



Food & farming events at COP27

Wednesday, Nov 9

Building an African food policy for sustainable and resilient food systems

9:30-10:45 | Food4Climate Pavilion

AFSA, IPES-Food

This session will discuss the African food policy process being developed by the African Food Sovereignty Alliance (AFSA) in collaboration with the African Union, a people- and farmer-centered approach to developing a sustainable food system for Africa.

[Register here](#)

Conflict, COVID, and climate change: A turning point for transitions to sustainable food & farming?

11:15-12:30 | Food4Climate Pavilion | IPES-Food, Biovision, IFOAM Organics International

Many of the fragilities in current food systems are a direct result of a global dependency on costly chemical inputs, lengthy commodity chains, and over-reliance on the import of staple foods. This event will bring together different views to discuss the urgent policies and practices that need to be put in place to transition to more resilient food systems.

[Register here](#)

Net zero food systems: Fact or fiction? Examining corporate, municipal, and national pledges

14:30-15:45 | Food4Climate Pavilion

IPES-Food, IATP

To face the climate crisis, many actors have responded with pledges to reach 'net zero' greenhouse gas emissions. This session unpacks the usefulness of a 'net zero' framing for food systems by diving into national, municipal, and corporate pledges to tackle climate change and the framings needed to move towards meaningful actions for food systems sustainability.

[Register here](#)

Thursday, Nov 10

Just Protein Transition Discussion

9:30-10:45 | Food4Climate Pavilion

IPES-Food, WAP, Enough

In person only

Saturday, Nov 12

Feeding the city for healthy people, landscapes, and climate

10:00-12:00 | LGMA Pavilion | IPES-Food, ICLEI

Food systems account for up to 37% of global GHG emissions and more than 70% of the world's food is consumed in urban areas. City leaders have a key role to play in finding locally relevant solutions to growing social, economic and environmental challenges. This event will explore the role of cities in driving food systems transformation in a multi-level governance context.

[Watch here](#)

From local to global governance: Aligning action for sustainable food system transformation

16:15-17:30 | Food4Climate Pavilion

IPES-Food, HSI, 50by40, ICLEI

Without a rapid transformation toward sustainable and resilient food systems, it will be impossible to achieve the objectives of the Paris Climate Agreement. Achieving a just transition for sustainable food systems requires collaboration across all levels of government. This event will explore issues of multi-level governance of food systems, providing examples and mechanisms available for effective action at different levels, and the challenges of policy integration.

[Register here](#)

Monday, Nov 14

Opportunities for directing climate finance towards resilient and agroecological food systems

18:30-20:00 | UNFCCC - OSIRIS ROOM

IPES-Food, GAFF, Biovision, AFSA, Both Ends

Food systems account for 33% of GHG emissions, but receive only 3% of climate finance. More funding is urgently needed to support resilient food systems solutions which achieve mitigation, food security, and nutrition targets across a diversity of contexts. Agroecology provides significant climate change adaptation and mitigation potential through participatory, locally-relevant solutions. This side event will discuss opportunities for climate financing related to food and climate to meet the NDCs.

[Watch here](#)