

Release of WFP Alumni Network Publication
World Food Programme Cross-Border Operations
Personal experiences of WFP Alumni



Side event on the margins of the annual session of the Executive Board

Friday, 14 June 2019, 9:00–9:45

Aula Delegatis - Aula 1, WFP headquarters

Breakfast will be served in the room from 8:30 to 9:00

Context

The World Food Programme Alumni Network has published the third volume of its Oral History series in June 2019. The theme of this publication is Cross-Border Operations at WFP. The first and second volume were published in 2017 and 2018 both released at an event during the annual session of the Executive Board and shared with WFP management and leaders.

Objectives

This side event has the primary objective of introducing to the Executive Board members and observers the publication of the Alumni Network that captures the experiences of alumni on various aspects of cross-border operations on a variety of situations.

Agenda

- 09:00 Opening of the Session by the WFP Deputy Executive Director, Mr Amir Abdulla
- 09:05 Introduction by Mr Suresh Sharma, President, Alumni Network Steering Committee
- 09:10 Remarks by Ms Valerie Guarnieri, Assistant Executive Director, Operations Services Department
- 09:15 Presentation of the publication by Mr Joseph Kaifala, Editor
- 09:25 Q&A
- 09:45 Closing remarks by the WFP Deputy Executive Director, Mr Amir Abdulla