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Impact of Agriculture on Climate Change in New Zealand: Mother Earth has the Answers but we Must Ask the Right Questions ?

Dr Walter Jehne, Thursday 24th February 2022 at 4.30pm (NZ time)



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Walter Jehne is an internationally recognised soil microbiologist and innovation strategist. He has immense field and research experience in soils, grasslands, agriculture and forests at local, national (CSIRO and Science Adviser to Australia's National Soil Advocate), and international (UN) level. Walter's specialisation is the role of soil microbes' symbiotic processes in the ecology of diseases, plant health, nutrient and waste cycling, soil pedogenesis and the regeneration of bio-systems.

Decades of research have made him expert in plant root ecology, mycorrhizal fungi, glomalin, and soil carbon formation. He has also worked on biology's enormous influences in hydrological cycles, weather patterns, regional and global cooling, and cloud formation and rain precipitation. Recent work has focused on commercializing leading bio-innovations which will urgently help restore agro-ecosystems and urban agriculture and ecologies. Walter is determined to advance the practical verification, application and extension of these innovations, including for cities and their supply chains, to sustain the current 8 billion and projected 10 billion people by mid-century.

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