

Invitation

Dear Mrs. /Mr.

Albanian Network for Rural Development and Agricultural University of Tirana cordially invite you to the **First Albanian Rural Parliament, which will take place from 28th to 30th September 2017 in Tirana, at the premises of the Agricultural University of Tirana.** The Albanian Rural Parliament is held under the auspices of the Speaker of Albanian Parliament, Mr. Gramoz Ruçi.

The first Albanian Rural Parliament (ARP I) aims to bring together rural development stakeholders with the objective to accelerate the agenda of rural development in Albania, through a bottom-up, highly inclusive and national wide approach. The main beneficiaries of this advocacy effort are the national and local government institutions, as well as other public and private actors, civil society organizations, entrepreneurs in the field of rural development etc. This event which welcomes nearly 300 participants from the 61 Municipalities of the country is organized as a joint effort of the Albanian Network for Rural Development consisting of twenty-two local CSOs in partnership with the Agricultural University of Tirana. Please find enclosed the Programme of the first Albanian Rural Parliament.

Hence, we are pleased to invite you to attend this event, **by nominating the representative of your institution responsible for the rural development policies, who should confirm his/her participation by 22 September 2017, by filling out the Registration Form** through the following [link](#). There is no participation fee. Organizers will provide food and accommodation for a number of participants, who will regularly attend all the ARP sessions.

For more information on the event and registration please visit <http://anrd.al/category/first-albanian-rural-parliament/>

We welcome you!

