



Marking International Women's Day, 8 March 2019 ROME-BASED AGENCIES HQ EVENT

"Think equal, build smart, innovate for change"

PROGRAMME

- 10:00 Opening song by Ms Sarah Jane Morris, R&B singer and songwriter
- 10:05 Welcome and address by Mr David Beasley, WFP Executive Director
- 10.15 Address by Mr Gilbert F. Hounou, IFAD President
- 10:25 Introduction of guests
- 10:30 Panel discussion with Ms Giulia Blasi, feminist author and journalist, Ms Sarah Jane Morris and Ms Minna Salami, writer and social critic, moderated by Ms Corinne Woods, WFP Director of Communications
- 10:50 Engagement with the audience
- 11:05 Address by Ms Hilal Elver, Special Rapporteur on the Right to Food
- 11:10 Closing address by Ms Maria Helena Semedo, FAO Deputy Director-General, Climate and Natural Resources
- 11:20 Performance by Ms Sarah Jane Morris
- 11:29 Projection of event graphic e-drawing
- 11:30 Conclusion of event