

INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS AND APPROACHES FOR **CLIMATE RESILIENT FOOD SYSTEMS**

FRIDAY, 7 JULY 2023 13:00 – 14:30

It is essential for food systems to become resilient to climate shocks (slow onset ones such as droughts or quick onset ones such as floods) and stresses (long-term, chronic threats such as global warming) that could derail progress towards food security and achieving the UN SDGs, particularly SDG 2 on zero hunger and SDG 13 on climate action and SDG 17 on partnerships. Therefore, a global discourse and narrative that focuses on food systems as a key way to solve the climate change puzzle should be promoted.

In this webinar, we will focus on innovative approaches and solutions that can help countries to transform towards climate resilient food systems. The renowned organisations WRI, AIM for Climate, WFP innovation Accelerator and G-SITC/VITO will present their take on the topic.



The Climate Resilient Food Systems (CRFS) Alliance is a multi-stakeholder initiative that was launched in September 2021 as an outcome of the United Nations Food Systems Summit (UNFSS).

The mission of the Alliance is to accelerate action towards climate resilient, sustainable, equitable and inclusive food systems, focusing on the most vulnerable countries and regions, in particular arid and semi-arid lands (ASALs), small island developing states (SIDS), land-locked developing countries (LLDCs), and least developed countries (LDCs). The Alliance provides a platform for achieving this mission by synergizing expertise and resources across its members and supporters.

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https://www.unfccc.int/ crfs-alliance



Workshop Programme

Time	Speaker	Topic
13h00 - 13h05	Ms. Julia Weatherhogg	Introduction CRFS Alliance
13h05 - 13h20	Prof. Joachim Von Braun	Importance of Innovation and Technology in Climate Resilient Food Systems
13h20 - 13h32	Ms. Rebecca Carter	Innovative tools, services and approaches to strengthen Climate Resilient Food Systems: examples from each organization Introduction of the international organisations involved in CRFS Alliance, focused on technology and innovation
13h32 – 13h44	Ms. Ilke Geleyn	
13h44 – 13h56	Ms. Hope Bigda-Peyton	
13h56 – 14h08	Ms. Regina Schmidt	- Dissemination of their expertise and inspiration around new, innovative tools and technologies for food systems transformation
14h08 - 14h10	Ms. Julia Weatherhogg	General overview of support activities that can be provided by the Innovation and Technology cluster of the CRFS Alliance.
14h10 – 14h30		Q&A from the audience

Speakers



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