



Second Round Table on resilience: partnerships for resilience

Executive Board event

Rome, 31 January 2023, 14:00-16:30

Round Table context

Collaboration and partnerships are central for impactful and sustainable resilience programmes. In today's volatile world characterised by increasingly complex drivers of risk and multifaceted shocks and stressors, it is beyond the capacity of any single actor to build resilience. Bringing together complementary expertise and resources to deliver multi-sectoral and multi-level interventions are therefore essential for effective resilience programming. This resilience Round Table on partnerships is part of a series of Executive Board events organised ahead in conjunction with the resilience policy evaluation and planned policy update in 2024. Following the Round Table in July 2022, this session is an opportunity for deeper discussions on WFP's partnerships in resilience programming.

Session objectives

The event will illustrate the respective roles of WFP and its partners, in building resilience capacities through integrated programming. Specifically, key partners from Government and United Nations sister agencies will present on how partnerships work in the field. The event also offers an opportunity for the members to engage with WFP colleagues and partners during dedicated question and answer sessions.

Agenda

Setting the Scene

- Ms Valerie Guarnieri, Deputy Executive Director, Programme and Policy Development Department, WFP

Opportunities for scaling up complementary and joint resilience programmes

- Mr Volli Carucci, Director, Resilience and Food Systems Service, WFP

Examples from the field:

Somalia: Joint resilience action – WFP, FAO and UNICEF partnership

- **Mr Ahmed Dubow Keinan**, Senior Resilience Advisor, Ministry of Agriculture and Irrigation, Somalia
- **Mr Andrew John Lanyon**, Resilience Coordinator, Somalia, FAO
- **Ms Muriel Calo**, Deputy Head of Programmes, Somalia, WFP

Guatemala: Supporting resilient food systems through a multi-partner approach

- **Mr Vinicio Arreaga**, Vice Minister for Food Security and Nutrition, Ministry of Agriculture Guatemala
- **Ms Tania Goossens**, Country Director, Guatemala, WFP

Q&A: Moderated discussion on partnerships for resilience programming

Chad: Partnerships for Integrated Resilience

- **Mr Achim Djoumbe**, Deputy Director of Studies, Planning and Monitoring, Ministry of Agriculture, Chad
- **Mr Aristide Gabpobe Souapebe**, Technical Officer for SD3C Programme, Chad, IFAD
- **Mr Pierre Honorat**, Country Director, Chad, WFP

Resilience in Niger: the cooperation with GIZ ProRES and WFP

- **Mr Eric Francois**, Project Coordinator, Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ)
- **Ms Sabine Gürtner**, Project Manager, Improving Livelihoods and Strengthen Resilience and Social Cohesion (ProRES), Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ), Niger

Q&A: Moderated discussion on partnerships for resilience programming

Reflections and closing remarks

- Mr David Kaatrud, Director, Programme – Humanitarian and Development Division