



Programme

INTERNATIONAL
WEBINAIRE*

28 November 2025
13:00 – 15:30 [GMT+1]

13:00 • Opening session

- **Tanguy Stehelin**, Ambassador, Permanent Representative of France to the United Nations in Rome
- **Elisabeth Claverie de Saint Martin**, CIRAD CEO

13:15 • The state of the world in 2025

Moderation : **Jean-François Soussana**, INRAE

- For a global vision of food security and nutrition. When science informs public policy - **Marie-Joseph Carlin**, INRAE, HLPE-FSN
- Global food security: the experience of an interdisciplinary programme to support foresight studies on a global level - **Alban Thomas**, INRAE
- How many humans will have to be fed in 2050? **Bénédicte Gastineau**, IRD

- Feeding the world in 2025: what has changed in this respect in 15 years? - **Nicolas Bricas**, Cirad, UNESCO Chair in World Food Systems

Questions & answers

13:50 • Solutions for feeding and preserving

Moderation: Cirad

- Varietal breeding to address climate change and build sustainable farming systems - **Carole Caranta**, INRAE
- Using algorithms to grow better, feed better and protect better - **Thierry Fourcaud**, Cirad
- The agroecological transition in the light of food and environmental challenges: issues for research - **Laurent Cournac**, IRD & **Ndeye Hélène Diallo Diagne**, ISRA, Minister of Agriculture, Food Sovereignty and Livestock, Senegal
- Changing dietary habits: an impossible challenge? **Sophie Nicklaus**, INRAE

Questions & answers

14:35 • Transforming food systems: for more sustainable, inclusive and resilient models

Moderation : **Éric Verger**, IRD

- Building food system transitions, or how to (better) articulate objectives, narratives and actions - **Pierre Janin**, IRD & **Eric Joël Fofiri Nzossié**, University of Ngaoundéré, Ministry of the Environment, Cameroon
- How can research in partnership between Africa and Europe (TSARA) help to transform food systems? **Marie Schill**, INRAE et **Joseph Bassama**, Gaston Berger University, Senegal
- The EAT-Lancet Commission on healthy, sustainable and just food systems - **Fabrice DeClerck**, EAT Foundation, Alliance of Bioversity International and CIAT, CGIAR

Questions & answers

15:15 • Prospects

Moderation : **Raoul Mille**, Permanent Representation of France to the United Nations in Rome

- **Stefanos Fotiou**, Director, UNFSS Coordination Hub
- **Philippe Mauguin**, Chair & CEO, INRAE
- **Valérie Verdier**, Chairwoman of the Board and CEO, IRD

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