



The Value Generation of Social Farming

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Social Farming is a global phenomenon with heterogeneous approaches, different shapes, and intersector relationships, but also common characteristics and activities. Social Farming includes social services in rural areas such as education, healthcare, and work inclusion, as well as products to meet modern society demand. Despite the global diffusion and impact today, social farming in agriculture still lacks an adequate legislative and operative definition to support it.

The diffusion of social farming and its economic and social impact have therefore increased the need to esteem the “value” it produces from a model of “welfare” to a model of “welfare society”...

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