

Aurelia Bondari, EUFRAS Board member

Bondari Aurelia, (born in 1959) Executive Director of the Federation of Agricultural Producers from Moldova (2000-present), gained rich practical experience, over 20 years of work as a manager within Federation, in the area of strategic development of the networks and partnerships, farmers' organisations development, extension systems development and assessment, policy influencing through guiding advocacy/lobby campaigns, and other tasks. The practice in implementation, monitoring and evaluation of the extension services as well as decentralization and modernization of the consultancy services in agriculture could be proved by around 10 projects developed and implemented by the federation in cooperation with its network and external partners in this area.

Relevant professional experience:

Trainer (2007-present). The consultant has developed two training modules in gender integrated approach and provides trainings on "Interrelations between personal identity and gender equality", "Women leadership", "How to make use of better agricultural policies", etc

International consultant (2007-2019) in organizational development, extension systems development and farmer's cooperation, performing short term assignments in Tajikistan, Kazakhstan, Georgia, Armenia.

National Coordinator of the 10 Information Centers (1998-2000) within the EU Tacis project "Information Campaign on Privatization and Restructuring in Agriculture"

Head of the pilot extension system in the agricultural department of Orhei District (1997-1998)

Education: Academy of Economic Science, Chisinau, Moldova, specialization - economist; Financial economical college, Chisinau, Moldova, specialization – economist; Internship program in extension systems development at North Carolina Agricultural University, United States, 2001