



High-Level Side Event

*Future of Food Security in Africa-
in times of Global Food Crisis:
How innovation can help our future?*

30 September (Friday) 2022

Duration: 1h30m

Time: 10:00-11:30 (GMT), 11:00-12:30 (CET), 18:00-19:30 (JST)

Format: Online only

Moderator: H el ene Papper, Director, Global Communications and Advocacy Division, International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD)

Opening-25 min

Mr Alvaro Lario, President-elect, International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD)

Mr Mahmoud Elies Hamza, Minister of Agriculture, Water Resources and Fisheries of the Republic of Tunisia

Mr Shunsuke Takei, State-Minister of Foreign Affairs, Japan (video-message)

Mr Takaaki Katsumata, State-Minister of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries, Japan

Session 1 -25 min

Building Resilient and Sustainable Food Systems with innovative technologies.

Dr Solomon Gyan Ansah, Acting Director of Crop Services, Ministry of Food and Agriculture of Ghana

Mr Doga Makiura, Chief Executive Officer, Degas Ltd (Ghana).

Mr Mochesane Mpali, Chief Executive Officer, Lema Agrinvest (Lesotho)

Mr Aboobakar Jakhura, Managing Director, Nyama World (Malawi)

Session 2 - 25 min

Partnership, leveraging on innovative approaches from the ground.

Prof. Machito Mihara, Tokyo University of Agriculture, Director for Center for Global Initiatives.

Dr Makoto Kitanaka, President, Sasakawa Africa Association.

Mr Reji George, Vice President, Olam International, Nigeria

Ms Dede Ekoude, Country Director, IFAD Country Office in Nigeria

Q & A -15 min

Closing - 5 min

Moderator
