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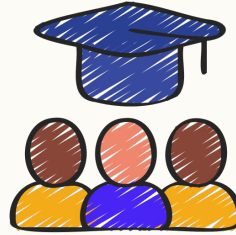


CIHEAM LEBANESE INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR

Investing in Youth for Sustainable Agrifood Systems:
Linking Education to Job Opportunities and Sector Priorities

24 September 2025





KEY HIGHLIGHTS FROM AROUND 100 ALUMNI

(Analysis of Alumni Responses to the Seminar Registration Survey)

 ***CELEBRATING CONNECTIONS***

 ***INSPIRING FUTURE***



50 Alumni, Bari



20 Alumni, Chania



15 Alumni, Montpellier



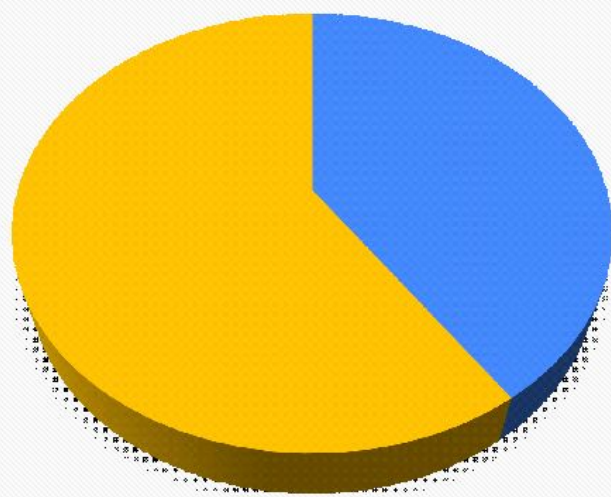
9 Alumni, Zaragoza

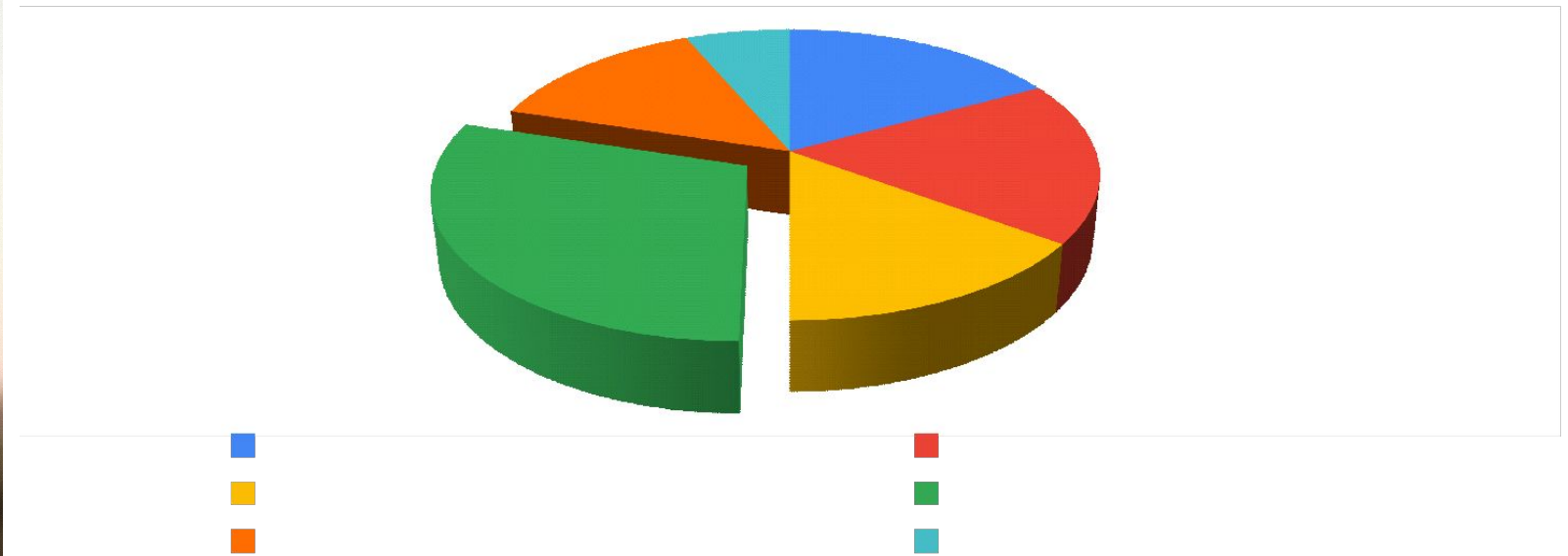
See Who's Here Today

*Distribution of Alumni by
Institute*



***WHAT DOES THE
DATA REVEAL?***





- ✓ **Private Sector Dominance**
- ✓ **Strong Academic & Research Presence**
- ✓ **NGOs slight over academia and public, highlighting opportunities in development roles**
- ✓ **Public sector significance** in agricultural research institutes, universities, and Extension services and regulatory authorities
- ✓ **UN employ smaller group but strategically influential representing high-impact, international career opportunities**

