



The Lascaux research program will give rise to various publications including a European code of agri-food law, a doctrinal reference work on this same subject, as well as a "dictionary". The "Lascaux dictionary" will bring together many French and foreign researchers.

Regarding the project's spirit, it will be an encyclopedic dictionary surrounded by the following triptych: law, food and land. This will intend to set the agri-food law available to traders, consumers and citizens more generally.

The idea is to gather and build "entries" in order to avoid having a simple dictionary classified alphabetically with a too huge number of keywords and too short definitions with no real meaning for the reader.

The topic will be organized around several themes with sub-entries in order to create a dictionary which would be "intelligent" as well as a bearer of values.

Starting from proposals, still under discussion, made by each people involved, the addressed issues have been grouped under several themes (within which entries will be declined).

Here is what is now presented and opened for discussion and debate, particularly among foreign researchers:

 History. A partial history of agri-food law (data from Europe / Africa / Asia / Americas).

 Food access (access to land and water, access to seeds and genes)

 Food control (control of production process and control of products)

 Agri-food trade (global normative frameworks, markets, competition, insurances)

 Public management of agribusiness

 Criminal offenses and responsibilities

This dictionary will be a full joint work whose main goal will aim to be useful - not only to lawyers but also to all the word-citizens. This work should be translated at least into English and Spanish.

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