



International Women's Day
8 March 2016

Planet 50-50 by 2030: Step it Up for Gender Equality and Zero Hunger

Programme

TIME	Segment/ Participants
10.00- 10.05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Musical performance of "Adiemus" by St. Stephen's Choir
10.05-10.10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcome remarks by Ms. Ertharin Cousin, WFP Executive Director
10.10-10.15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction of programme by Ms. Corinne Woods, WFP Director of Communications
10.15-10.20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Presentation of IFAD video on the issue of Fighting Poverty with Equality – Project in Rwanda
10.20-10.25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Remarks from Ms. Josefina Stubbs, IFAD Associate Vice-President, Strategy and Knowledge Development
10.25-10.30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Presentation of WFP video on the issue of recruitment
10.30-11.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Panel discussion: Building the momentum for the implementation of the Sustainable Development Goals 1, 2, 5 and 17 by moderated by Ms. Corinne Woods
	<p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Her Excellency Stephanie Hochstetter Skinner-Kléé, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Guatemala, Permanent Representative to the United Nations Rome-Based Agencies, and President of the World Food Programme Executive Board Dr. Agnes Kalibata, President, Alliance for a Green Revolution in Africa (AGRA) Dr. Hope Sadza, Founder and Vice Chancellor of the Women University in Africa Ms. Bethlehem Tilahun Alemu, Founder of SoleRebels Ms. Emanuela Saporito, Architect, PhD in spatial planning and urban development; First-prize winner "Progetti delle Donne", WE – Women for Expo 2015" Dr. Martin Bloem, WFP Senior Nutrition Advisor
11.00-11.20	<p>Interventions from the floor, moderated by Ms. Corinne Woods</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Question-and-Answer session Summary of critical success factors required to achieve Planet 50:50
11.20-11.25	<p>Presentation of FAO Video on the issue of access to water and land- Dimitra Clubs, in Niger</p>
11.25-11.30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closing remarks from Ms. Maria-Helena Semedo, FAO Deputy Director-General, Coordinator for Natural Resources
11.30-11.33	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thank you from the ED
11.33 -11.35	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Music
11.35-12.30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reception in the Peace Garden

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