


# PROGRAM

## 15th October 2026 — Tinglado 1, Port Tarragona

**17:00**
**Boat trip on a "Golondrina"**

**19:00 – 19:15**
**Welcome - Congress Opening**
Santiago J. Castellà. President. Port Tarragona
Rosa Cubel. Food Secretary. DARPA - Generalitat de Catalunya

## PANEL 1 — GLOBAL CONTEXT AND GEOPOLITICS

**19:15 – 20:30**
**A world under pressure: Geopolitical Impacts on Agrifood Markets**
Xavier Sala-i-Martin. Professor & Chair of Economics. Columbia University

**20:45**
Shuttle service from Tinglado 1 to Masia Can Martí

**21:00 – 01:30**
**Gala Dinner**
Masia Can Martí

**00:00 and 01:30**
Shuttle service from Masia Can Martí to Tinglado 1

## 16th October 2026

**09:00 – 09:05**
**Opening of the second day**

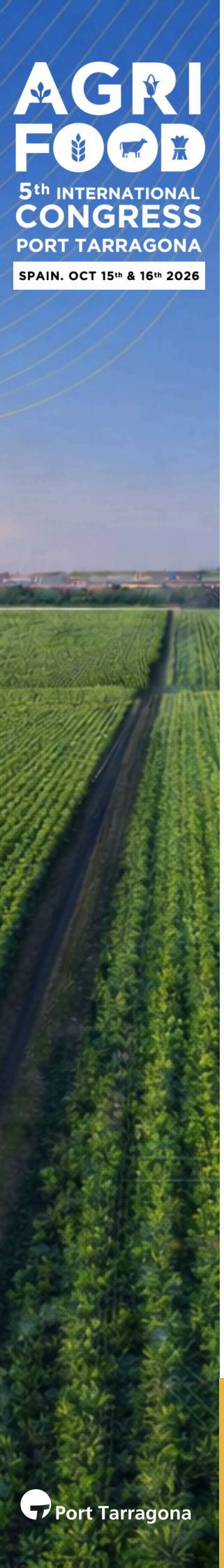
## PANEL 2 — THE NEW DRIVERS OF THE AGRI-FOOD SYSTEM

**09:05 – 10:05**
**European regulation as a "game changer" for agri-food system**
Iliana Axiotiades. Secretary General. COCERAL

**10:10 – 11:10**
**Food, feed, fuel: The rol of agrifood raw materials in the energy transition**
Alberto Carmona. CEO and Founder. NixAl Commodities

Joan Bolet. Vice President. Vertex Bioenergy

Joaquín Gaitán. Executive Manager. ADM Agro Ibérica




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**11:15 – 11:45**
**COFFEE BREAK**

**PANEL 3 — TRANSPORT AND LOGISTICS**
(ECONOMIC PERSPECTIVE/ COMMERCIAL DECISIONS)

**11:45 – 12:45**
**Round Table: Resilience, Costs and Real Decisions in a Disruptive Environment**
Jaume Arimany. Gerent Senior Commercial Manager for Proteins. Bunge

J.R. Albareda. Raw Materials Purchasing Departament. Vall Companys

Josep Ribó. Animal Feed Production Director. BonÀrea

Moderator: Aitor Vieco. El Mercantil

**PANEL 4 — TRANSPORT AND LOGISTICS**
(TECHNICAL PERSPECTIVE)

**12:45 – 13:45**
**Round Table: The New Bottleneck in Agrifood Logistics**
Ramón García. Commercial Director. Ership

Javier Dolader. Grupo Jorge

Carles Segura. Director of Facilities and Environment. Port de Tarragona

Moderator: Santiago Bassols. Director. BCL

**13:45 - 14:00**
**Closing of the Congress**
Pedro García Navarro. Operations Director. Puertos del Estado

**14:00 – 15:00**
**NETWORKING LUNCH**

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