

JOIN US IN TRANSFORMING FOOD AND AGRICULTURAL SYSTEMS THROUGH A SPECIALIZED FORUM FOR POLICY MAKERS.



FOOD POLICY FORUM
for CHANGE

In a nutshell

- Do you want to transform agriculture and food systems in your country?
- Do you want these systems to contribute better towards achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)?
- Do you want to connect with likeminded policy makers?

Join an interactive global network of policy makers interested in making our food systems sustainable in the face of current global challenges. Through this network you will have the opportunity to meet, connect with and get inspired by other policy makers via peer-to-peer exchanges. Share your experiences, get to know the evidence and receive targeted support that can boost your achievements and the design of effective policies in your own transformative processes at the national and subnational level.

Interested? **Register here** (<https://bit.ly/signup-peer2peer>)

WHO CAN JOIN?

Policy makers and official advisors in ministries, departments, commissions etc., at national and subnational levels in the agriculture, nutrition, rural development, environment, finance and planning sectors. Women and young leaders are particularly encouraged to participate.

Both the policy forum and peer to peer exchanges are open to policy makers worldwide. Nevertheless, we are particularly interested in engaging with policy makers in Sub-Sahara Africa, South Asia and Southeast Asia.

HOW TO JOIN?

Register your interest using the link below to receive information on the activities of the policy forum and upcoming exchange events.



Register to mail list [here](https://bit.ly/signup-peer2peer) (<https://bit.ly/signup-peer2peer>)

GET SUPPORT TO DEVELOP EFFECTIVE POLICIES THAT TRANSFORM FOOD SYSTEMS



Participate in this policy forum through **peer-to-peer exchanges**, consisting of face-to-face, on-line and informal meetings. Shape the themes of these exchanges, which will include topics like increasing the resilience of food systems in the face of the COVID-19 pandemic and climate change.



Join a **community of policy makers** engaged or interested in transforming food systems through novel integrative approaches. This policy forum will provide access to community driven coaching, regional and international champions, experts, case studies, tools and evidence.

WHY SHOULD YOU PARTICIPATE? HOW WILL YOU BENEFIT?

KNOWLEDGE EXCHANGE

Access/contribute evidence, instruments and approaches that can support governments making food systems more sustainable.

GUIDANCE AND SUPPORT

Receive support from policy makers and experts that can enhance your policies.

LEARNING AND CAPACITY BUILDING

For designing and implementing effective food system policies that contribute to achieving the SDGs.



COOPERATION

Strengthen your network and create new collaborative partnerships at subnational, national, regional and international levels.

SHARING EXPERIENCES

Enrich your perspective on how to overcome obstacles to strengthen your transformation agendas.

VISIBILITY

Become a driving force in transforming food systems in your country and among your peers.

“ It is through making food systems sustainable that we can grow our economies, advance health, and drive prosperity while safeguarding our planet”

Amina J. Mohammed, Deputy Secretary-General of the United Nations
74th Session of the United Nations General Assembly, Sep 2019

Towards sustainable food systems: the focus of the forum will be on discussing and supporting integrative policies that emphasize long-term productivity, greater resource-use efficiency, enhanced ecological functions, improved resilience, restoration of soils, promotion of biodiversity, improvement of rural livelihoods, and increasing equity and social well-being.

ABOUT US

These activities are part of the initiative “Coherent policies for transforming food and agricultural systems – a peer to peer exchange among policy makers” led by a consortium of prominent organizations in the fields of sustainable food systems and agricultural policy processes: Biovision Foundation, IFOAM – Organics International and the Millennium Institute, with technical support from FAO (Scaling up Agroecology). The initiative is financed by the German Federal Ministry of Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ) through Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit GmbH (GIZ), and the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC).

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