

AGENDA OF THE MEETING



Special Global Partners' Meeting on Ukraine crisis and its repercussions on a major food crisis at global level

13 April 2022

Meeting Chair:

Davide Rossi, Programme Specialist, gFSC

OPENING REMARKS

14:30 to 14:35

Abdul Majid Khan, gFSC Co-coordinator (FAO)

PANEL | GLOBAL OVERVIEW

The repercussions of the Ukraine crisis at global level

Objective: sharing available analysis on the impact of food and fuel prices increase as well as decrease of import of cereals and other key items on protracted food security crisis in highly import-dependent countries

14:35 to 15:20

Food and energy price inflation triggering a wave of collateral hunger across the globe (15mins)

Speaker: Friederike Greb, Consultant, RAMAE Economic Markets Unit, WFP

Disruption of agriculture systems and supply on global markets as direct impact of the Ukraine crisis (15mins)

Speaker: Luca Russo, Senior Emergency and Rehabilitation Officer, Office of Emergency and Resilience (OER), FAO

The Horn of Africa extremely dire food security situation likely to accelerate and further deteriorate as direct impact of the Ukrainian conflict (15mins)

Speaker: Thomas Lay, East and Southern Africa Regional Humanitarian Director, Save the Children

15:20 to 15: 40

Q & A, inputs from the audience

PANEL | ADDITIONAL PERSPECTIVE FROM THE FIELD

Alarming scarcity and competition of resources among the different food security crisis

Priority concerns: food and oil price hikes are significantly driving up operational costs, effectively reducing the capacity to assist population in need, when 2022 marks the year of unprecedented hunger: there is a need to step away for reallocation strategies and advocate for additional funds to meet the demand and leave no one behind.

15:40 to 15:55

The Ukrainian war threatens a massive malnutrition crisis on millions of Syrians already suffering from an over a decade old crisis (5mins)

Speaker: Mohie Alwahsh, Whole of Syria Food Security and Livelihoods Co-coordinator

Exacerbated risk of failing to assist millions of families on the edge to destitution and acute food insecurity (IPC Phase 3 or above) in drought-stricken Somalia (5mins)

Speaker: Gordon Dudi, Somalia Food Security Co-coordinator

Q&A, inputs from the audience (5 min)

CLOSING REMARKS

15:55 to 16:00

Naouar Labidi, gFSC Co-coordinator (WFP)