

International Conference on Cocoa Sustainability and Traceability

26 March 2026

The conference can be followed
online or in presence in Sassari,
Dipartimento di Agraria, viale
Italia 39/a, Aula Pampaloni

Scan to join the event



- 1:30 pm (GMT+0) Participants registration (only in person)
- 2:00 pm (GMT+0) Institutional greetings (Quirico Migheli, UNISS and Tom Sizmur UoR)
- 2:20 pm (GMT+0) Cocoa heritage in Africa (Laura Atuah and Dadson Awunyo-Vitor KNUST)
- 2:40 pm (GMT+0) Innovative technologies for cocoa residue valorization (Matteo Garau, UNISS)
- 3:00 pm (GMT+0) Sustainable strategies for cocoa sustainable farming (Isac Afram, UoR)
- 3:20 pm (GMT+0) Report from the fields: cocoa farmers sensibility on soil health (short documentary)
- 3:40 pm (GMT+0) Cocoa identity: from the territory to the traceability (Tagro Guehi, UNA and Koumba Kone, INP-HB)
- 4:00 pm (GMT+0) Linking origin and consumer through cacao flavour at the bean-to-bar factory of Città del Cioccolato (Dolores Alvarado, Città del Cioccolato)
- 4:20 pm (GMT+0) Future perspectives: presentation of the VERITAS project (Matteo Garau, UNISS)
- 4:30 Open discussion
- 4:50 pm (GMT+0) Conclusions

