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## LAUNCH EVENT

### The State of Food Security and Nutrition in Europe and Central Asia 2022

The theme this year is “Repurposing food and agricultural policies to make healthy diets more affordable and food systems more environmentally sustainable in ECA”

Organized by the report authors of IBC partners in Europe and Central Asia: FAO, IFAD, UNECE, UNDP, UNICEF, WFP, WHO, and WMO

#### AGENDA

*Date: March 14, 2023, 11:00 am Budapest Time (CET)*

*Venue: Virtual*

11.00 – 11.05	<b>Opening from the Moderator</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Moderator – Raimund Jehle</li></ul>	Welcome, purpose of event, introductions
11.05 – 11.10	<b>Introductory remarks from FAO</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Vladimir Rakhmanin, FAO Regional Representative for Europe and Central Asia</li></ul>	Statement from the FAO representative
11.10- 11.15	<b>Keynote address Szeged University</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Diána Bánáti, Academic Deputy Dean, Institute of Food Engineering</li></ul>	Title: Education and Research on Food, Nutrition, Health, and Implication of Policies
11.15 – 11.18	<b>Short introductory video of “The State of Food Security and Nutrition in Europe and Central Asia 2022”</b>	Main findings of the report
11.18- 11.35	<b>Panel discussion - Repurposing policies and incentives to make healthy diets more affordable</b>  Panelists: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>FAO, Raimund Jehle, Regional Program Leader</li><li>WFP, Siemon Hollema, Senior Programme Adviser for WFP Regional Bureau in Cairo</li></ul>	Moderated panel discussion. Each of the representatives from the partner agencies will emphasize an aspect from the SOFI, through a dynamic panel discussion  5 minutes max for each speaker

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• UNECE, Elisabeth Tuerk, Director, Economic Cooperation and Trade Division</li> <li>• WHO (REU) Kremlin Wickramasinghe</li> </ul>	
11.35 – 11.55	<p><b>Panel discussion - Repurposing policies and incentives to provide livelihoods to farmers and others connected to the sector and more food systems environmentally sustainable</b></p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• UNDP, Gerd Trogemann, Manager of the UNDP Istanbul Regional Hub</li> <li>• WMO (REU) Kornelia Radics, Director of the WMO Regional Office for Europe</li> <li>• IFAD, Philippe Remy, Country Director, PMD, NEN</li> <li>• UNICEF (ECARO), Gabriele Fontana, Regional Health Adviser - UNICEF Regional Office for Europe and Central Asia</li> </ul>	<p>Moderated panel discussion. Each of the representatives from the partner agencies will emphasize an aspect from the SOFI, through a dynamic panel discussion</p> <p>5 minutes max for each speaker</p>
11.57 – 12.00	<b>Closing Vladimir Rakhmanin/Raimund Jehle</b>	<i>Short take-home messages</i>