

International Workshop



Peri-urban agriculture and climate

Thinking about resilient development pathways

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Maintaining and even developing agriculture in peri-urban and flood-prone areas could be an interesting territorial development option. A number of opportunities, illustrated in the scientific literature, could arise from this: limiting urbanisation in flood-prone areas, keeping farmland close to urban centers, supplying towns with shorter supply chains, etc. However, in practice, the location of farmland in both peri-urban and flood-prone areas presents specific features and potential constraints that are poorly understood.

Through this international seminar, we want to discuss these issues and share experiences through cross-case study presentations on the following themes :

- peri-urban agriculture (functions, specific features) ;
- the role of agriculture in adapting to climate change (flooding, heat islands, drought, etc.) ;
- flood management around major cities ;
- agricultural land and buildings in peri-urban and/or flood-prone areas ;
- taking risks and agriculture into account in spatial planning.

Location: MSH-Sud, St-Charles, Montpellier. A videoconference link will be shared shortly before the seminar.

Registration: Free, please fill out this [form](#).

Programme: the detailed programme will be available on this [page](#) soon.

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