it developed through oral transmission from local people. At the same time, Traditional Knowledge, at the light of the UN *Convention for Safeguarding of the Intangible Cultural Heritage*, must be preserved for future generations.

The objective of the seminar is to show the usefulness of determining the value, cultural other than economic, of this type of intangibles and to report it to local stakeholders that will "reuse" the knowledge into a logic of circular economy. The final goal is to preserve local traditions and, at the same time, to grant the economic, social and environmental sustainability of the entire community to which this knowledge "belongs" to.

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