Youth in agriculture
An organic perspective

Side Event organized by INOFO – Inter-continental Network of Organic Farmers Organizations

Tuesday 10 February 2020
IFAD HQ, Room:

Introduction

It is not new that rural youth face numerous challenges to remain in the countryside. We propose a brief approach on the difficulties faced by rural youth and we bring through organic agriculture, in its social and practical proposal, as an alternative for the permanence with sovereignty and empowerment of young people in the countryside.

Focus of the Side event

Expose dialogue and propose solutions for the permanence and continuity of youth in the farms/countryside with organic agriculture.

Agenda

9.00 - 9.15 am: An Organic Introduction – Expose some of the challenges of youth in their rural reality.
9.15 – 9.30 am: Questions and Answers
9.30 – 9.45 am: Youth Farmer experience sharing (Open session)
9.45 – 10.00 am: Questions and Answers
10.00 – 10.15 am: Organic Agriculture as a solution to bring back youth to the land
10.15 – 10.30 am: Questions and Answers
Conclusion
Speakers

Thales Bevilacqua Mendonça, Brazil
Shamika Mone, India
Janet Gracie, South Africa

Facilitators

Charles Mubanga – Zambia
Maria Rowena Weng – Philippines

Contact:
Mr. Thales Bevilacqua Mendonça, Brazil
Tel: +55 41 9871-0887

Email: thalesbm@hotmail.com