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# LINKING AGRICULTURE AND HEALTH TO SHAPE FOOD ENVIRONMENTS FOR HEALTHY DIETS

FRIDAY 13 OCTOBER 2017

Iran Room • FAO Headquarters, Rome

08:30-10:00

Refreshments will be served at 08:00

## THE WORLD NEEDS TO STEP UP ITS EFFORTS TO ELIMINATE MALNUTRITION IN ALL ITS FORMS.

More sectors, more actors and more countries need to be involved. The 2030 Agenda calls for transformational change, which can only be achieved by comprehensive and coherent shifts in actions, programmes and policies addressing both underlying and immediate causes of malnutrition. By bringing Geneva to Rome, within the framework of the **UN Decade of Action on Nutrition**, the event aims at linking and aligning agriculture and health actions to better shape the food environment to support and develop sustainable food systems for healthy diets.

### THE EVENT WILL BE MODERATED BY

**Michel Mordasini**, *Chair of the UNSCN and Vice-President of IFAD*

Interpretation will be available in English, French and Spanish.

### ORGANISED BY

UNSCN and the Government of Ecuador

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## PROGRAMME

8:00-8:30	Refreshments are served
8:30-8:40	Welcome and introduction by <b>Michel Mordasini</b> , <i>Chair of the UNSCN and Vice-President of IFAD</i>
8:40-8:50	Setting the scene by <b>Stineke Oenema</b> , <i>UNSCN Coordinator</i>
8:50-9:00	Keynote Speaker - <b>Juan Holguin Flores</b> , <i>Ecuador Ambassador to Italy</i> Experiences with the implementation of front of package food labelling and other strategies to promote healthy diets and nutrition using an integral and multisector approaches, building on Ecuador's commitment to the UN Decade of Action on Nutrition
9:00-9:15	Question and Answer Session <b>Guiding Questions:</b> Do you see opportunity in your own countries to start similar initiatives or facilitate existing examples? What is needed to make this work in your country/region?
9:15-9:40	Context-specific examples from various CFS stakeholders <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Terri Sarch</b>, <i>UK Ambassador to the UN Agencies in Rome</i></li> <li>• <b>Guido Girardi</b>, <i>Vice President of the Senate, Chile</i></li> <li>• <b>Isabel Alvarez</b>, <i>Urgenci, the International network of community supported agriculture and member of the coordination group of the CSM Nutrition WG and of the CSM Coordination Committee</i></li> <li>• <b>Greg Miller</b>, <i>Global Dairy Platform, Team member of the HLPE Report on Nutrition and Food Systems</i></li> </ul>
9:40-9:55	Question and Answer Session
9:55-10:00	Closing remarks by the moderator