

Launch of the International Food Policy Research Institute's 2016 Global Food Policy Report

10:30 AM – 12:00 PM, Tuesday, 12 April 2016 UNCTAD, Conference Room XXIII, Palais des Nations

AGENDA

10:30	Guillermo Valles Director, International Trade in Goods, Services and Commodities, UNCTAD	Welcome and Introduction
10:35	Shenggen Fan Director General, IFPRI	Overview of the Report
10:45	Samuel Gayi Head, Special Unit on Commodities, UNCTAD	Intervention
10:55	Ricardo Meléndez-Ortiz Chief Executive Officer, ICTSD	Intervention
11:05	Lee Ann Jackson Counsellor, Agriculture and Commodities, WTO	Intervention
11:15	Steve Godfrey Executive Director ad interim, GAIN	Intervention
11:25	Guillermo Valles	Q&A/Panel Discussion Closing
12:00	Lunch Served	

IFPRI's Flagship Report puts into perspective the major food policy issues, developments, and decisions of 2015 and highlights challenges and opportunities for 2016. This year's report takes a special look at how food systems can best contribute to meeting the UN Sustainable Development Goals.

Drawing on rigorous research, IFPRI researchers and other distinguished food policy experts consider a wide range of crucial questions to support a new global food system that is efficient, inclusive, climatesmart, sustainable, nutrition- and health-driven, and business-friendly.

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