





# Webinar on Oilseed Crop Pollination in Canada and Latin America

Thursday, March 27, 2014

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# **Speakers:**

Dr. Betina Blochtein is a zoologist and a professor at the Pontificial Catholic University in Porto Alegre, South Brazil. Her area of research is bee ecology with an emphasis on stingless bees and agricultural pollination.

MSc. Rosana Halinski is a biologist and PhD student in the Zoology Program at the Pontificial Catholic University in Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil. Her area of research is insect pollination and productivity associated with modelling of distribution of stingless bees in canola fields.

Dr. Peter Kevan is the Scientific Director of the Canadian Pollination Initiative Strategic Network (NSERC-CANPOLIN) and a Professor Emeritus at the University of Guelph, Ontario, Canada. He has published in almost every aspect of pollination biology from autecological studies through biodiversity surveys to economic assessments of the importance of pollinators.

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