Independent Food Systems Summit Dialogues

FOOD SYSTEMS SUMMIT 2021

PATHWAYS FOR THE FUTURE OF SUSTAINABLE FOOD SYSTEMS IN THE MEDITERRANEAN

SFS-MED Independent Dialogue 1

What actions for more sustainable food systems in the Mediterranean? Tuesday, 27 April 2021, 14:00-17:30 hrs CET

AGENDA

14:00-14:05	Welcome	 Jamie Morrison, Director, Food Systems and Food Safety Division, FAO 	
14:05-14:30	High-level remarks by the convenors <i>Why this dialogue as a collaborative</i> <i>effort?</i>	 Plácido Plaza, Secretary General, CIHEAM Isidro González, Deputy Secretary General, UfM Ismahane Elouafi, Chief Scientist, FAO Jean-Marc Chappuis, Deputy Director-General, Federal Office for Agriculture, Switzerland, on behalf of the co-leadership of OPN-SFSP Angelo Riccaboni, Chair, PRIMA Foundation 	
14:30-14:35	High-level introduction <i>Towards the Food Systems Summit</i>	 Agnes Kalibata, UN Secretary General's Special Envoy to the 2021 Food Systems Summit (Video message) 	
14:35-14:40	High-level remark <i>Fisheries and Aquaculture: A key for</i> <i>food systems transformation in the</i> <i>Mediterranean</i>	• Riccardo Rigillo, Director-General, Maritime Fisheries and Aquaculture, Ministry of Agricultural, Food and Forestry Policies of Italy	
14:40-14:45	Curator briefing	 Jamie Morrison, Director, Food Systems and Food Safety Division, FAO 	
14:45-14:50	Introduction to the sessions	 Sandro Dernini, Coordinator, SFS-MED Platform Coordination Desk, Senior Advisor CIHEAM-Bari 	
14:50-16:20	Discussion session See annex for further details.	• Facilitators and participants in break-out rooms	
16:20-16:30	Break		
16:30-17:20	Feedback session	 Jamie Morrison, Director, Food Systems and Food Safety Division, FAO 8 Facilitators 	
17:20-17:30	Wrap-up and closing	 Jamie Morrison, Director, Food Systems and Food Safety Division, FAO 	



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ANNEX: DISCUSSION TOPICS

N	DISCUSSION TOPIC	FACILITATOR	NOTETAKER
1	Leveraging the science-policy nexus to understand interconnections and interdependences within Mediterranean food systems	Elliot Berry Professor, Braun School of Public Health Hebrew University of Jerusalem	Michael Mullet Senior Program Officer WWF Germany (OPN-SFSP)
2	Sustainable food from the sea: a key pillar of an SDG-oriented blue and circular economy in the Mediterranean	Árni Mathiesen Senior Adviser Iceland Ocean Cluster Former Assistant Director-General, Fisheries & Aquaculture Department, FAO	Massimo Zuccaro Blue Economy and Coastal Development Expert CIHEAM-Bari
3	Towards a green and circular economy for sustainable food systems in the Mediterranean	Roberta de Palma Chief Technical Advisor UNIDO	Alessandra Sensi Head of Sector Environment & Blue Economy Union for the Mediterranean
4	Sustainable management of land and water in the context of climate change in the Mediterranean	Pandi Zdruli Land Expert CIHEAM-Bari	Afef Tlili Consultant Union for the Mediterranean
5	The Mediterranean diet as a lever for sustainable consumption and production in the Mediterranean	Suzanne Piscopo Head of the Department for Health, Physical Education and Consumer Studies University of Malta	Hamid El Bilali Researcher and Consultant CIHEAM-Bari
6	The role of cities in building more sustainable food systems in the Mediterranean	Gianluca Brunori Professor of Food Policy, University of Pisa Member of the European Commission's High-Level Expert Group to assess the needs, potential, feasibility and approach for International Platform for Food Systems Science	José Valls Bedeau Policy Officer, Food Systems FAO
7	Equitable and inclusive livelihoods in food systems through skills and entrepreneurship	Florence Tartanac Senior Nutrition Officer, Food and Nutrition Division, FAO	Giuseppe Provenzano Advisor for Research & Innovation Union for the Mediterranean
8	Technological and organizational innovation for accelerating food systems transformation to achieve the SDGs in the Mediterranean	Angelo Riccaboni Chair of the Board PRIMA Foundation	Giovanni Stanghellini Staff PRIMA, Santa Chiara Lab University of Siena