SUMMARY OF REPORTED JOB TITLES AND ROLES DISTRIBUTED BY CAREER LEVEL

Sector	Entry / Early Career	Mid-Level / Specialist	Senior / Leadership / Executive
Private	Agricultural Engineer, Project Engineer, Consultant	Quality & Food Safety Coordinator, Agribusiness Coordinator	Product Manager, Project Manager, Head of Dept, Founder/CEO
Public	Research Assistant, Agriculture Engineer	Head of Regional Departments, Technical Committee Member	Assistant Professor, President of Authority, Dept Head
Academic	PhD Candidate, Student	Scientific Officer, Program Coordinator	Associate/Full Professor, Faculty Director, Program Director
NGO	Project Assistant, WASH Assistant, field trainer	Agricultural Engineer, Monitoring & Evaluation Specialist	Program Coordinator, Projects Manager, Economic Recovery Coordinator
Research	Research Assistant	Plant Breeder, Vaccination Services Specialist	Head of Department, Senior Researcher
UN / International	Project Assistant, Technical Officer	Associate Information Management Officer, Policy Officer	Project Manager, Portfolio Coordinator, Senior Specialist

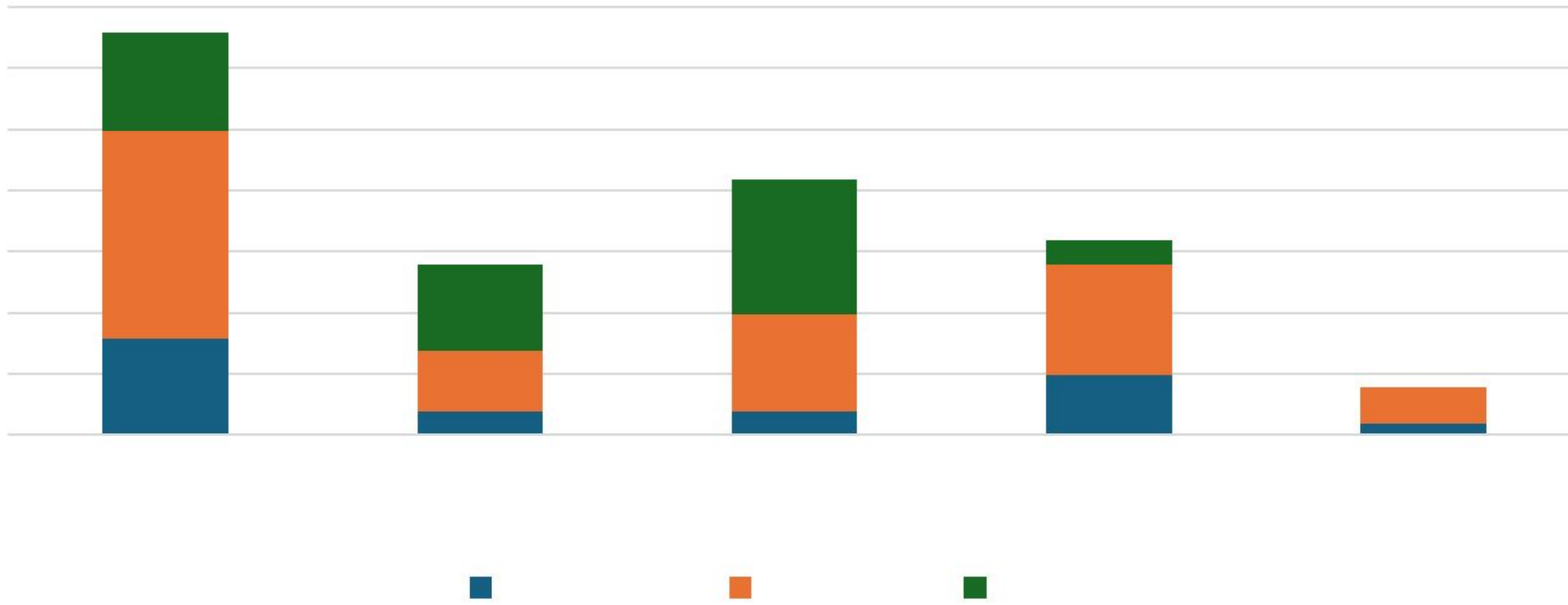


THE JOB MIX AND ROLE FOCUS !

- **The mix** shows a community where knowledge production (research/PhDs), policy/governance, and applied practice (projects, agribusiness, consultancy) are all interconnected.
- **Other category (students, interns, unemployed agricultural engineer, early career):** a pipeline of **future professionals** feeding into all these sectors.

Role Focus

- **Private:** business, start-ups, technical expertise, entrepreneurship and innovation lead
- **Public:** academic/research, regulatory leadership
- **Academic:** teaching, research, program coordination
- **NGO:** program management, technical fieldwork
- **UN:** international projects, M&E, policy, and technical specialization



WHAT JOB TITLES AND ROLES SAY ABOUT

✓ **Mid-level roles dominate 48%**

✓ **Senior-level roles (32%):** strong leadership presence in Academia, Private, Public.

✓ **Entry-level (20%):** mainly early-career Private, NGO, and a few in Academia and Public level. Presence of g partners).

✓ **Public sector**

✓ **Private sector
entrepreneur**

✓ **Academia + Research:** mostly senior (professors, department heads), fewer entry-level.

✓ **NGO:** mostly mid-level, some entry-level, few seniors.

✓ **UN:** mostly mid-level professionals, small group overall.

WELCOMING OUR PRESENT ALUMNI



**CIHEAM
BARI**



**CIHEAM
CHANIA**



**CIHEAM
MONTPELLIER**



**CIHEAM
ZARAGOZA**



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Celesty Kiwan
Charbel Fakhr
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Kanj Hamade
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Maria El Murr
Maroun Bou Matar
Maroun El Moujabber



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Nawal Mhanna

Nisrine karam

Oussama Atallah

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Racil charara

Randa Massaad

Reem Yazbeck

Roula Fares

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Somaya Naser El Deen

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