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COPENHAGEN

SEPTEMBER 26th, 2025 – Friday

HALL A2

11:00 – 13:00

SYMPOSIUM / BEEKEEPING FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT

Empowering Women and Youth Through Beekeeping

Moderators: Cathy Benham & Colleen Quinn

11:00 – 11:15

Reviving Rural Economies Through Inclusive Beekeeping: Centering Women for Scalable Impact

Mmabatho Portia Morudi – South Africa

11:15 – 11:30

Beekeeping in Challenging Environments: Case Studies from Kenya and Ethiopia with a Focus on Women Beekeepers

Marta Panco – Moldova

11:30 – 11:45

Temporal Trends in the Brazilian State of São Paulo Meliponiculture: Woman participation, Shifting Geographies, and the Decline of Non-Native Species

Tiago Mauricio Franco – Brazil

11:45 – 12:00

Beekeeping Awareness: Training of Youth and Rural Women for Income and Employment Generation in Telangana, India

Indira Reddy Kudumula – India

12:00 – 12:15

Engaging Rural Youth in Beekeeping: a Pathway to Sustainable Livelihoods and Biodiversity Conservation among Indigenous Communities

Dhanshree Chavan – India

12:15 – 12:30

Building Youth Leadership in Indigenous Beekeeping: A Case from Chiuri-Based Honey Initiatives in Nepal

Dhurba Saub – Nepal

12:30 – 12:45

Beyond Educational Benefits: Integrating Stingless Beekeeping into School Activities Generated Additional Income

Panutda Yodsang – Thailand

12:45 – 13:00

The International Meeting of Young Beekeepers: a Unique Platform for Young Beekeepers to Meet and Compete

Jiri Piza – Czech Republic