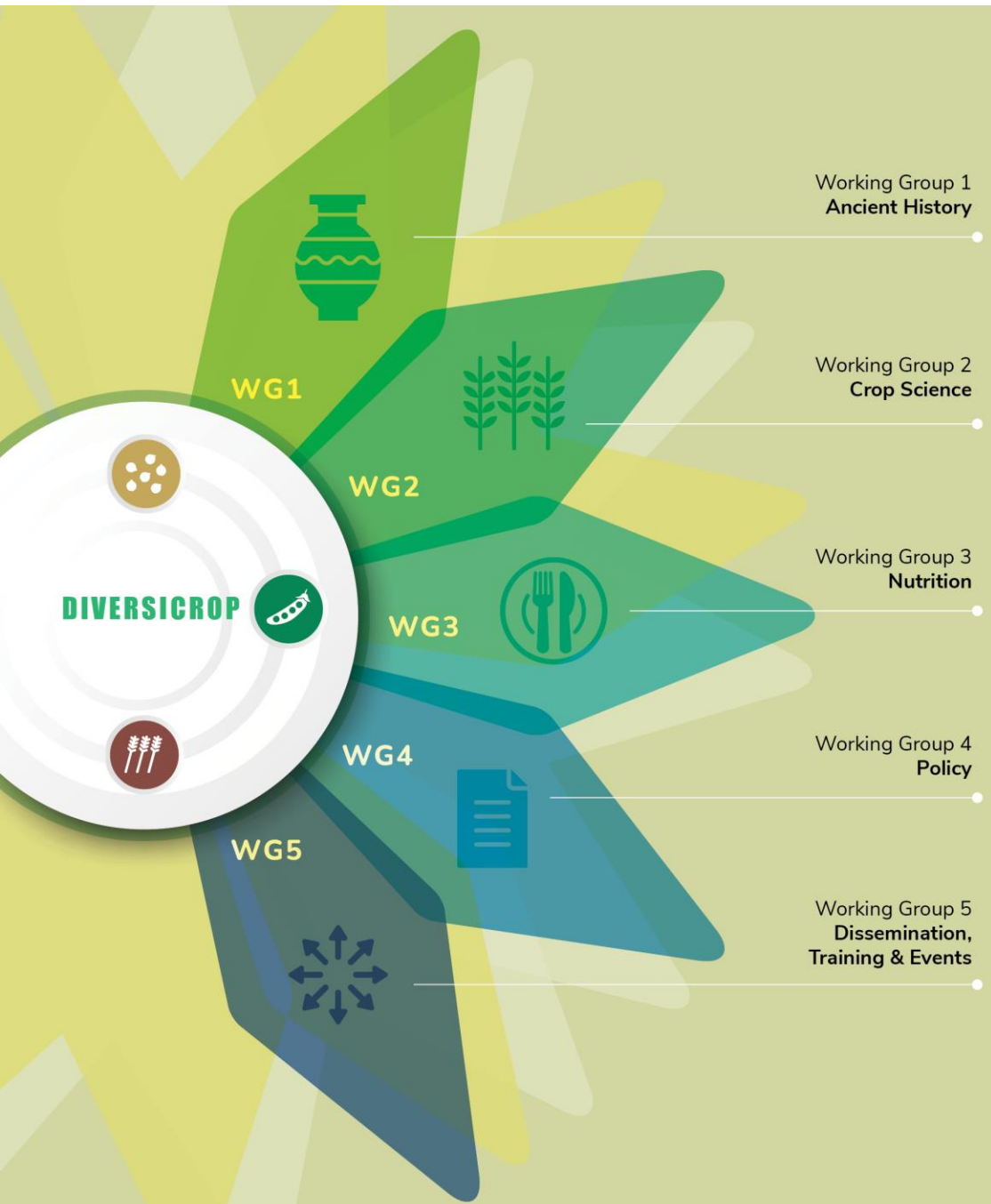


# CA 22146 **DIVERSICROP**

Launch meeting

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Working Group 1  
Ancient History

Working Group 2  
Crop Science

Working Group 3  
Nutrition

Working Group 4  
Policy

Working Group 5  
Dissemination,  
Training & Events



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## Aim

Promote crop diversification in response to climate change, sustainable food production, health of citizens and changes into plant-based diet.

## Challenges

- Data from different disciplines are required to improve uptake of underutilised crops.
- Valuable data exists, but is dispersed across multi-disciplines and databases at local/national levels.
- Fragmented data requires harmonisation to advance crop diversification.

## Impact

- Data mapped, harmonised and shared across borders and disciplines to advance knowledge.
- Provide new evidence-basis for understanding the challenges and opportunities of crop diversification.
- Alignment with Farm to Fork and Green Deal strategies by harnessing the potential of EU-wide data and knowledge.

# Election of leadership positions

<b>Position</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Country</b>
WG1 Leader	Núria Rovira	France
WG1 co-leader	Mila Andonova	Bulgaria
WG2 leader	Ulrike Lohwasser	Germany
WG2 co-leader	Filippos Bantis	Greece
WG3 leader	Marija Knez	Serbia
WG3 co-leader	Amil Orahovac	Montenegro
WG4 leader	Paolo Prospero	France
WG4 co-leader	TBD	
WG 5 Leader and Science Communication Coordinator	Aldona Mueller-Bieniek	Poland
WG 5 co-Leader and Science Communication Vice-Coordinator	Meline Beglaryan	Armenia
Grant Awarding Coordinator	Donal Murphy-Bokern	Austria
Data Harmonisation Coordinator	Meriel McClatchie	Ireland



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