

## Sixth Informal Joint Meeting of the FAO Council, IFAD Executive Board and WFP Executive Board

Wednesday, 30 November 2022  
15:00–18:00 (Virtual)

### Provisional agenda (as of 28 November)

| Time                     | Item  |
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| <b>Afternoon session</b> |   |
| 15:00 – 15:40            | <p><b>Introduction:</b> Welcome and opening remarks by the Chairperson of the Informal Joint Meeting<br/><i>H.E. Mr Md. Shameem Ahsan, President of the Executive Board of WFP</i></p> <p>Opening remarks by the Independent Chairperson of the FAO Council<br/><i>H.E. Mr Hans Hoogeveen</i></p> <p>Opening remarks by the Chairperson of the IFAD Executive Board and President of IFAD<br/><i>Mr Alvaro Lario</i></p> <p>Statement by the Director-General of FAO<br/><i>Dr Qu Dongyu</i></p> <p>Statement by the Executive Director of WFP<br/><i>Mr David M. Beasley</i></p>   |
| 15:40 – 18:00            | <p><b>Afternoon segment: Global food security, fuel and fertilizer crisis and related challenges</b></p> <p>Introduction by <i>Mr Máximo Torero, Chief Economist of FAO; Mr Shukri Ahmed, Deputy Director, Office of Emergencies and Resilience of FAO</i></p> <p><i>Mr Donal Brown, Associate Vice President, Programme Management Department of IFAD</i></p> <p><i>Ms Valerie Guarnieri, Deputy Executive Director, Programme &amp; Policy Department of WFP; Mr Alex Marianelli, Director Supply Chain Division of WFP; Mr Arif Husain, WFP's Chief Economist and Director, Research, Assessment and Monitoring Division</i></p> |

Thursday, 1 December 2022  
09:30–20:30 (Virtual)

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| Time                     | Item   |
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| <b>Morning Session</b>   |  |
| 09:30 – 10:30            | <b>Morning segment 1:</b> Continuation from the previous day, as needed  |
| 10:30 – 12:30            | <p><b>Morning segment 2: Gender</b></p> <p>Introduction by <i>Ms Brenda Behan, Director, Gender of WFP</i></p> <p><i>Ms Lauren Phillips, Deputy Director, Inclusive Rural Transformation and Gender Equality of FAO</i></p> <p><i>Ms Ndaya Beltchika, Lead Technical Specialist, Gender and Social Inclusion of IFAD</i></p>   |
| 12:30–14:00              | <b>Lunch break</b>   |
| <b>Afternoon session</b> |  |
| 14:00 – 15:00            | <b>Afternoon segment 1:</b> Continuation from the previous segment, as needed  |
| 15:00 – 17:00            | <p><b>Afternoon segment 2: Update on the 2021 Joint Evaluation on the Collaboration among the United Nations Rome-Based Agencies,</b> including the <b>Joint Programme for the Sahel</b></p> <p>Introduction by <i>Mr Ron Hartman, Director Global Engagement, Partnerships and Resource Mobilization, IFAD, to open the session on the RBA evaluation; Mr Donal Brown, Associate Vice President, Programme Management Department, IFAD, on the Sahel SD3C</i></p> <p><i>Ms Marcela Villarreal, Director, Partnerships and UN Collaboration of FAO; Ms Clemencia Cosentino, Director, Office of Evaluation of FAO; Ms Valentina Di Marco, Knowledge Management Coordinator, Office of Evaluation, FAO; Ms Bintia Stephen Tchicaya, Senior Policy Officer Subregional Office for West Africa of FAO</i></p> |



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|               | <i>Mr Stanlake Samkange, Senior Director, Strategic Partnerships Division of WFP; Mr Thomas Conan, Senior Regional Programme Advisor, Regional Bureau for Western Africa</i>   |
| 17:00 – 17:30 | <b>Afternoon break</b>   |
| 17:30 – 18:30 | <b>Evening segment 1:</b> Continuation from the previous segment, as needed  |
| 18:30 – 20:25 | <b>Evening segment 2: Update on the United Nations Food Systems Coordination Hub</b><br><br><i>Introduction by Mr Stefanos Fotiou, Director UN Food System Hub, FAO Director of the Office of Sustainable Development Goals</i><br><br><i>Ms Nadine Gbossa, IFAD's Director Food Systems Coordination and Chief Means of Implementation UN Food Systems Coordination Hub</i><br><br><i>Ms Valerie Guarnieri, Deputy Executive Director, Programme &amp; Policy Department of WFP</i> |
| 20:25–20:30   | <b>Closing remarks</b> by the Chairperson of the Informal Joint Meeting, <i>H.E. Mr Md. Shameem Ahsan, President of the Executive Board of WFP</i>   |

**Time management**

In light of the virtual format of the meeting, five minutes will be allocated for interventions by the three Principals and Chairpersons of the executive governing bodies of the RBAs, and three minutes for the Members of the three RBA executive governing bodies. The time limits will be enforced strictly by the Chairperson, with the aid of associated audio-visual tools. Such time management will support efficient conduct of the meeting and a more effective participation of Member States.